

## مجموعة الرقابة الفلسطينية



## PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

## DAILY SITUATION REPORT

08:00 10 August 2006 – 08:00 11 August 2006

## SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Deaths	—	3	<b>3</b>	Incl. 1 female child in the district of Gaza
Injuries	4	1	<b>5</b>	Incl. 2 children
Air Attacks	—	3	<b>3</b>	Incl. 2 missiles fired by F16 aircraft
Attacks	5	10	<b>15</b>	Incl. 7 in raids and 6 from military posts
Raids	15	2	<b>17</b>	Incl. 4 in Ramallah and 4 in Bethlehem
Air Patrols	—	14	<b>14</b>	8 by F16 aircraft & 6 by helicopters
Arrests	7	—	<b>7</b>	Incl. 2 Palestinian security officers
Detentions	19	—	<b>19</b>	Incl. 2 children & 1 Pal. Police officer
House Demolitions	—	2	<b>2</b>	In Northern Gaza district & Gaza city
Wall Construction	27	—	<b>27</b>	Incl. Jer., Raml'h., Qalq., Salfit, Beth.
Confiscation of Property	1	—	<b>1</b>	1 pistol from a Pal. Police officer, Hebron
House Occupation	1	—	<b>1</b>	Roofs of a number of buildings, El Bireh
Curfew	1	—	<b>1</b>	Over a neighbourhood in El Bireh city
Closure of Checkpoints	10	—	<b>10</b>	Incl. Tayasir and Al Hamra partially
Flying Checkpoints	17	—	<b>17</b>	Incl. 2 in Ramallah and 8 in Jenin
Closure (per District)	6	—	<b>6</b>	Incl. 3 areas in the district of Hebron
Closure of Main Roads	41	—	<b>41</b>	Incl. 9 in Tulkarem and 9 in Hebron
Closure of Crossing Points	—	7	<b>7</b>	Incl. Beit Hanun & Rafah partially
Provocation of Pal. Forces	1	—	<b>1</b>	Taking position in front of 1 Police station
Palestinian Attacks	—	3	<b>3</b>	4 mortars fired towards the Green Line
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>200</b>	

DISTRICT	EVENT
<b>WEST BANK</b>	
<b>ALL DISTRICTS</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at checkpoints set up on the main roads connecting the West Bank districts, thereby isolating the northern districts from the southern districts as well as the Jericho district and the Jordan Valley from the remainder of the West Bank.</li> </ul>
<b>JERUSALEM</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Closure:</b> The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at checkpoints located at the entrances to the city of Jerusalem, in the old city of Jerusalem, and around Al Aqsa Mosque compound.</li> <li>• <b>Closure of Main Roads:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close the entrance opposite the junction to Dahiyat al Bareed in the city of Jerusalem with barbed wire and deny civilian access.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks the road connecting Dahiyat al Bareed to the town of Ar Ram.</li> <li>(iii) The Israeli army continues to close the eastern entrance to Dahiyat Bir Nabala with cement slabs, thereby completing the Wall section in the area.</li> <li>(iv) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks the entrance to the village of Jaba', which connects the village to the cities of Jerusalem, Ramallah, and Jericho.</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 for holders of Jerusalem IDs and those possessing permits to access the city of Jerusalem.</li> <li>• <b>Wall Gates:</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>Wall Construction:</b> Wall construction continues in Dahiyat al Aqbat, from the village of Hizma to 'Anata, along the Hizma-Jaba' road, the area of Al 'Eizariya to Ash Shayyah, near Al Quds University, in the town of As Sawahira ash Sharqiya, from the village of Beit Surik to Biddu, in the areas of Al Judeira, Bir Nabala, and Beit Hanina, west of the village of Al Jib, and in the vicinity of the village of Qatanna.</li> <li>• <b>Arrest:</b> The Israeli army arrested Hamzeh Mahmoud Nimer, a Palestinian National Security officer, in the village of Sur Bahir.</li> </ul>
<b>RAMALLAH &amp; EL BIREH</b>	<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 with dirt barricades the eastern entrance to the village of Sinjil and the road connecting Dahiyat al Mu'allimin to Al Jalazun refugee camp.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

	<p>(ii) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks the entrance to the village of Saffa as well as the Ramallah-Jericho road (the segment between the town of Silwad and the village of Yabrud).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Checkpoint:</b> The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at the checkpoint set up on the overpass to the town of 'Atara and to deny access to the city of Ramallah for civilians holding IDs issued in the northern districts of the West Bank.</li> <li>• <b>Wall Construction:</b> Wall construction continues in the areas of Al Midya to Budrus, Al Midya to Ni'lin, Bil'in to Saffa, in the village of Beit Liqya, in the town of Beituniya, and west of the town of 'Abud and the village of Beit Sira.</li> <li>• <b>Raids/Curfew/House Occupation/Detention:</b></li> </ul> <p>(i) Beginning at 01:15 on 10 August 2006, the Israeli army remained positioned in a neighbourhood in the city of El Bireh and continued to impose curfew as well as set up checkpoints on the city's internal junctions. While surrounding a building, an armed confrontation took place between the Israeli army and armed Palestinian individuals. In addition, the Israeli army occupied the roofs of a number of buildings, converted them into military posts, and arrested 2 civilians (whom the Israeli authorities describe as "wanted individuals"). At 13:00, the Israeli army withdrew from the area.</p> <p>(ii) At 02:00, the Israeli army, including 13 jeeps, raided the towns of Beit Rima and Deir Ghassana and patrolled the area until 03:00.</p> <p>(iii) At 03:00, the Israeli army raided the village of Kafr 'Ein and searched a number of houses, after detaining residents in the village's yard. The Israeli army also arrested 1 child and withdrew at 05:00.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Arrests:</b> The Israeli army arrested 2 civilians in a neighbourhood in the city of El Bireh: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) Iyad al Froukh; and</li> <li>(ii) Murad al Malhi.</li> <li>(iii) The Israeli army arrested 17-year-old Baha' Mohammed ash Shu'aybi in the village of Kafr 'Ein.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<b>JENIN</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Closure of Road:</b> The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the unpaved detour road leading to the town of 'Arraba east of the settlement of Dotan.</li> <li>• <b>Checkpoint:</b> The Israeli army continues to close Tayasir checkpoint east of the town of Tubas, denying civilian access to the Northern Jordan Valley, except for civilians whose IDs indicate that their place of residence is the Northern Jordan Valley. The Israeli army also continues to operate a surveillance camera in order to observe the area surrounding the checkpoint.</li> <li>• <b>Wall Gates:</b> Passage through the Wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits.</li> <li>• <b>Flying Checkpoints/Attack:</b></li> </ul> <p>(i) At 16:05, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to the village of Al Kufeir and searched civilians and vehicles.</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(ii) At 16:20, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the junction to the town of 'Arraba, searched civilians and vehicles, and opened indiscriminate fire.</li> <li>(iii) At 18:00, the Israeli army set up 2 flying checkpoints, one in the area of As Suweitat east of the city of Jenin and the other at the entrance to the village of Fahma, and searched civilians and vehicles.</li> <li>(iv) At 08:00, the Israeli army set up 4 flying checkpoints: 1 on the junction to the town of 'Arraba and 3 at the entrances to the towns of Az Zababida and Tammun as well as the village of Al Kufeir. Israeli troops positioned at these flying checkpoints searched civilians and vehicles.</li> <li>• <b><u>Raid/Injuries:</u></b> At 16:00, the Israeli army, including 2 jeeps, raided the town of Az Zababida. While patrolling the area, confrontations took place between the Israeli army and civilians, during which the Israeli army injured 2 children.</li> </ul>
TULKAREM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure:</u></b> The Israeli army continues to declare the district of Tulkarem a closed military zone and to impede civilian access to and from the district.</li> <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 following roads: the Dahiyat Dhinnaba- Kafr al Labad road; the Kafr al Labad-Shufa road; the southern entrance to the town of Baqa ash Sharqiya; the entrance to the village of Saffarin; the Kafr Sur-Wadi at Tin road; and the road connecting the town of Deir al Ghusun to 'Attil plain. The Israeli army also continues to close with cement blocks the road connecting the town of Beit Lid to the village of Kur.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the entrance to the village of Ramin as well as the road to the village's plain.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Checkpoints:</u></b> The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at 'Einav checkpoint on the Tulkarem-Nablus road as well as at Jubara checkpoint (the southern entrance to the city of Tulkarem) and to deny access to civilians under 35 years of age. At 'Einav checkpoint, the Israeli army has confined crossing times to the period between 07:00 and 17:00 every day.</li> <li>• <b><u>Wall Gates:</u></b> Passage through the Wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits.</li> <li>• <b><u>Raids/Attack/Injury/Detentions:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 21:30, the Israeli army, including 10 jeeps, raided Dahiyat Dhinnaba in the city of Tulkarem. While surrounding and searching a house, the Israeli army opened fire, injuring 1 civilian. The Israeli army also arrested 1 civilian, detained 2 children, and released them at a later time. At 22:20, the Israeli army withdrew from the area.</li> <li>(ii) At 04:00, the Israeli army raided Nur Shams refugee camp, searched 1 house, detained 1 civilian, and released him at 08:00.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Arrest:</u></b> The Israeli army arrested Jihad Ibrahim Anees in Dahiyat Dhinnaba in the city of Tulkarem.</li> </ul>

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>QALQILIYA</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 cement blocks the northern entrance to the town of ‘Azzun as well as the agricultural roads east of the town.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the eastern entrance to the village of ‘Izbat at Tabib.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Wall Gates:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) Passage through the Wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at ‘Azzun ‘Atma Wall gate and to search civilians, including students, with a metal detector.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Wall Construction:</u></b> Land levelling for Wall construction continues in the village of Immatin and east of the towns of Kafr Thulth and ‘Azzun.</li> <li>• <b><u>Flying Checkpoint:</u></b> At 08:30, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint near the town of ‘Azzun on the Qalqiliya-Nablus main road and searched civilians and vehicles.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>NABLUS</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 the Jenin-Nablus main road between the junction to the village of Deir Sharaf and the settlement of Shavei Shomron.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades Al Badhan road, which is the north-eastern entrance to the city of Nablus.</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) Huwwara and Beit Iba checkpoints (set up at the southern and western entrances to the city of Nablus respectively) are closed at 23:00. Access to civilians between 15 and 30 years of age as well as holders of IDs issued in the districts of Jenin and Tulkarem is denied.</li> <li>(ii) Al Badhan checkpoint (set up at the eastern entrance to the city of Nablus) remains closed with dirt barricades.</li> <li>(iii) Nablus-‘Asira ash Shamaliya checkpoint (set up at the northern entrance to city) is open from 06:30 to 20:00.</li> <li>(iv) At Tur neighbourhood checkpoint (set up on Jirzim 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.</li> <li>(v) Beit Furik checkpoint is open to civilian residents of the town of Beit Furik and the village of Beit Dajan until 17:30.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Injury:</u></b> Israeli troops positioned at the Za’tara junction checkpoint opened fire towards and injured Hussam ‘Adnan ‘Awwad. At 02:05, ‘Awwad was admitted to Nablus Public Hospital.</li> <li>• <b><u>Detentions:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 14:40, Israeli troops positioned at Beit Iba checkpoint detained Hussam Mohammed Mas’oud, a Palestinian Police officer, and released him at 18:00.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

	<p>(ii) At 15:30, Israeli troops positioned at Beit Iba checkpoint detained Nadeem Ikrrayem Bushnaq, a university student, and released him at 19:00.</p>
<b>SALFIT</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Closure of Main Roads:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army has continued to close the main north-western entrance to the city of Salfit with dirt barricades since the beginning of the current <i>Intifada</i> (Uprising).</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the western entrances to the towns of Bruqin and Deir Istiya and to the village of Marda. The Israeli army also continues to close with cement blocks the western entrance to the town of Kafr ad Dik.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Checkpoints:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at Deir Ballut checkpoint and to deny civilian access to the town of Kafr ad Dik.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at the Za'tara junction checkpoint and to deny access to civilians under 35 years of age.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Wall Construction:</b> Wall construction continues near the Green Line in the town of Deir Ballut and the villages of Az Zawiya and Rafat, northwest of the city of Salfit, and in the village of Marda and the town of Kifl Haris north of the settlement of Ari'el.</li> </ul>
<b>JERICHO</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Closure:</b> The Israeli army continues to close Road # 90 between the city of Jericho and the village of Al 'Auja with cement blocks and to prevent farmers not holding Jericho Governorate IDs from reaching their land, forcing them to apply for access permits. The Israeli army also continues to deny access to the city to holders of Israeli-issued IDs.</li> <li>• <b>Checkpoint:</b> The Israeli army continues to close Al Hamra checkpoint set up on the Jericho-Nablus road, denying civilian access, except for farmers holding Jericho IDs.</li> <li>• <b>Flying Checkpoints:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 23:20, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to the village of 'Ein ad Duyuk and denied civilian access until 00:15.</li> <li>(ii) At 01:45, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the junction to the settlement of Vered Yericho and searched civilians and vehicles.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Raid:</b> At 02:35, the Israeli army raided 'Aqbat Jaber refugee camp, searched 1 house, and arrested 1 civilian.</li> <li>• <b>Arrest:</b> The Israeli army arrested Fadi Mohammed 'Awadh in 'Aqbat Jaber refugee camp.</li> </ul>
<b>BETHLEHEM</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Closure:</b> 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. The Israeli army considers the civilians' residence in the village illegal because they hold West Bank identity cards while their village is located within the Israeli-defined municipal boundaries of Jerusalem.</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Main Roads:</u></b> The Israeli army continues to close all roads to Road # 60 leading to the city of Jerusalem, thereby isolating the city of Bethlehem from its towns and villages located west of Road # 60.</li> <li>• <b><u>Checkpoint:</u></b> The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at As Sawahira ash Sharqiya (the “Container”) checkpoint and to deny access to civilian vehicles, except for those possessing access permits.</li> <li>• <b><u>Wall Construction:</u></b> Wall construction continues in the area northwest of the town of Al Khadr, north of ‘Ayda refugee camp, and northwest of the city of Beit Jala.</li> <li>• <b><u>Flying Checkpoint:</u></b> At 18:10, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the junction to the town of Al ‘Ubeidiya and searched civilians and vehicles.</li> <li>• <b><u>Raids/Provocation of Palestinian Forces:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 13:30, the Israeli army, including 2 jeeps, raided the town of Al ‘Ubeidiya, took position in front of the town’s Palestinian Police station, and patrolled the area.</li> <li>(ii) At 13:50, and again at 23:20, the Israeli army, including 2 jeeps, raided the town of Al Khadr.</li> <li>(iii) At 20:30, the Israeli army, including 2 jeeps, raided and patrolled the city of Bethlehem.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>HEBRON</b></p>	<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 following locales in the old city of Hebron: Ash Shuhada’ Street and the area of As Sahleh with cement blocks and barbed wire; the old gold market with an iron gate; the area of Khuzq al Far near the settlement of Abraham Avino with a dirt barricade and an iron gate; and the entrance to the area of Al Khan with an electronic gate, isolating the area from Al Laban Market and the area of As Sahleh.</li> <li>(ii) Although it expired on 07 May 2006, the Israeli army continues to implement a military order stipulating the prohibition of civilian vehicles from travelling along the road connecting the settlement of Kiryat Arba’ to the Ibrahimi Mosque in the old city of Hebron unless they possess access permits.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Main Roads:</u></b> The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the following locales: the area of Al Hawawir leading to the town of Halhul; the area of Al Fahs south of the city of Hebron; the junction to the area of Farsh al Hawa leading to Road # 35 northwest of the city of Hebron; the entrance to the village of Beit ‘Einun; Al Baq’a junction south of the town of Beit ‘Awwa; and the entrance to the village of ‘Arab ar Ramadin. The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks the entrance to Al Qeisi neighbourhood in the old city of Hebron.</li> <li>• <b><u>Wall Construction:</u></b> Wall construction continues: in the area between the towns of Beit Ula and Idhna (a 2-km-long section between the area south of the town of Beit Ula and Tarqumiya Crossing Point); in the village of Ar Ramadin (the remaining section of the Wall route that separates the settlement of Eshkolot from the village of Ar Ramadin); and near the village of Imneizil southeast of the town of Yatta.</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <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 in the area of Bir al Mahjar in the city of Hebron and searched civilians and vehicles.</li> <li>(ii) At 24:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the junction to the village of Kharsa and searched civilians and vehicles until 03:00.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Raids/Confiscation of Property:</u></b> At 10:00, the Israeli army, including 2 jeeps, raided and patrolled the city of Hebron. At 21:00, the Israeli army raided the city again, set up a checkpoint, searched civilians and vehicles, arrested 1 Palestinian Police officer, and confiscated his pistol. At 02:00, the Israeli army raided the city for the third time and patrolled the area.</li> <li>• <b><u>Arrest:</u></b> The Israeli army arrested Idrees al Ja'bari, a Palestinian Police officer, in the city of Hebron.</li> </ul>
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### GAZA STRIP

<b>ALL DISTRICTS</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Beginning on 25 June 2006, the Israeli army has reinforced the concentration of its armed forces along the northern and eastern borders of the district of Northern Gaza and imposed a sea blockade that has prevented Palestinian fishing boats from sailing. Beginning on 28 June 2006, the Israeli army has also reinforced the concentration of its armed forces along the eastern border of the district of Rafah.</li> <li>• At 00:20, Israeli F16 combat aircraft and combat helicopters patrolled the skies over the Gaza Strip districts.</li> </ul>
<b>NORTHERN GAZA</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Crossing Point:</u></b> Beit Hanun (Erez) Crossing is partially open only to foreign nationals, VIPs, and humanitarian cases.</li> <li>• <b><u>Air Attacks:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 00:30, an Israeli combat helicopter fired 1 missile towards an unidentified target east of Jabalya refugee camp.</li> <li>(ii) At 00:40, an Israeli F16 combat aircraft fired 2 missiles that targeted a house east of Jabalya refugee camp, after the Israeli army had notified (by telephone) its residents to evacuate. As a result, the house was destroyed.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>House Demolition:</u></b> The house that was destroyed east of Jabalya refugee camp belongs to Na'im Abu al Ful.</li> <li>• <b><u>Raid:</u></b> At 20:15, the Israeli army raided Palestinian territory near Points 6 and 7 on the Green Line north of the town of Beit Lahiya.</li> <li>• <b><u>Expulsion:</u></b> At 12:00, the Israeli army demanded (by telephone) that Bilal ash Shinbari evacuate his house in the town of Beit Hanun in order to shell the house.</li> <li>• <b><u>Palestinian Attacks:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 21:15, 1 unidentified mortar was fired towards the Green Line, but it landed on Palestinian territory.</li> <li>(ii) At 22:30, 1 unidentified mortar was fired towards the Green Line, but it landed on Palestinian territory.</li> <li>(iii) At 07:30, 2 unidentified mortars were fired towards the Green Line, of which 1 mortar landed on Palestinian territory.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<b>GAZA</b>	<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 (Karnei) Crossing is closed.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>



	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(ii) Ash Shuja'iyah (Nahal 'Oz) Crossing is closed.</li> <li>• <b>Air Attack:</b> At 01:40, an Israeli F16 combat aircraft fired 1 missile that targeted a house east of Ash Shuja'iyah neighbourhood east of Gaza city, after the Israeli army had notified (by telephone) its residents to evacuate. As a result, the house was partially destroyed.</li> <li>• <b>House Demolition:</b> The house that was partially destroyed east of Ash Shuja'iyah neighbourhood east of Gaza city belongs to Younes Mihsen.</li> <li>• <b>Attack/Injury:</b> At 19:50 on 09 August 2006, the Israeli army fired 1 missile mortar towards a training site belonging to an armed Palestinian group near An Nafaq Street east of Gaza city, killing 2 armed Palestinian individuals as well as 1 female child bystander. The Israeli attack also resulted in the injury of 1 civilian.</li> <li>• <b>Killings:</b> The Israeli army killed 1 female child and 2 armed Palestinian individuals east of Gaza city: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) Raja' Abu Sha'ban, a female child;</li> <li>(ii) Ramadhan Majdalawi; and</li> <li>(iii) Ahmed al Mis'hal.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Air Patrol:</b> At 01:50, Israeli F16 combat aircraft patrolled the skies over Gaza city.</li> </ul>
<b>CENTRAL GAZA</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Attack:</b> At 21:00, Israeli navy boats opened fire towards the beach west of An Nuseirat refugee camp.</li> </ul>
<b>KHAN YUNIS</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Attacks:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 10:35, the Israeli army fired 5 artillery shells from its locations inside the Green Line towards the area of Al Fakhari east of the city of Khan Yunis.</li> <li>(ii) At 23:45, the Israeli army opened fire from Point 164 on the Green Line towards Palestinian territory east of the village of 'Abasan as Saghira.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<b>RAFAH</b>	<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 Crossing is partially open. At 10:00, Rafah Crossing was opened to civilians stranded on the Egyptian side of the Crossing (whether departing or arriving). At 15:20, the Crossing was re-closed.</li> <li>(iii) Sufa Crossing is closed.</li> <li>(iv) Karm Abu Salim (Karem Shalom) Crossing is closed.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Attacks:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 10:30, the Israeli army fired a number of artillery shells from its locations inside the Green Line towards the area of Ash Shuka east of the city of Rafah.</li> <li>(ii) At 00:40, the Israeli army opened fire from its location at Yasser 'Arafat International Airport towards civilian houses east of the city of Rafah.</li> <li>(iii) At 05:40, the Israeli army opened fire and fired a number of tank shells from its location at Yasser 'Arafat International Airport towards civilian houses east of the city of Rafah.</li> <li>(iv) At 05:45, the Israeli army fired 30 artillery shells from its locations inside the Green Line towards Palestinian territory north of Sufa Crossing, which is located east of the city of Rafah.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

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|  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b><u>Raid:</u></b> Beginning at 18:20 on 07 August 2006, the Israeli army has remained positioned in and around Yasser ‘Arafat International Airport east of the city of Rafah and opened indiscriminate fire towards the area east of the city of Rafah. The Israeli army remains positioned in the area as of 08:00 this morning.</li></ul> |
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