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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT

08:00 14 February 2004 – 08:00 15 February 2004

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Attacks	3	2	5	Incl. Pal. Nat. Security post
Raids	7	2	9	
Arrests (per person)	3	—	3	Incl. 1 officer
House Demolitions	1	—	1	Incl. warn. for 3 houses, Tqou
Destruction of Property	—	1	1	Partial demolition of wall
Land Confiscation	1		1	
Curfew	1	—	1	
Checkpoints	All	—	All	
Flying Checkpoints	4	—	4	
Closures (per District)	2	—	2	Incl. Mawassi, Khan Yunis
Closure of Main Roads	Most	(4)	Most	Esp. connecting governorates
Closure of Wall Gates	All	—	All	Permits required to cross
Closure of Crossing Points	—	4	4	1 Partially open to workers
Palestinian Attack	—	1	1	Mortars towards Green Line
TOTAL	22	10	32	

DISTRICT	EVENT
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WEST BANK

JERUSALEM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure: The Israeli army prevented civilians from other districts from entering Jerusalem. The Israeli authorities continue to intensify restrictions on movement at the entrances of the city and its neighborhoods. • Separation Wall Construction: Construction of the separation wall in Al Eizariya, Abu Dis and Al Sawahira was suspended due to a snowstorm.
RAMALLAH & EL BIREH	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Separation Wall Construction: Construction of the western portion of the separation wall in Budrus and Rantis was suspended due to a snowstorm. • Raids: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 13:20, the Israeli army, supported by 2 jeeps, raided the city of El Bireh and arrested 1 Palestinian Presidential Security officer. (ii) At 19:50, the Israeli army, supported by 2 jeeps, raided the village of Kafr 'Ein. • Arrest: The Israeli army arrested Imad Al Kilani in the city of El Bireh.
JENIN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Separation Wall Gates: Passage through the separation wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits. The closure continues to negatively impact education, economic and livelihood activities and impede access to health facilities. • Separation Wall Construction: Construction in the northern valleys (Bardala, and 'Ein al Beida) and east of Tubas (Al Mutilla, Al Mughayyir, the outskirts of Raba, and Al Buqei' plateau) was suspended due to a snowstorm. • Land Confiscation: The Israeli military served Rafi' Towfiq Jarrar with military orders confiscating privately owned land in Jenin. The military order stated that his land was being confiscated for military purposes. • Raid/ House Demolition: At 02:00, the Israeli army, heavily reinforced, raided the town of Yamun, imposed curfew, searched 2 houses, arrested 2 civilians and demolished the house of one of those arrested. The Israeli army withdrew at 07:00. • Arrests: The Israeli army arrested 2 civilians in the town of Al Yamun: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Tarad Abahra, 19 years old; and (ii) Ashraf Fureihat, 22 years old.

JERICHO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Activities not yet reported.
BETHLEHEM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • House Demolitions: The Israeli army served 3 demolition orders to the owners of 3 houses in Tqou, despite the fact that the house owners had previously obtained a temporary injunction for demolitions from the Israeli High Court of Justice. The 3 houses belong to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Osama Fowzi; (ii) Isa Isa; and (iii) Samir Isa.
TULKAREM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Flying Checkpoints: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 08:10, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the junction of the town of Bal'a, detained vehicles, examined passenger IDs and obstructed the movement of traffic. (ii) At 10:20, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the dirt road between the towns of Bal'a and Atara. (iii) At 11:30, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the junction of the village of Ramin, detained vehicles, examined passenger IDs and obstructed the passage of civilians to Tulkarem. (iv) At 20:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint between the towns of Deir Ghusun and Attil, searched vehicles and harassed civilians. • Separation Wall Gates: Passage through the separation wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits. The closure continues to negatively impact education, economic and livelihood activities and impede access to health facilities. • Raids: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 24:00, the Israeli army, including 3 jeeps, raided Tulkarem refugee camp. (ii) At 00:10, the Israeli army raided the city, took position opposite Al Muqata'a and opened indiscriminate fire. (iii) At 00:20, and again at 01:00, the Israeli army raided the city, took position near the house of the Mayor of Tulkarem and opened indiscriminate fire. (iv) At 00:30, the Israeli army, including 2 military personnel carriers and 4 jeeps, raided the entrance of the town of Attil and opened fire towards civilian houses.
NABLUS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Activities not yet reported.

HEBRON	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Activities not yet reported.
QALQILYA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Separation Wall Gates: Passage through the separation wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits. The closure continues to negatively impact education, economic and livelihood activities and impede access to health facilities.
SALFIT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Activities not yet reported.

GAZA STRIP

NORTHERN GAZA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure: The Erez crossing was partially open to workers. • Palestinian Attacks: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 14:00, the Palestinian National Security arrested 5 civilians who were attempting to illegally cross the Green Line. (ii) At 19:15, 1 Qassam mortar was fired towards the Green Line. (iii) At 21:10, 2 Qassam mortars were fired towards the Green Line. Both mortars landed in Palestinian Territory.
GAZA CITY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The junction of Nitsareem remains closed. (ii) Al Muntar crossing is closed.
CENTRAL GAZA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Activities not yet reported.
KHAN YUNIS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Abu al Ajin road (Khan Yunis Al Sharqiya) remains closed. (ii) Western road (Khan Yunis) remains closed. (iii) Khan Yunis/Al Mawasi road remains closed. (iv) Abu Holi road is open. • Raid: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 22:40, the Israeli army, including 4 military personnel carriers, 1 APC and 3 jeeps, raided from Point 12.5 the area of Qizan Abu Rashwan. (ii) At 23:30, the Israeli army, including 5 tanks and 4 jeeps, entered

	from Point 12.5 towards the area of Al Mukabbir, opened intensive fire and withdrew at 05:00, after levelling a wall.
RAFAH	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Closure:<ul style="list-style-type: none">(i) The Gaza International Airport remains closed.(ii) The Sufa crossing is closed.• Attack: At 18:40, the Israeli army, located near the Sufa crossing, opened intensive fire several times towards a Palestinian National Security location.