# مجموعة الرقابة الفلسطينية



## PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

## **DAILY SITUATION REPORT**

08:00 13 November 2003 – 08:00 14 November 2003

#### **SUMMARY OF EVENTS**

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Injuries	6	_	6	Settler hit-and-run of 5 yr-old <sup>1</sup>
Attacks	4	4	8	
Raids	8		8	
Arrests (per person)	21		21	Incl. 16 year-old
Detentions	2		2	1320 laborers; college
Deportation	1		1	West Bank to Gaza, 2 yrs
Air Patrol	1	_	1	
Destruction of Property	2	_	2	Labor syndicate property
House Demolition	_	1	1	
Land Leveling	1	1	2	
Occupation of House	1	_	1	
Checkpoints	All		All	
Flying Checkpoints	2		2	
Closures (per District)	4		4	
Closure of Main Roads	Most	(3)	Most	
Closure of Gates	All	_	All	Permits required to cross
Closure of Crossing Points	_	5	5	2 Part-time
TOTAL	53	11	64	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Also, 63 year-old man shot.

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DISTRICT	EVENT
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## **WEST BANK**

JERUSALEM	<ul> <li><u>Separation Wall Construction</u>: Israeli authorities continue construction of the separation wall in the areas of Al Eizariya, Abu Dis and Al Sawahira.</li> <li><u>Arrests</u>: The Israeli army arrested 1320 civilians who either did not posses an Israeli permit to enter Jerusalem or are married to Jerusalemites but denied permits to live with their families in Jerusalem. All except 13 civilians were released.</li> </ul>
RAMALLAH & EL BIREH	<ul> <li>Raids: <ol> <li>At 24:00, the Israeli army, including 5 jeeps, raided Al Masyoun neighborhood in Ramallah city, surrounded the College of Science and Education, entered it and detained all the teachers and students present, including those in the dormitories, inspected their ID's and searched the buildings before withdrawing at 01:30.</li> <li>Arrests: The Israeli army arrested 4 students from the College of Science and Education in Ramallah: <ol> <li>Munthir Khabbas;</li> <li>Muhammad Ishtayyeh;</li> <li>Husam Al Suweiti; and</li> <li>Deeb Shamiyeh.</li> </ol> The Israeli army arrested: <ol> <li>Suheil Salim Sarsur, a 37 year-old resident of El Bireh city, at the Al Sheikh Hussein bridge although he holds a United States passport.</li> </ol> </li> </ol></li></ul>
JENIN	<ul> <li>Raids: <ol> <li>At 02:30, the Israeli army, heavily reinforced, raided the town of Qabatiya, south Jenin, and surrounded 2 houses, searched them and arrested 3 civilians before withdrawing at 04:00.</li> <li>At 02:30, the Israeli army, heavily reinforced, raided the city of Jenin opening fire randomly, and surrounded the eastern neighborhood. The Israeli army then broke into the labor syndicate headquarters, located in the center of the city, and vandalized some property and equipment before withdrawing at 06:00.</li> <li>Arrests: During their raid in the town of Qabatiya and the Israeli army arrested:</li> <li>Khaled Saba'na, 26 years old; and</li> </ol> </li></ul>

	(ii) Hakim Abu Al Rub, 40 years old.
JERICHO	Activity not yet reported.
BETHLEHEM	<ul> <li>Closures: <ol> <li>Bethlehem remains a closed military area.</li> <li>Al Nashash road (Bethlehem/Hebron) is closed.</li> <li>Al Khadr road (Bethlehem/the western villages) is closed to vehicles.</li> </ol> </li> <li>Checkpoint: At 16:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint near the eastern entrance to Beit Sahur, near Qabir Hilwa, where they searched vehicles and examined ID's.</li> <li>Injuries: A settler ran over a 5 year-old boy, Mu'tasim Abu Soy, and fled the scene. The child is in critical condition.</li> </ul>
TULKAREM	<ul> <li>Closure: The city of Tulkarem remains a closed military area.</li> <li>Checkpoint: At 11:20, an Israeli jeep patrolled the town of Anabta, detaining vehicles and provoking civilians.</li> <li>Air Patrol: At 08:10, 2 Israeli helicopters patrolled over the city at low latitude.</li> <li>Raid: At 17:00, the Israeli army entered the town of Attil and surrounded the house of Asa'ad Daqa (who was previously killed by Israeli soldiers), shot at house for approximately 25 minutes and arrested 2 civilians.</li> <li>Arrests: The Israeli army arrested 2 civilians from the town of Attil: <ol> <li>Muhammad Daqa, 24 years old; and</li> <li>Samir Ghaleb Abu Tamam, 16 years old.</li> <li>Occupation of Private Property: At 19:05, the Israeli army occupied a civilian apartment compound in the city, where it was reinforced by several APC's at 20:25.</li> </ol> </li> </ul>
NABLUS	<ul> <li><u>Closure</u>: Nablus remains a closed military area.</li> <li><u>Raid</u>: At 18:00, the Israeli army raided the village of Osarin at the time of evening prayers, provoking civilians and leading to confrontations in which the Israeli army opened fire and fired tear gas grenades injuring 2 civilians.</li> </ul>
HEBRON	<ul> <li>Raids:         <ul> <li>(i) The Israeli army raided the town of Yatta, south Hebron city, searched 20 houses and vandalized their contents. Meanwhile, the Israeli army opened fire, shooting an elderly man.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army raided the town of Idhna and arrested 1 civilian.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

	(iii) The Israeli army raided the city of Hebron and arrested 1 civilian.		
	• <u>Deportation</u> : At 18:05, the Israeli army deported Taha Ramdan Al Duweik, a 39 year-old civilian, to the Gaza Strip for 2 years.		
	<ul> <li>Injuries:         <ul> <li>The Israeli army shot 2 brothers driving a vehicle near the village of Tarqumiya, both of whom were hospitalized in Hebron:</li> <li>(i) Shadi Haltam, 20 years old, was shot in the lower back; and his brother,</li> </ul> </li> </ul>		
	(ii) Muhammad Haltam, 22 years old, was shot in the back.  The Israeli army in Yatta injured 1 civilian:  (iii) Issa Abu Zahra, 63 years old, who was shot in the shoulder.		
	<ul> <li>Arrests:         <ul> <li>(i) The Israeli army arrested Ahmad Ali Slimiya, 27 years old, from the town of Idhna.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army arrested Azzam Hassuna, 43 years old, from the city of Hebron.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>		
QALQILYA	Separation Wall Gates: Only civilians granted Israeli permits are allowed past the iron gates of the separation wall.		
SALFIT	<ul> <li><u>Closure</u>: Salfit is a closed military area.</li> <li><u>Destruction of Property</u>: At 13:00, the Israeli army uprooted olive trees from land belonging to the village of Kifl Haris, adjacent to the main road "Abir al Samira".</li> </ul>		

## **GAZA STRIP**

NORTHERN GAZA	Closure: The Erez crossing point is open to workers granted Israeli permits.
GAZA CITY	<ul> <li>Closures: <ol> <li>Al Shuhada' junction (Nitsareem) remains closed.</li> <li>Al Mintar crossing (Karni) is closed.</li> <li>Attack: At 15:35, the Israeli army opened fire from Point 71 westwards.</li> <li>Destruction of Property: At 03:15, the Israeli army, including 10 tanks and 3 bulldozers, entered from Al Shuhada' junction towards the area of the Gaza valley bridge, where they leveled 28 dunums of land, uprooting 150 citrus trees, and destroyed a cattle ranch before it withdrew at 06:00.</li> </ol> </li></ul>

### Destruction of Property: At 22:00, the Israeli army, including 6 APC's and 2 bulldozers, entered east of Al Bureij refugee camp, where they leveled 200 **CENTRAL** dunums of land. **GAZA** House Demolition: The Israeli army demolished a house located within the 200 dunums east of Al Bureij refugee camp. Attack: At 23:00, the Israeli army opened fire and fired a shell from the settlement of Kfar Daroom towards the north and west. Closures: **KHAN YUNIS** Abu Ajin road and the western road remain closed. (i) (ii) Abu Holi road is partially open. Closures: Rafah crossing is partially open. (i) **RAFAH** Sufa crossing is closed. (ii) The Gaza International Airport remains closed. (iii) Attack: At 01:40, the Israeli army opened fire from Point 6 towards Al Barazil neighborhood.