

## مجموعة الرقابة الفلسطينية



## PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

## DAILY SITUATION REPORT

08:00 22 September 2010 – 08:00 23 September 2010

## SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Physical Assaults	6	—	6	Incl. 4 journalists beaten in Jerusalem
Injuries	11	—	11	During confrontations in Jerusalem
Attacks	8	1	9	8 in confrontations and 1 from a post
Raids	11	—	11	Incl. 4 in Jerusalem and 2 in Qalqiliya
Arrests (per person)	13	—	13	Incl. 2 brothers and 2 pupils
Detentions	13	—	13	Incl. 4 journalists in Jerusalem city
Wall Construction	19	—	19	Incl. Jer., Raml'h., Salfit, & Hebron
Closure of Checkpoints	8	—	8	Incl. access impeded at 5 checkpoints
Flying Checkpoints	31	—	31	Incl. 6 in Qalqiliya and 7 in Hebron
Closure (per District)	7	—	7	Incl. Jerusalem & 2 areas in Bethlehem
Closure of Main Roads	42	—	42	Incl. 4 in Salfit and 13 in Hebron
Closure of Crossing Points	—	4	4	3 crossing points partially open
School Disruption	1	—	1	A school surrounded & raided, Hebron
Settler Violence	5	—	5	Incl. civilians expelled from their land
Provocation of Pal. Forces	2	—	2	Incl. a Police vehicle detained, Hebron
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>183</b>	

DISTRICT	EVENTS
<b>WEST BANK</b>	
<b>ALL DISTRICTS</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Beginning at 24:00 on 21 September 2010, the Israeli army has continued to imposed a complete closure on the West Bank districts on the occasion of the Jewish Holiday of Sukkot. Only allowing access to previously-coordinated diplomatic and international missions as well as humanitarian cases, the Israeli army has prevented civilians and workers from entering Jerusalem city and areas inside the Green Line. The closure will be in place until 24:00 on 30 September 2010.</li> </ul>
<b>JERUSALEM</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Closure:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) In the morning of 22 September 2010, the Israeli army intensified its restrictions at checkpoints located at the entrances to Jerusalem city and in the area surrounding Silwan neighbourhood, set up many flying checkpoints in the old city of Jerusalem and around Al Aqsa Mosque compound after a civilian had been killed by Israeli settlers, as was reported yesterday.</li> <li>(ii) On 05 January 2009, the Israeli authorities issued Military Order # S/02/09 on the closure of and denial of civilian access to the "demarcation area" along the Wall in the area surrounding the city of Jerusalem.</li> <li>(iii) The Israeli army continues to impose a blockade and deny civilian access to a hill between Biddu and Beit Iksa villages.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Closure of Main Roads:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks and dirt barricades the entrance to the village of Jaba'.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to close the iron gate along the Wall section, separating the area of Dahiyat al Bared from the town of Ar Ram.</li> <li>(iii) The Israeli army continues to close with an iron gate the eastern entrance to Beit Iksa village and force civilians to access Jerusalem city through Qalandiya checkpoint.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Checkpoint:</b> The Israeli army continues to consider Qalandiya checkpoint a "border crossing point" and has designated a special crossing lane for holders of Jerusalem IDs and those possessing permits to access the city of Jerusalem.</li> <li>• <b>Attack/Injuries/Physical Assaults/Detentions:</b> In the morning of 22 September 2010, the Israeli army fired rubber-coated steel bullets as well as sound and tear gas grenades on civilians, allegedly for throwing stones after a civilian had been killed by Israeli settlers in Silwan neighbourhood in Jerusalem city as was reported yesterday. During the funeral procession of the killed civilian, confrontations took place between the Israeli army and civilians in the area surrounding Al Aqsa Mosque compound and in Silwan neighbourhood. Confrontations also took place in At Tur neighbourhood and Shu'fat refugee camp. The Israeli army raided the grounds of Al Aqsa Mosque compound and opened fire, injuring 11 civilians. Israeli troops severely beat four journalists, leaving them with contusions. Israeli troops also detained four other journalists and released them at a later time.</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Raids:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 19:30, the Israeli army raided Al 'Isawiya village and arrested three civilians. Confrontations took place between the Israeli army and civilians.</li> <li>(ii) At 23:50, the Israeli army raided Abu Dis town and arrested 2 civilians. Confrontations took place between the Israeli army and civilians.</li> <li>(iii) At 00:30, the Israeli army raided Ar Ram town and patrolled the area until 01:20.</li> <li>(iv) At 00:35, the Israeli army raided Bir Nabala town and patrolled the area until 02:00.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Arrests:</u></b> The Israeli army arrested three civilians in Al 'Isawiya village: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) Mohammed Mahir Muheisen;</li> <li>(ii) Shadi Tareq Ahmed Mustafa; and</li> <li>(iii) 'Ammar 'Atiyyeh.</li> </ul> The Israeli army arrested two civilians in Abu Dis town: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(iv) Sufyan Radhwan 'Afaneh; and</li> <li>(v) Jihad Saleh 'Afaneh.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Wall Gates:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close the Wall gate in the town of Abu Dis with cement blocks.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to deny civilian access through the Wall gate on Ash Shayyah road in the area between the villages of As Sawahira ash Sharqiya and As Sawahira al Gharbiya, only allowing civilians holding Jerusalem IDs to cross, after subjecting them to thorough searches using electronic devices.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Wall Construction:</u></b> Wall construction continues in Al 'Eizariya area to Ash Shayyah, from Beit Surik village to Biddu; in the areas of Al Judeira, Bir Nabala, and Beit Hanina; west of the village of Al Jib; in the vicinity of the village of Qatanna; south of the village of Beit Hanina; and in the area surrounding the checkpoint set up at the entrance to Shu'fat refugee camp.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>RAMALLAH &amp; EL BIREH</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Main Roads:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades and cement blocks the entrances to the town of Sinjil, the village of Saffa; and the junction to the villages of Kafr Malik – 'Ein Samiya.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli authorities continue to declare the area located between civilian houses and the Wall in Ni'lin town and Bil'in village a closed military zone between 08:00 and 20:00 on Fridays. Civilian access to the area is denied to prevent weekly demonstrations against Wall construction.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Flying Checkpoints:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 09:15, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Sinjil town and searched civilians and vehicles.</li> <li>(ii) At 18:50, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Burqa village and searched civilians and vehicles.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Raid:</u></b> At 24:00, the Israeli army raided Kharbatha al Misbah village and patrolled the area until 00:30.</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Settler Violence:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 08:10, a group of armed Israeli settlers gained access to Al Karama housing project in the vicinity of Al Mazra'a al Gharbiya town and took position on a civilian house roof.</li> <li>(ii) At 10:50, a group of armed Israeli settlers gathered on the junction to 'Ein Qiniya village and walked around civilian land and water spring.</li> <li>(iii) At 16:30, a group of Israeli settlers expelled and attempted to attack three civilians on their farmland near Turmus'ayya town. The civilians were: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) Ziyad Abdul Rahman Abu 'Awwad;</li> <li>(ii) Muntasser Ali Shalabi; and</li> <li>(iii) Mohammed Ahmed Hamdan.</li> </ul> </li> <li>(iv) At 21:00, a group of Israeli settlers threw stones at civilian vehicles near 'Ein Qiniya village.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Wall Construction:</u></b> Wall construction continues west of the town of 'Abud; in the village of Bil'in; and in the areas of Al Midya to Ni'lin and Ni'lin to Deir Qaddis.</li> </ul>
JENIN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Main Road:</u></b> The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the road leading to the town of 'Arraba east of Dotan settlement.</li> <li>• <b><u>Flying Checkpoint:</u></b> At 08:40, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint in the area between the villages of Tura ash Sharqiya and Nazlat ash Sheikh Zeid and searched civilians and vehicles until 10:00.</li> <li>• <b><u>Raid:</u></b> At 08:30, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Ya'bad town.</li> <li>• <b><u>Wall Gates:</u></b> Passage through the Wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits, which affects the educational and health conditions of civilians living behind the Wall.</li> </ul>
TUBAS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Checkpoint:</u></b> Though allowing civilian access to the Northern Jordan Valley between 06:00 and 22:00, the Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at Tayasir checkpoint east of the city of Tubas.</li> </ul>
TULKAREM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Main Roads:</u></b> The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the road connecting the town of Kafr al Labad to the village of Shufa as well as the road connecting the villages of Shufa and 'Izbat Shufa.</li> <li>• <b><u>Checkpoint:</u></b> The Israeli army continues to intensify restrictions at 'Einav checkpoint set up on Tulkarem-Nablus main road.</li> <li>• <b><u>Wall Gates:</u></b> Passage through the wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits.</li> </ul>
QALQILYA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Roads:</u></b> The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks agricultural roads east of the town of 'Azzun.</li> <li>• <b><u>Flying Checkpoints:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 09:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint near junction to Sanniriya village and searched civilians and vehicles.</li> <li>(ii) At 10:55, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint in the area between Hajja and Al Funduq villages and searched civilians and vehicles.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(iii) At 15:15, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Immatin village and searched civilians and vehicles.</li> <li>(iv) At 17:10, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint in the area between ‘Azzun town and ‘Izbat at Tabib village and searched civilians and vehicles.</li> <li>(v) At 18:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Jinsafut village and searched security and vehicles.</li> <li>(vi) At 18:55, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint near Al Funduq village and searched civilians and vehicles.</li> <li>• <b><u>Raids:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 09:10, the Israeli army raided Kafr Thulth town and took photographs of a number of houses.</li> <li>(ii) At 11:55, the Israeli army raided Al Funduq village and raided a number of commercial premises.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Wall Gates:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at ‘Azzun ‘Atma Wall gate and to search civilians, including students, with a metal detector.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues close with an iron gate the entrance to the village of Wadi ar Rasha and to deny civilian access. The Israeli army allows residents to access the village through Gate #109. Having removed the iron gate at the entrance to the village of Ras ‘Atiya, the Israeli army only allows students to cross to their schools outside the village through the Habla gate.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
NABLUS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Main Roads:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close the roads of Till-Burin and Beit Furik-Salem; the settler bypass road connecting the village of Deir al Hatab to the settlement of Alon Moreh; the road connecting the town of ‘Aqraba to the village of Osarin; and the detour road between the town of Qabalan and the village of Osarin.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to close the northern entrance to the town of Qabalan; the southern entrances to the town of Jamma’in and the villages of Duma and Qaryut; and the western entrance to An Naqura village opposite the settlement of Shavei Shomron.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Checkpoints:</u></b> The Israeli army continues to regulate times for crossing checkpoints set up around the city of Nablus: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At Tur neighbourhood checkpoint (set up on Jerzim Mount) is closed on Fridays and Saturdays as well as during Jewish holidays. On all other days, it is open for civilian residents of the neighbourhood only between 07:00 and 02:00.</li> <li>(ii) At ‘Awarta commercial checkpoint, civilians are allowed to cross between 05:00 and 20:00, but between 05:00 and 15:00 on Fridays. All civilian vehicles are allowed to access the city of Nablus, but only commercial vehicles and ambulances can leave the city through the checkpoint.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Flying Checkpoints:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 13:30, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint in the area between Nablus city and ‘Asira ash Shamaliya town and searched civilians and vehicles.</li> <li>(ii) At 18:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Burin village and searched civilians and vehicles.</li> <li>(iii) At 19:30, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint near Shavei Shomron settlement on the Nablus-Jenin main road and searched civilians and vehicles.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Arrests:</u></b> At 03:20 on 22 September 2010, the Israeli army arrested three civilians, including two brothers, during its raid into Nablus city, in addition to those reported yesterday: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) Sultan ‘Adnan Mohammed Abu Sirriyyeh, 16 years old;</li> <li>(ii) Sami ‘Adnan Mohammed Abu Sirriyyeh, 17 years old; and</li> <li>(iii) Khalil Bashar Ahmed.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<b>SALFIT</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Main Roads:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the northern entrance to the city of Salfit.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks the northern entrance to the town of Bruqin.</li> <li>(iii) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the entrance to two detour roads connecting the village of Marda to respective agricultural land.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Checkpoint:</u></b> The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions and impede civilian access at the Za’tara junction checkpoint.</li> <li>• <b><u>Flying Checkpoints:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 14:20, the Israeli army set up two flying checkpoints at the western and southern entrances to Marda village and searched civilians and vehicles. Allegedly because stones had been thrown at settler vehicles travelling along the Trans-Samaria Highway, the Israeli army closed the iron gate at the western entrance to the village. At 17:00, the Israeli army withdrew from the area.</li> <li>(ii) At 19:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint in the area between Kifl Haris town and Haris village and searched civilians and vehicles.</li> <li>(iii) At 23:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint underneath the overpass to Iskaka village and searched civilians and vehicles.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Wall Construction:</u></b> Wall construction continues in the area northwest of the city of Salfit, and in the village of Marda and the town of Kifl Haris north of the settlement of Ariel.</li> </ul>
<b>JERICHO</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Crossing Point:</u></b> Al Karama (Allenby) Bridge is closed due to the Yom Kippur Holiday.</li> <li>• <b><u>Closure:</u></b> The Israeli army continues to close Road # 90 between the city of Jericho and the village of Al ‘Auja with cement blocks.</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Checkpoints:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at Al Hamra checkpoint set up along Al Badhan road connecting the districts of Jericho and Nablus. However, the Israeli army allows civilian access between 06:00 and 22:00.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at the checkpoint set up on the junction to the village of Al 'Auja along Al-Mu'arrajat road that connects the districts of Jericho and Ramallah, only allowing access to civilians whose IDs indicate that their place of residence of the district of Jericho as well as to others holding access permits.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Flying Checkpoints/Physical Assaults:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 08:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the southern entrance to Jericho city, searched civilian vehicles, and arrested a civilian. Israeli troops also beat two civilians: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) Abdul Salam Mohammed Abdul Salam; and</li> <li>(ii) Wajdi Ahmed 'Atallah.</li> </ul> At 17:20, the Israeli army set up another checkpoint in the area.</li> <li>(ii) At 18:30, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Fasayil village and searched security and vehicles.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Raid:</u></b> At 19:20, the Israeli army raided Fasayil village and patrolled the area until 20:10.</li> <li>• <b><u>Arrest:</u></b> Israeli troops positioned at the flying checkpoint set up at the southern entrance to Jericho city arrested Mohammed Ali Houshiyyeh.</li> </ul>
BETHLEHEM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close the roads to the village of An Nu'man, with the exception of the road leading to the Wall gate in the south-eastern area of the village.</li> <li>(ii) According to Military Order # 07/02/S, the Israeli army has continued since 15 September 2007 to deny civilian access to an area measuring 22 <i>dunums</i> (5.436 acres) of land in the area of Mazmuriya in the cities of Beit Sahur and Bethlehem. The land was confiscated pursuant to Military Order # 07/31/T.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Main Roads:</u></b> The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the road of Beit Jala-Wadi Ahmad; a road east of Beit Fajjar town; and a rural road connecting Tuqu' town to Khirbet al Baq'a village.</li> <li>• <b><u>Flying Checkpoints:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 14:55, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Tuqu' town and searched security and vehicles.</li> <li>(ii) At 15:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Beit Fajjar town and searched civilians and vehicles.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Arrest:</u></b> At 03:30 on 22 September 2010, the Israeli army arrested Islam Theeb Hamamreh during its raid into Husan village, in addition to those reported yesterday.</li> <li>• <b><u>Wall Construction:</u></b> Wall construction continues in the area northwest of the town of Al Khadr; northwest of the city of Beit Jala; in the area of Wadi Rahhal east of Efrat settlement; and in the area surrounding Al Walaja.</li> </ul>

## HEBRON

- **Closure:**
  - (i) The Israeli army continues to close Ash Shuhada' Street, As Sahleh and Khuzq al Far areas, and the old gold market in the old city of Hebron. In addition to closing the entrance to Al Qeisi neighbourhood, the Israeli army continues to close the entrances to the area of Al Hisba (the fruits and vegetables market) with an iron gate and Al Laban Market with iron plates.
  - (ii) Having evacuated civilian residents and denied civilian access, the Israeli army continues to close the area located along the Green Line south of the town of Yatta.
- **Closure of Main Roads:**
  - (i) The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to As Samoa' and Adh Dhahiriya, Al 'Arrub refugee camp, and At Tuwani village.
  - (ii) The Israeli army continues to prohibit Palestinian vehicles from travelling along Ash Shalala Old Street in the old city of Hebron.
  - (iii) The Israeli army continues to close the road between Al Karmil and At Tuwani villages; all roads leading to Road # 60; and the road connecting Surif town to Al Jab'a village.
- **Flying Checkpoints/Provocation of Palestinian forces:**
  - (i) At 08:35, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to As Samoa' town and searched civilians and vehicles. At 15:20, the Israeli army set up another checkpoint, detained a Palestinian Police vehicle, and allowed it to cross after coordination with the Israeli authorities (through the DCO).
  - (ii) At 09:05, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Bani Na'im town and searched civilians and vehicles.
  - (iii) At 09:30, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the northern entrance to Hebron city along Road # 35 and searched civilians and vehicles.
  - (iv) At 11:20, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on Al Fawwar junction and searched civilians and vehicles.
  - (v) At 14:50, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the junction to Zif village and searched security and vehicles.
  - (vi) At 16:20, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the junction to Beit 'Einun village and searched civilians and vehicles.
- **Raids/Provocation of Palestinian Forces:**
  - (i) At 11:40, the Israeli army raided Halhul town, took position near the town's Palestinian Police station, searched a glassware factory, and withdrew at 12:10.
  - (ii) At 19:30, the Israeli army raided Turrama village and arrested a civilian.
- **School Disruption:** At 08:00, Israeli troops surrounded and raided Al Ibrahimiya School in the old city of Hebron. Allegedly for throwing stones, Israeli troops arrested two pupils.
- **Arrests:**
  - (i) The Israeli army arrested Mohammed Abdul Karim Abdullah Dar Mohammed in Turrama village.



	<p>Israeli troops arrested two pupils in Al Ibrahimiya Mosque in the old city of Hebron:</p> <p>(ii) Anas Mohammed ‘Aref Jaber, 12 years old; and</p> <p>(iii) Dhiya’ ‘Isa Mohammed Bishr, 12 years old.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Settler Violence</b> At 13:00, a group of Israeli settlers gathered in Baqqar area north of Halhul town and withdrew at 13:20.</li> <li>• <b>Wall Construction:</b> Wall construction continues in the section of Tarqumiya checkpoint terminal; in the area surrounding the settlement of Eshkolot near the town of Adh Dhahiriya; and in the area between the villages of ‘Arab ar Ramadin and Imneizil.</li> </ul>
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### GAZA STRIP

<p><b>ALL DISTRICTS</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• At 02:00 on 18 January 2009, the unilateral ceasefire declared by the Israeli authorities came into effect. At a later time on the same day, armed Palestinian groups announced an agreement to cease fire for a week. Later, armed Palestinian groups extended the ceasefire until 05 February 2009. The ceasefire continues to hold.</li> <li>• <b>Violation of the Ceasefire:</b> The Israeli army opened fire its location on the Green Line towards civilian houses and property in Rafah district.</li> </ul>
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<p><b>NORTHERN GAZA</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Closure of Crossing Point:</b> Beit Hanun (Erez) Crossing is partially open to previously-coordinated humanitarian cases and foreign nationals.</li> </ul>
<p><b>GAZA</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Closure of Crossing Points:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) Al Muntar (Karnei) Crossing is closed.</li> <li>(ii) Ash Shuja’iya (Nahal ‘Oz) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 04 January 2010, the Crossing has been closed upon an Israeli unilateral decision.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<p><b>CENTRAL GAZA</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Events not reported.</li> </ul>
<p><b>KHAN YUNIS</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Events not reported.</li> </ul>
<p><b>RAFAH</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Closure of Crossing Points:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) Yasser ‘Arafat International Airport remains closed.</li> <li>(ii) Rafah (Al ‘Awdah) Crossing is open to allow patients, students, and civilians holding visas to depart the Gaza Strip. Access was also allowed to civilians and patients, who had received medical treatment at Egyptian hospitals.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(iii) Sufa Crossing is closed.</li> <li>(iv) Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is partially open for transportation of food supplies, humanitarian aid, diesel designated for the Gaza Electricity Generation Station, and cooking gas.</li> <li>• <b>Attack:</b> In the morning of 22 September 2010, the Israeli army opened fire from its location on the Green Line towards farmland on the outskirts of Ash Shoka town east of Rafah city.</li> </ul>
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### GENERAL

<b>POLITICAL PRISONERS</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Sentences:</b> The Israeli military court in Salem Detention Camp issued imprisonment sentences against the following political prisoners: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) Fawzi Qa'qour, a resident of Bal'a town in Tulkarem district, for a period of five years;</li> <li>(ii) Ali Ishtayyeh, a resident of Salem village in Nablus district, for a period of five years;</li> <li>(iii) Hindawi Qawariq, a resident of 'Awarta village in Nablus district, for a period of five years; and</li> <li>(iv) Iyas Jouri, a resident of Nablus city, for a period of five years. Additionally, three years of parole were added to Jouri's imprisonment, raising his sentence to eight years.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
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