

## مجموعة الرقابة الفلسطينية



## PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

## DAILY SITUATION REPORT

08:00, 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2011 – 08:00, 24<sup>th</sup> September 2011

## SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Killed	1	-	1	1 civilian killed during confrontations
Injury	23	-	23	incl. 10 children
Physical Assault	5	-	5	3 civilians incl. 1 child in Hebron
Detention	17	-	17	6 in Jerusalem & 5 in Jericho incl. 4 children
Temporary Detentions	14	-	14	At checkpoints and in residential areas
Raids	15	-	15	Incl.3 in Salfit & 6 in Hebron
Closure of Checkpoints	9	-	9	Access allowed at 3 checkpoints & impeded at 5 others
Flying Checkpoints	53	-	53	Incl. 9 in Qalqilya, 8 in Nablus, 10 in Salfit& 9 in Hebron.
Attacks	25	1	26	1 during raids,22 during confrontations,1 from military posts
Provocation of Palestinian Forces	1	-	1	Israeli Military Jeeps positioned near Palestinian Police in Hebron
Home Occupation	6	-	6	Israeli forces occupied a residential rooftop in Hebron& Nablus
Assault on Property	2	-	2	Israeli troops forcefully removed Palestinian Flags and Posters of civilian vehicles in Jericho.
Destruction of Property	7	-	7	Israeli settlers destroyed olive groves; damaged 4 civilian vehicles in Nablus & Hebron.
Wall Construction	15	-	15	Wall construction resumed in all districts.
Closure (per District)	8	-	8	Incl. 2 in Bethlehem,1 in Jerusalem & 5 Hebron
Closure of Main Roads	47	-	47	Incl.3 in Tulkarem, 9 in Nablus and 18 in Hebron
Closure of Crossings	-	6	6	Erez crossing opened for humanitarian aid
Settler Violence	11	-	11	Settlers raided several towns and villages, blocked off roads
Demonstrations	18	-	18	Marches in Support for Palestine's UN membership application
Palestinian Attack	-	1	1	Several projectiles fired towards the Green Line.
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>277</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>285</b>	

All Districts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>On September 23<sup>rd</sup> 2011, rallies were organized in many major cities and districts in support of the President's decision to apply for full membership at the United Nations General Assembly.</b></li> </ul>
<b>DISTRICT</b>	<b>EVENTS</b>

<b>JERUSALEM</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure:</u></b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) On September 23<sup>rd</sup> 2011 the Israeli army increased its restrictions at checkpoints located at the entrance to Jerusalem city, set up several flying checkpoints on the main road leading to the city entrance and the entrance to the Old City and prevented civilians under the age of 50 from other Palestinian districts from entering the city to perform Friday prayers at Al-Aqsa mosque Compound and positioned hundred of Israeli troops and police officers near Palestinian protest sites marching in solidarity with the President's decision to apply for membership at the United Nations.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to close the 'demarcation area' along the Wall in the area surrounding occupied East Jerusalem and restricts access to local residents as well as to civilians holding special permits.</li> <li>(iii) The Israeli army continues to impose a blockade and deny civilian access to a hill between Biddu and Beit Ikksa villages.</li> </ol> </li> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Main Roads:</u></b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks and dirt mounds the entrance to Jaba' village.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to close the gate along the Wall section separating the area of Dahiyat Al-Bareed from Al-Ram town.</li> <li>(iii) The Israeli army continues to close with an iron gate the eastern entrance to Beit Ikksa village and forces civilians to access Jerusalem city through Qalandiya checkpoint.</li> </ol> </li> <li>• <b><u>Checkpoints:</u></b> Israeli authorities continue to consider Qalandiya checkpoint a "border crossing point" and designate a special crossing lane for holders of Jerusalem IDs and another for those possessing permits to access Jerusalem city.</li> <li>• <b><u>Demonstrations:</u></b> At 12:15, Palestinian protesters and international peace activists marched in Jerusalem in support of the President's decision to apply for full membership at the United Nations General Assembly, during which confrontations ensued between protesters and Israeli forces, injuring 11 civilians including 6 minors &amp; 1 international peace activist. Several protesters suffered suffocation as a result of teargas inhalation and 1 civilian was detained.</li> <li>• <b><u>Detentions:</u></b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) On September 23<sup>rd</sup> 2011, Israeli forces detained 3 unidentified minors in Beit Hanina.</li> <li>(ii) On September 23<sup>rd</sup> 2011, Israeli forces detained Ahmad Taha (17 years) in Silwan neighbourhood.</li> <li>(iii) On September 23<sup>rd</sup> 2011, Israeli forces detained Hamza Jaber in Jerusalem.</li> <li>(iv) Israeli troops positioned at Qalandiya checkpoint detained an unidentified civilian.</li> </ol> </li> <li>• <b><u>Wall Gates:</u></b></li> </ul>
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks the Wall gate in Abu Dis town.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to deny civilian access through the Wall gate on Al-Shayyah road in the area between Al-Sawahira Al-Sharqiya and Al-Sawahira Al-Gharbiya villages, only allowing civilians holding Jerusalem IDs to cross, after subjecting them to thorough searches using electronic devices.</li> <li>• <b>Wall Construction:</b> Wall construction has resumed in the areas north and south of Qalandiya village; south of Al-Za'ayem village; and in Wadi Al-Eizariya west of the illegal settlement Ma'ale Adumim.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>RAMALLAH &amp; AL BIREH</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Closure of Main Roads:</b> The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Sinjil village as well as the junction to Kafr Malik and 'Ein Samiya villages.</li> <li>• <b>Flying Checkpoints:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 11:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance of Khirbet Al-Misbah village, searching civilians and vehicles until 11:20.</li> <li>(ii) At 17:05, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint between Abwein town and Ajjul village, searching civilians and vehicles.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Attack:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 12:25, Israeli forces positioned near Atara village fired rubber coated steel bullets, tear gas grenades towards civilian under the pretext of stoning.</li> <li>(ii) At 14:00, Israeli forces positioned near the wall in Beitunia fired rubber-coated steel bullets and teargas grenades towards several children.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Detentions:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 12:00, Israeli forces positioned near Mughayer village detained the civilian Rabah Abu Aliya.</li> <li>(ii) At 15:30, Israeli forces positioned near Sinjel town detained Mohammad Naim, a resident of Abwein.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Physical Assault:</b> At 09:10, Israeli forces severely beat Madar Abu Aliya as he was herding his sheep near a bypass road close to Mughayer village, leaving him hospitalised with severe contusions.</li> <li>• <b>Settler Violence:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 14:55, a group of Israeli settlers blocked the entrance to Shuqba village and withdrew under the protection of Israeli forces.</li> <li>(ii) At 18:55, a group of Israeli settlers raided El-Berih city and withdrew after intervention by Israeli forces.</li> <li>(iii) At 19:55, a group of Israeli settlers raided Al-Lubban Al-Gharbieh village and withdrew under the protection of Israeli troops.</li> <li>(iv) At 21:10, a group of Israeli settlers set fire to civilian vehicles near Al-Taiba village junction, connecting Jericho and Ramallah.</li> <li>(v) At 24:00, a group of armed Israeli settlers raided Yabrud village and fired sound grenades towards civilians then withdrew at a later time.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Demonstrations:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 13:20, Palestinian and international peace activists marched in Ni'lin and Bil'in villages to protest against the construction of the wall, during which confrontations took place between civilians and Israeli troops; several protesters suffered suffocation as a result of teargas inhalation.</li> <li>(ii) At 14:00, Palestinian protesters and international peace activists marched in Al-Nabi Saleh village to protest against settler violence, land confiscation and settlement construction. Israeli forces set up flying checkpoints at the village entrance, preventing protesters from reaching the demonstration site;</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

	<p>confrontations ensued between demonstrators and Israeli troops, who fired teargas grenades towards the protesters, injuring Jihad Al-Tamimi while several protestors were treated for tear gas inhalation.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Wall Construction:</b> Wall construction resumed in the area west of ‘Abud town in the area surrounding the illegal settlement ‘Ofarim and north of Al-Lubban Al-Gharbi and Rantis villages.</li> </ul>
JENIN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Closure of Main Road:</b> The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road leading to the town of ‘Arraba east of the illegal settlement Dotan.</li> <li>• <b>Flying Checkpoints:</b> At 18:00, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance of Al-Arqa village, searching civilians and vehicles until 18:30.</li> <li>• <b>Wall Gates:</b> Passage through the Wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits, which undercuts the access to education and health services for civilians living behind the Wall.</li> </ul>
TUBAS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Checkpoints:</b> The Israeli army continues to restrict Palestinian access to the Northern Jordan Valley through the Tayasir checkpoint to between the hours of 06:00 and 22:00.</li> </ul>
TULKAREM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Closure of Main Roads:</b> The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road connecting Kafr Al-Labad town to Shufa village.</li> <li>• <b>Checkpoints:</b> At 08:30 and again at 21:00 the Israeli army restricted Palestinian access at ‘Einav checkpoint on the Tulkarem-Nablus main road and impeded the free flow of traffic.</li> <li>• <b>Flying checkpoints:</b> At 14:15, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the junction of Faroun village, searching civilians and vehicles.</li> <li>• <b>Raids:</b> At 22:00, Israeli forces raided Zeita town and set up a flying checkpoint at the town’s entrance.</li> <li>• <b>Physical Assault:</b> At 01:25, Israeli forces severely beat Sultan Sabri and Tamer Barham, while the two were present inside Israel. They were both hospitalised.</li> <li>• <b>Wall Gates:</b> Passage through the wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits.</li> <li>• <b>Wall Construction:</b> Land levelling for adjustment of the Wall route resumed in the area surrounding Jubara village. According to an Israeli High Court decision, the new Wall route will be constructed west of the village.</li> </ul>
QALQILYA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Closure of Roads:</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) Israeli forces continue to close with cement blocks agricultural roads east of the town of ‘Azzun.</li> <li>(ii) In addition to closing the gate installed since the outbreak the second <i>Intifada</i>, the Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the eastern entrance to Kafr Qaddum village.</li> </ol> </li> <li>• <b>Flying checkpoints:</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 09:00, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance of Amietien village, searching civilians and vehicles.</li> <li>(ii) At 14:00 and again at 20:20, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance of Azzun village, searching civilians and vehicles.</li> <li>(iii) At 15:00, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance Izbat Al tib village, searching civilians and vehicles.</li> <li>(iv) At 17:20 and again at 01:40, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the</li> </ol> </li> </ul>

	<p>junction of Jit village, searching civilians and vehicles.</p> <p>(v) At 20:10, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance of Qalqilya city, detained several civilians and released them after removing Palestinian flags from their vehicles.</p> <p>(vi) At 20:20, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint near Nabi Saleh village on the main road connecting Qalqilya and Nablus, searching civilians and vehicles.</p> <p>(vii) At 22:15, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint near Azzun Atma village, searching civilians and vehicles.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Attack:</b> At 11:15, and again at 20:00 Israeli forces positioned at the entrance of Azzun town, fired rubber coated steel bullets and tear gas grenades towards several children under the pretext of stoning.</li> <li>• <b>Demonstrations:</b> At 13:30, Palestinian and international peace activists marched in Kufor Qaddum village to protest against the construction of the wall, during which confrontations erupted with the Israeli soldiers; several protesters suffered suffocation from teargas inhalation.</li> <li>• <b>Wall Gates:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to restrict access at ‘Azzun ‘Atma Wall gate and to search civilians, including students, using a metal detector.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to close with an iron gate the entrance to the village of Wadi Al-Rasha and to deny civilian access. The Israeli army allows residents to access the village through Gate #109. Having removed the 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> <li>• <b>Wall Construction:</b> Wall construction resumed in Kafr Laqif village north of Karnei Shomron settlement; in Immatin village northeast of Imanuel settlement; and east of Kafr Thulth town near Ma’ale Shomron settlement.</li> </ul>
NABLUS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Closure of Main Roads:</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 Qabalan town; the southern entrances to the town of Jamma’in and the villages of Duma and Qaryut.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Checkpoints:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) Al-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 between 07:00 and 02:00 only to residents of the neighbourhood.</li> <li>(ii) At ‘Awarta commercial checkpoint, civilians are only allowed to cross between 05:00 and 20:00, and between 05:00 and 15:00 on Fridays. All vehicles can access the city of Nablus, but only commercial vehicles and ambulances can leave the city through the checkpoint.</li> <li>(iii) At 21:10, Israeli forces closed Huwwara checkpoint, after detaining 2 civilians including a child, Ahmad Hashash, 17 years old and Sameh Hawalmeh under the pretext of having a suspicious object in their position, after realising them they reopened the checkpoint at 23:30.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Flying checkpoints:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 08:20, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the junction of Burin</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

	<p>village, searching civilians and vehicles.</p> <p>(ii) At 10:10, Israeli forces set up a flying a checkpoint between Nablus and Asira Al-Shimalia villages, searching civilians and vehicles.</p> <p>(iii) At 15:55, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the junction of “Yizahar” settlement near Jit village, impeded the free flow of traffic until 20:00 searching civilians and vehicles.</p> <p>(iv) At 18:05, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the junction of Deir Hatab village, searching civilians and vehicles.</p> <p>(v) At 18:10, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance of Deir Sharaf, searching civilians and vehicles.</p> <p>(vi) At 18:40, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance of Beit Furik.</p> <p>(vii) At 23:10, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the junction of Sabastiya village, searching civilians and vehicles.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Raids:</b> At 22:50, Israeli forces raided Burin village and occupied a rooftop and turned it into a military outpost and fired flash grenades in the air.</li> <li>• <b>Attack:</b> At 15:40, Israeli forces positioned near Askar refugee camp fired rubber coated steel bullets and teargas grenades towards civilians under the pretext of stoning.</li> <li>• <b>Settler Violence:</b></li> </ul> <p>(i) At 14:00, a group of armed Israeli settlers raided Qissra village and damaged several olive groves. Israeli forces fired teargas grenades and rubber-coated steel bullets towards civilians as they attempted to stop the settler attack, killing a civilian and injuring 8 others, including 2 children; 2 residents were also detained.</p> <p>(ii) At 21:10, a group of Israeli settlers raided Huwara village and attempted to destroy entrances to local businesses and destroyed the main gate to secondary school then withdrew under Israeli forces’ protection.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Killing:</b> Israeli forces killed Isam Badran while attacking the residents of Qissra who were attempting to stop an Israel settler attack.</li> <li>• <b>Detentions:</b> Israeli forces detained Amer Odeh and Ahmad Hussein in Qissra village</li> </ul>
SALFIT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Closure of Main Roads:</b></li> </ul> <p>(i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the entrance to two detour roads connecting Marda village to its farmland.</p> <p>(ii) Since 14 November 2010, the Israeli army has opened the northern entrance to Salfit city to civilian buses only. The entrance had been closed for seven years.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Checkpoints:</b> The Israeli army continues to close Za’tara checkpoint, obstructing the free flow of traffic.</li> <li>• <b>Flying Checkpoints:</b></li> </ul> <p>(i) At 11:00, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Bidya village, searching civilians and vehicles.</p> <p>(ii) At 11:10, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Harres village, searching civilians and vehicles until 22:00.</p> <p>(iii) At 11:25, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance of Deir Istiya, searching civilians and vehicles until 22:35.</p> <p>(iv) At 11:30, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Kifel Harris, searching civilians and vehicles.</p> <p>(v) At 18:20, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint between Salfit and Iskaka</p>

	<p>village, searching civilians and vehicles until 18:40.</p> <p>(vi) At 20:00, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Yasuf village, searching civilians and vehicles.</p> <p>(vii) At 22:05, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Deir Ballut village, searching civilians and vehicles.</p> <p>(viii) At 22:10, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint between Kifel Harres and Harres villages, searching civilians and vehicles.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Raids:</u></b> <p>(i) At 12:00, Israeli forces raided Deir Ballout village.</p> <p>(ii) At 21:00, Israeli forces raided Al-Zawiya village until 21:30.</p> <p>(iii) At 23:00, Israeli forces raided the area between Burqin and Kufor Al-Dik villages until 23:50.</p> </li> <li>• <b><u>Detention:</u></b> On September 23<sup>rd</sup> 2011, Israeli forces positioned near “Ariel” settlement detained Aqel Al-Dis and Fares Janajreh</li> <li>• <b><u>Settler Violence:</u></b> At 15:30, a group of Israeli settlers raided Zatara junction and stoned civilian vehicles passing through the checkpoint.</li> <li>• <b><u>Wall Construction:</u></b> Wall construction has resumed in the area north of Deir Istiya town southeast of the illegal settlement Emmanuel.</li> </ul>
<b>JERICHO</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Main Road:</u></b> The Israeli army continues to close Road # 90 between Jericho city and Al-Ouija village with cement blocks.</li> <li>• <b><u>Checkpoints:</u></b> <p>(i) Israeli forces continue to restrict access through Al-Hamra checkpoint set up along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus Districts, only allowing access to residents of Jericho District and the Jordan Valley area. And from 23:20 to 23:50, Israeli forces closed the checkpoint while searching the surrounding area.</p> <p>(ii) Israeli forces continue to restrict access at the checkpoint set up on the junction to Al-Ouija village, only allowing access to residents of the Jericho District and others with access permits.</p> </li> <li>• <b><u>Flying Checkpoints:</u></b> <p>(i) At 21:30 and again at 06:20, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the southern entrance to Jericho city, searching civilians and vehicles.</p> <p>(ii) At 23:45, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the junction of Al-Oja, searching civilians and vehicles.</p> </li> <li>• <b><u>Raids:</u></b> At 12:15 and again at 17:10, Israeli forces raided Al-Oja village, stormed a home and removed Palestinian flags and posters of the President that were hung on rooftops.</li> <li>• <b><u>Detentions:</u></b> <p>(i) At 01:40, the Israeli army detained Akram Barahma and Munther Abu Shoshaneer at the Dead Sea.</p> <p>(ii) At dawn on September 24<sup>th</sup> 2011, Israeli forces positioned near “Yakout” settlement detained Nawaf Jahalin, Oda Masaed and Mohammad Nawaty, residents of Al-Jiftlik.</p> </li> </ul>
<b>BETHLEHEM</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure:</u></b> <p>(i) The Israeli army continues to close roads to An Nu'man village, with the exception of the road leading to the Wall gate in the south-eastern area of the village.</p> <p>(ii) Since 15 September 2007, the Israeli army has prevented civilians from</p> </li> </ul>

	<p>accessing or staying on 22 <i>dunums</i> of confiscated land in Al Mazmuriya area in Beit Sahur and Bethlehem cities.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Closure of Main Roads:</b> The Israeli army continues to close the Beit Jala-Wadi Ahmed road; a road east of Beit Fajjar town; the road connecting Taqou town to Khirbet al Baqaa village; and the detour road connecting Wadi Fukin and Al-Jaba villages.</li> <li>• <b>Checkpoint:</b> At 09:15, Israeli forces increased restrictions at the “container” checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic.</li> <li>• <b>Flying Checkpoint:</b> At 09:40 and again at 23:35, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at Al-Nashaah junction, searching civilians and vehicles..</li> <li>• <b>Raids:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 20:25, Israeli forces raided Um Al-Rakaba neighbourhood in Al-Kahder village</li> <li>(ii) At 22:20, Israeli forces raided Alkhadir village until 23:05.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Attack:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 15:00, Israeli forces positioned near the Beit Fajar junction fired rubber-coated steel bullets and teargas grenades towards civilians allegedly in response to stone-throwing.</li> <li>(ii) At 07:55, Israeli forces positioned near Taqou village chased and opened fire towards a civilian vehicle, wounding Mohammad Ghanam and his 16 year-old daughter, Qamar.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Settler Violence:</b> At 07:55, a group of Israeli settlers opened fire towards several shepherds as they tended to their flock of sheep near Qusan village and withdrew under the protection of Israeli forces, who detained 3 of the shepherds.</li> <li>• <b>Demonstrations:</b> At 13:20, Palestinian and international peace activists marched in Al-Massra village to protest the construction of the wall; confrontations erupted and Israeli soldiers fired teargas grenades, causing 7 protesters to suffer suffocations.</li> <li>• <b>Wall Construction:</b> Wall construction resumed northwest of Beit Jala town.</li> </ul>
Hebron	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Closure:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close Al-Shuhada’ Street, Al-Sahleh and Khuzq Al-Far areas, as well as the old gold market in Hebron’s Old City. 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 electronic gate; Al-Laban Market also remains closed.</li> <li>(ii) Since 05 January 2009, the Israeli army has closed the area located along the Green Line south of the town of Yatta. Having seized land for Wall construction, the Israeli army evicted the Palestinian residents and denied them access to the area.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Closure of Main Roads:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Al-Dhahiriya and Al-Samoa’ towns, Al-‘Arrub refugee camp, and Al-Tuwani and Al-Karmil villages.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to prohibit Palestinian vehicles from travelling along the old Al-Shalala Street leading to Hebron’s Old City.</li> <li>(iii) The Israeli army continues to close all roads leading to Road # 60 as well as</li> </ul> </li> </ul>



- detour roads along the settler bypass road leading to Yatta town.
- (iv) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds a detour road leading to the entrance to Al-Simiya village.
  - (v) The Israeli army continues to close the bypass road leading to agricultural land near road #35& 60 North of Hebron with dirt mounds.
- **Flying Checkpoints:**
    - (i) At 08:00, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Al Dahiriya village, searching civilians and vehicles.
    - (ii) At 08:15 and again at 21:45, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Sair village, searching civilians and vehicles.
    - (iii) At 09:00, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint in Wadi Qabbun area north of Hebron, searching civilians and vehicles.
    - (iv) At 10:00, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Al-Nabi Younes, searching civilians and vehicles.
    - (v) At 10:10, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Wadi Al-Jouz near Bani Naim village, searching civilians and vehicles.
    - (vi) At 10:30, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance of Beit Kahel town.
    - (vii) At 13:55, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the Al-Fawar junction, searching civilians and vehicles.
    - (viii) At 22:10, Israeli force set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Halhoul village, searching civilians and vehicles.
  - **Raids:**
    - (i) At 10:35 and again at 15:45, Israeli forces raided Hebron city, occupied the rooftops of 2 homes and converted them into military posts..
    - (ii) At 13:45 Israeli forces raided Dura town.
    - (iii) At 14:15, Israeli forces raided Ithna village and positioned near Palestinian police vehicle and withdrew at 19:40.
    - (iv) At 17:20, Israeli forces raided Al-Rihiya village, during which confrontations ensued between civilians and Israeli troops as they stormed a home
  - **Attacks:**
    - (i) At 14:15, Israeli forces fired rubber-coated steel bullets and teargas grenades towards residents in Bani Naim village, allegedly in response to stone throwing.
    - (ii) At 16:50, Israeli forces fired rubber coated steel bullets and teargas grenades towards several children in Sair village allegedly in response to stone throwing.
    - (iii) At 18:30, Israeli forces fired rubber-coated steel bullets and teargas grenades towards civilians in Sair allegedly in response to stone throwing.
    - (iv) At 20:40, Israeli forces positioned near Al-Aroub refugee camp fired rubber-coated steel bullets and teargas grenades towards civilians allegedly in response to stone throwing.
    - (v) At 21:20, Israeli forces positioned in Hebron fired rubber-coated steel bullets and teargas grenades towards civilians allegedly in response to stone throwing.
  - **House Occupation:**
    - (i) At 10:35, Israeli forces occupied a home and converted it into a military outpost in Ithna town.
  - At 17:35, Israeli forces occupied Bahjat Al-Tabakhi's home and converted it into a

	<p>military outpost and severely beat Khalil Al-Tabakhi (12 years), leaving him with injuries that required hospitalization. <b><u>Settler Violence:</u></b></p> <p>(i) At 11:45, an Israeli settler vehicle ran over 8 year-old Arid Jabir, critically injuring him. Israeli forces then severely beat the children Mohammad Jabir and Yahiya Jabir as they attempted to intervene following the <b><u>hit and</u></b> run.</p> <p>(ii) At 22:00, a group of Israeli settlers positioned on Highway 60 east of Hebron city stoned civilian vehicles, damaging 4 vehicles.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Wall Construction:</u></b> Wall construction resumed in the area surrounding the illegal settlement Eshkolot, west of Al-Dhahiriya town .</li> </ul>
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## GAZA STRIP

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>ALL DISTRICTS</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• At 02:00 on 18 January 2009, the unilateral ceasefire declared by Israel came into effect. At a later time on the same day, armed Palestinian groups announced an agreement to cease fire. The ceasefire has been further renewed on 10 August 2011 at 21:00.</li> <li>• <b><u>Ceasefire Violation:</u></b> Israeli forces violated the ceasefire agreement by, raiding and opening fire in Gaza.</li> <li>• <b><u>Ceasefire Violation:</u></b> Palestinian gunmen violated the ceasefire agreement by launching projectiles towards the Green Line.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>NORTHERN GAZA</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Crossing Point:</u></b> Beit Hanun (Erez) is open for humanitarian assistance, journalists and international access.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>GAZA</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Crossing Points:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) Al-Muntar (Karni) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 02 March 2011, the Crossing has been effectively closed following a unilateral Israeli decision.</li> <li>(ii) Al-Shija'ya (Nahal 'Oz) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 04 January 2010, the Crossing has been closed following a unilateral Israeli decision.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Palestinian Attack:</u></b> On the evening of September 23<sup>rd</sup> 2011, Palestinian gunmen opened fire towards the border fence near the Green Line.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>RAFAH</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Crossing Points: (All Closed)</u></b></li> <li>• Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed.</li> <li>• Rafah (<i>Al 'Awdah</i>) Crossing is closed</li> <li>• Sufa Crossing is closed.</li> <li>• Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is closed</li> <li>• Al Awda crossing – Rafah is closed.</li> </ul>