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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT 08:00, 6 th April 2013 – 08:00, 7 th April 2013 SUMMARY OF EVENTS				
EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Injury	7	_	7	2 in Ramallah, 4 in Bethlehem and 1 in Hebron including 2 children, and a woman.
Detention	11	_	11	1 in Ramallah, 1 in Nablus, 2 in Bethlehem and 7 in Hebron.
Temporary Detention	11	_	11	At checkpoints and residential areas including a Police Officer.
Raids	7	_	7	1 in Ramallah, 1 in Nablus, 2 in Bethlehem and 3 in Hebron.
Closure of Checkpoints	5	_	5	Ras Khamis checkpoint for the purpose of constructing the wall, access allowed at checkpoints around Jerusalem, impeded access at 4 others.
Flying Checkpoints	18	_	18	2 in Jerusalem,3 in Jenin, 4 in Tulkarem, 2 in Qalqiliya,2 in Nablus, 1 in Jericho, 1 in Bethlehem and 3 in Hebron.
Attack	6		6	During confrontations.
Provocation of Palestinian Forces	1	_	1	Israeli forces summoned a Security officer to report to Israeli intelligence for questioning in Bethlehem.
Destruction of Property	2	_	2	Israeli forces uprooted several olive trees planted by several International Peace Activists in Qusin village in Nablus and Israeli settlers destroyed several agricultural products in Jalud village in Nablus.
Wall Construction	_	_	_	Wall construction was halted for Sabbath holiday
Closure (per District)	8	_	8	Including 2 in Bethlehem, 1 in Jerusalem, 1 in Tubas and 5 in Hebron.
Closure of Main Roads	75	_	75	Including 3 in Tulkarem, 7 in Nablus, 24 in Bethlehem and 25 in Hebron.
Closure of Crossings	_	6	6	Rafah (Al 'Awdah) Crossing is open for the exit of patients, students, passengers with permits.
Settler Violence	5	_	5	Israeli settlers stoned vehicles near Al- Khan Al-Humra in Jerusalem and near Bet El junction in Ramallah, stormed Yasuf village in Salfit and Wadi Shahim area in

				Bethlehem
Demonstration	3		3	In Solidarity with Palestinian detainees and against Israeli checkpoints and closures.
TOTAL	159	6	165	

WEST BANK

• Closure:

- (i) The Israeli army intensified its restrictions at checkpoints located at the entrance to Jerusalem city, set up several flying checkpoints on the main road leading to the city and prevented worshipers from conducting prayers at Al-Aqsa mosque compound as a result prevented residents and workers including those with entry permits from entering Israeli and Jerusalem.
- (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.
- (iii) The Israeli army continues to impose a blockade and deny civilian access to a hill between Biddu and Beit Iksa villages.

• Closure of Main Roads:

- (i) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks and dirt mounds the entrance to Jaba' village.
- (ii) The Israeli army continues to close the gate along the Wall section separating the area of Dahiyat Al-Bareed from Al-Ram town.
- (iii) The Israeli army continues to close with an iron gate the eastern entrance to Beit Iksa village and forces civilians to access Jerusalem city through Qalandiya checkpoint.

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• Checkpoints:

- (i) 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 and at 16:00, Israeli forces closed the checkpoint impeded the free flow of traffic until 17:00.
- (ii) On September 19th 2012, Israeli forces closed Ras Khamis checkpoint near Shu'fat camp and impeded the free flow of traffic in order to construct the wall.

• Attack:

- (i) At 15:00, Israeli forces positioned near Qalandiya checkpoint fired rubber coated steel bullets and tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning.
- (ii) At 21:30, Israeli forces positioned near Shu'fat camp checkpoint fired rubber coated steel bullets and tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning.
- <u>Settler Violence</u>: At 23:55, Israeli settlers stoned vehicles near Khan Al-Humra along the road connecting Jericho and Jerusalem.
- **<u>Demonstration</u>**: On April 6th 2013, a demonstration took place near Bab Al-Amoud gate in the old city of Jerusalem in solidarity with Palestinian detainees and demanding their release from Israeli prisons.

• Wall Gates:

	(i) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks the Wall gate in
	Abu Dis town.
	(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-
	Slewahira Al-Gharbiya villages, only allowing civilians holding Jerusalem
	IDs to cross, after subjecting them to thorough searches using electronic
	devices.
	• Wall Construction: Wall construction was halted in the areas north and south
	of Qalandiya village; south of Al-Za'ayyem village; and in Wadi Al-Eizariya
	west of the illegal settlement Ma 'ale Adumim for Sabbath holiday.
	Closure of Main Roads:
	(i) The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Sinjil village well as
	the junction to Kafr Malik and 'Ein Samiya villages.
	• Raid: At 03:00, Israeli forces raided Awarta village.
	• Detention: At 21:15, Israeli forces detained Mohammad Odeh, resident of Deir
	Dibwan.
	• Attack: At 16:30, Israeli forces positioned near the entrance of Al-Jalazoun camp
RAMALLAH &	fired rubber coated steel bullets tear gas and stun grenades towards residents for
AL BIREH	alleged stoning and injured Wajdi Zayed.
AL DIREIT	• Settler Violence: At 16:30, Israeli settlers stoned vehicles passing along the main
	road near Al-Jalazoun camp and injured Bassam Khalid.
	• Demonstration : At 12:00, a demonstration took place in Ramallah city in
	solidarity with Palestinian detainees and demanding their release from Israeli
	prisons.
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	• Wall Construction: Wall construction was halted 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 for Sabbath holiday.
	• Closure of Main Road:
	(i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road leading to
	the town of 'Arraba east of the illegal settlement Dotan.
	(ii) Since the evening of November 25 th 2012, Israeli forces closed the western entrance of Ya'bad.
TENTENT	• Flying Checkpoints:
JENIN	(i) At 12:20, Israeli forces set up 2 checkpoints at the entrances of Ya'bad
	and Kafrit village.
	(ii) At 21:10, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Ya'bad,
	temporarily detained Mohammad Mitani and released him at a later time.
	Wall Gates: 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.
TUBAS	• <u>Checkpoints:</u> The Israeli army increased its restrictions on Palestinian access to
	the Northern Jordan Valley through the Tayasir checkpoint and prevented
	residents from entering the area.
	• <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u>
	(i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road connecting
	Kafr Al-Labad town to Shufa village.
	(ii) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the detour road
TULKAREM	leading to Ramin village along the Tulkarem-Nablus main road.
	• <u>Checkpoints:</u> At 10:30, the Israel army intensified its restrictions at Einav
	checkpoint on the Tulkarem-Nablus main road and impeded the free flow of
	traffic.
	• Flying Checkpoint:

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	(i) At 11:40, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Quffin.
	(ii) At 15:40, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Shufa
	village.
	(iii) At 21:10, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Beit Lid and Ummrin
	village junctions
	• Demonstration: At 11:00, several demonstrations took place near "Enav"
	checkpoint, and along the main road connecting Tulkarem and Nablus protesting
	against the killing of 2 children at the checkpoint and demanding the freedom of
	movement and removal of checkpoints during which Israeli forces prevented
	demonstrators from reaching the checkpoint and closed the checkpoint from 11:00
	until 21:00.
	• Wall Gates: Land leveling for adjustment of the Wall route was halted in the
	area surrounding Jubara village for Sabbath holiday. According to an Israeli
	High Court decision, the new Wall route is to be constructed west of the
	village.
	Closure of Roads:
	(i) Israeli forces continue to close with cement blocks agricultural roads east of
	Azzun town.
	(ii) In addition to closing the gate installed since the outbreak the second Intifada,
	the Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the eastern entrance to
	Kafr Qaddum village.
	• Flying Checkpoints:
	(i) At 21:50, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Al-Jit junction.
	(ii) At 07:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near Al-Nabi Elisa's village.
	• Wall Gates:
	(i) The Israeli army continues to restrict access at 'Azzun 'Atma Wall gate and to
	search civilians, including students, using a metal detector.
	(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
QALQILIYA	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.
	• Wall Construction:
	(i) Wall construction was halted in Kafr Laqif village north of Karnei
	Shomron settlement; in Immatin village northeast of Immanuel
	settlement; and east of Kafr Thulth town near Ma 'ale Shomron
	settlement for Sabbath holiday.
	(ii) On January 17 th 2013, Israeli forces levelled residential land located at
	the eastern entrance of Azzun Atma for the purpose of constructing
	the Wall in the area.
	(iii) On February 6 th 2013, Israeli military bulldozers levelled residential
	land in Jayyus for the purpose of Wall construction.
	Closure of Main Roads:
	(i) The Israeli army continues to close the roads of Til-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 Osrin; and the detour road between the town of Qabalan and the
	village of Osrin.
	(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.
NABLUS	Flying Checkpoint: (i) At 16:30 Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Dair Sharef junction
NADLUS	(i) At 16:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Deir Sharaf junction.
	(ii) At 23:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrances of Beit Furiq

	and temporarily detained Samuel Hani (a Palestinian Police officer) and released him at 00:10.
	• Raid: At 02:45, Israeli forces raided Nablus and detained a resident.
	• Detention: Israeli forced detained Tariq Al-Bana in Nablus.
	• <u>Destruction of Property:</u> At 12:40, Israeli forces prevented several International
	peace activists and residents from planting several olive trees in Qusin village and
	 uprooted several olive trees that were planted. Settler Violence: At 09:40, Israeli settlers stormed agricultural land in Jaloud
	village and destroyed several agricultural harvests owned by Fawzi Mohammad.
	Closure of Main Roads:
	(i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the entrance to two
	detour roads connecting Marda village to its farmland.
	(ii) On 15.04.2012, the Israeli army has opened the northern entrance to Salfit city
	to civilian which was closed since the year 2000 and prevented access from 08:00 until 09:20.
	(iii) Since 11:00 on July 30 th 2012, Israeli forces have closed two roads leading to
SALFIT	Abu Nasar and QatanAl-Jama' located in western area of Deir Istiya with
SALFII	cement blocks.
	• <u>Checkpoints:</u> Israeli forces intensified their restrictions at Za'tara Al-checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic.
	 Settler Violence:
	(i) At 12:30, Israeli settlers riding motorcycles stormed Salfit.
	(ii) At 22:50, 2 Israeli settlers riding a vehicle stormed Yasuf village.
	• Wall Construction: Wall construction was halted in the area north of Deir
	Istiya town southeast of the illegal settlement for Sabbath holiday.
	• Checkpoints: At 08:30Israeli forces intensified its restrictions at Al-Hamra
JERICHO	checkpoint set up along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus Districts, detained
JERICHO	Mohammad Abu Ara, a University student and released him at 0:30.
	• Flying Checkpoint: At 20:10, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint along road 90 in
	Al-Oja village. • Closure:
	(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.
	(ii) Since 15 September 2007, the Israel army has prevented civilians from accessing or staying on 22 dunums of confiscated land in Al Mazmuriya area
	in Beit Sahur and Bethlehem cities.
	• Closure of Main Roads:
	(i) The Israeli army continues to close the Beit Jala-Wadi Ahmed road; a road
	between Um Tuba and Al-Jass; a road between Um Tuba and Khilat Nu'man:
BETHLEHEM	a road between Um Tuba and the wall; a road between Al-Khas village and the wall; the 2 by pass roads located south of Al-Walaja; a road between Talita
	Qumi and Nazlat Al-Sider in Beit Jala; the eastern road of Al-Khader; the road
	between Al-Khader and Beit Jala; the road between Al-Khader and road #60
	which lead to the eastern neighbourhoods of Bethlehem; a road leading to
	Wadi Rahal, and a road east of Beit Fajjar town with dirt mounds.
	(ii) The Israeli army continues to close the road leading to "Newe Daniyyel" settlement and agricultural land in Al-Khader; a road between Um Tuba and
	Wadi Al-Hums: Wadi Fukin, Al-Jaba, the Green Line; a road between Za'tara
	and a detour road, and a road between Taqou and Khirbet Al-Deir with
	cement blocks.
	(iii) Since August 2 nd 2012, Israeli forces closed a road leading to Beit Jalla.
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• <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 09:45, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Beit Fajjar.

• Raid:

- (i) At 01:20, Israeli forces raided Beit Jalla.
- (ii) At 02:30, Israeli forces raided Husan village, stormed a home and summoned Jihad Al-Sha'er (National Security Officer) to report to Israeli intelligence for questioning.

• Attack:

- (i) At 15:40, Israeli forces positioned near Um Al-Rakaba area near Al-Nashash junction fired rubber coated steel bullets and tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning and injured 4 residents including 2 children and a woman: Mu'taz Izbeh (16 years old), Murad Khamour (17 years old), Amina Salah and Mohammad Masalmeh leaving them hospitalised with contusions and also left several others suffocated from tear gas inhalation.
- (ii) At 19:45, Israeli forces positioned near Al-Ayda camp in Bethlehem fired rubber coated steel bullets and tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning.

• <u>Detention:</u>

- (i) At 04:00 on April 6th 2013, Israeli forces detained Anas Nasrallah during their raid into Al-Ada camp as mentioned in the previous report.
- (ii) At 18:10, Israeli forces positioned at Container checkpoint detained Mohammad Raba'ya, a resident of Al-Obidiya.
- <u>Settler Violence:</u> At 22:15, Israeli forces stormed Wadi Shahin area in Bethlehem and withdrew at a later time.
- <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction was halted in North West of Beit Jala town for Sabbath holiday.

• Closure:

- (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.
- (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.

• Closure of Main Roads:

- (i) The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Al-Thahiriya and Al-Samoa' towns, Al-'Arrub refugee camp, and Al-Tuwani and Al-Karmil villages.
- (ii) The Israeli army continues to prohibit Palestinian vehicles from travelling along the old Al-Shalala Street leading to Hebron's Old City.
- (iii) The Israeli army continues to close all roads leading to Road # 60 as well as 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 e to Al-Simiya village, the southern entrance of Al-Samou' and the entrance of Beit Annun with cement blocks.
- (v) On July 25th 2012, Israeli forces closed the road connecting Al-Safa and Al-Dirat and also closed the entrance of south Yatta with cement blocks.
- (vi) On December 27th 2012, Israeli forces closed the west entrance of Swiesiya

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village which connects Yatta and Al-Samou' village with cement blocks.

• Flying Checkpoint:

- (i) At 10:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Wadi Qabbun area located in North Hebron.
- (ii) At 16:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Ithna junction.
- (iii) At 06:15, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Al-Fuwar camp until 07:45.

• Raid:

- (i) At 00:30, Israeli forces raided Hebron, stormed several homes and detained 3 residents.
- (ii) At 01:00, Israeli forces raided Surif and detained a resident.
- (iii) At 01:20, Israeli forces raided Beit Ulla village and detained a resident.

• Detention:

- (i) At 02:00 on April 6th 2013, Israeli police detained 2 residents near Ithna: Mohammad Abu Jahisha and Mohammad Al-Timiezy.
- (ii) Israeli forces detained Khalid Ahmour, Amar Al-Muhtasib and Ahmad Al-Awawi.
- (iii) Israeli forces detained Anas Al-Huwar in Surif.
- (iv) Israeli forces detained Diya' Al-Alamiya in Beit Ulla.
- <u>Attack:</u> At 17:10, Israeli forces positioned at Al-Urub camp fired rubber coated steel bullets and tear gas grenades toward residents in the camp and injured Khalid Al-Jindi
- <u>Temporary Detention:</u> At 13:00, Israeli forces positioned near Al-Tuwani camp located in east Yatta temporarily detained Hafith Al-Hirani until 20:10.
- <u>Wall Construction</u>: Wall construction continued in the area surrounding the illegal settlement Eshkolot, west of Al-Thahiriya town.

GAZA STRIP

 At 21:00 on November 21st 2012, 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. On November 14th 2011 Israeli forces placed floating marks 3 miles from Gaza's seashore and warned fishermen against passing beyond the mark and on November 24th 2012, Israeli forces imposed floating marks of 6 miles and on March 21st 2013 re imposed fishing restrictions of 3 miles.
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NORTHERN GAZA	Closure of Crossing Point: Beit Hanun (Erez) is closed
GAZA	 Closure of Crossing Points: Al-Muntar (Karni) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 02 March 2011, the Crossing has been effectively closed following a unilateral Israeli decision. Al-Shija'iya (Nahal 'Oz) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 04 January 2010, the Crossing has been closed following a unilateral Israeli decision.
RAFAH	 Closure of Crossing Points: Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed. Rafah (Al 'Awdah) Crossing is open for the exit of patients, students, passengers with permits. Sufa Crossing is closed. Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is closed.