

PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT

08:00, 23rd September 2014 – 08:00, 24th September 2014

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Injury	16		16	1 in Nablus and 15 in Hebron including 3 children.
Physical Assault	3		3	Israeli forces assaulted and injured 2 residents as they attempted to enter Jerusalem and assaulted another resident at Kafr Qassim checkpoint in Salfit.
Raids	7		7	1 in Ramallah, 2 in Qalqiliya, 3 in Nablus and 1 in Hebron.
Detention	6		6	4 in Tulkarem, 1 in Nablus and 1 in Hebron.
Temporary Detention	11		11	At checkpoints and residential areas including a Security Force officer.
Closure of Checkpoints	6		6	Ras Khamis checkpoint for constructing the wall, access allowed at checkpoints around Jerusalem, impeded access at 5 others.
Flying Checkpoints	25		25	4 in Jerusalem,2 in Ramallah, 1 in Jenin, 1 in Tubas,1 in Qalqiliya, 7 in Nablus,2 in Salfit,3 in Jericho, 3 in Bethlehem and 1 in Hebron.
Attack	8		8	7 during confrontations between Israeli forces, residents, and 1 from Military Checkpoint.
Destruction of Property	1		1	Israeli settlers damaged a bus after stoning it near "Yitsahar" settlement in Nablus.
Confiscation of Property	1		1	Israeli forces positioned at "Movo Dotan" checkpoint in Jenin confiscated a Security Force officer's identification card.
Closure (per District)	10		10	Including 2 in Bethlehem, 1 in Jerusalem, 1 in Tubas and 5 in Hebron.
Closure of Main Roads	76		76	Including 4 in Tulkarem, 7 in Nablus, 24 in Bethlehem and 25 in Hebron.
Closure of Crossings		4	4	(Erez) Beit Hanun Crossing is open for the entry of emergency and Humanitarian cases. Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is open for the entry of tourist and foreign diplomats and the entry of Humanitarian assistance and construction material funded by UNRWA.
Assault on Places of Worship	1		1	Israeli forces closed the main entrance gates leading to Al-Aqsa mosque compound only allowing women and residents above the age of 45 from entering the mosque.
Settler Violence	2		2	Israeli settlers positioned near Bet El settlement stoned residents and vehicles in Ramallah and stoned a bus in Nablus.
Total	173	4	177	

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	 <u>Closure:</u> (i) The Israeli army, intensified their restrictions at the entrance to Jerusalem city, set up several flying checkpoints on the main road leading to the city and prevented worshipers under the age of 50 from conducting prayers at Al-Aqsa mosque compound. (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.
	 <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> (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 with an iron gate the eastern entrance to Beit Iksa village and forces civilians to access Jerusalem city through
	Qalandiya checkpoint.
	• <u>Checkpoints:</u> (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 closed the checkpoint at 01:20 and impeded the free flow of traffic until 04:05.
JERUSALEM	(ii) On September 19 th 2012, Israeli forces closed Ras Khamis checkpoint near Shu'fat camp and impeded the free flow of traffic in order to
	construct the wall.
	 Flying Checkpoint: (i) At 00:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the North Junction of Al-Ram until 02:45. (ii) At 01:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Wadi Al-Juz
	neighbourhood in Jerusalem.
	• Physical Assault: At 09:10, Israeli forces assaulted two residents: Lu'ai Al-Bathan and Mahmoud Abu Mifrih (Both residents of Bethlehem) and injured them with contusions as they were attempting to enter Jerusalem.
	• <u>Assault on Places of Worship</u> : At dawn on September 23 rd 2014, Israeli forces closed the main entrance gates leading to Al-Aqsa mosque compound only allowing women and residents above the age of 45 from entering the mosque.
	• 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.

	<u>Closure of Main Roads:</u>
	(i) The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Sinjil village well as
	the junction to Kafr Malik and 'Ein Samiya villages.
	(ii) Since September 3 rd 2013, Israeli forces closed the north east entrance of
	Al-Mughier village with dirt mounds.
RAMALLAH & AL BIREH	• <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u>
	(i) At 11:15, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint beneath Yabrud Village
	Bridge until 13:00.
	(ii) At 15:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Deir Abu Mash'al village until 16:45.
	• <u>Raid:</u> At 23:00, Israeli forces raided Kharbathat Al-Misbah village, clashed with
	several residents then withdrew at 23:40.
	• <u>Settler Violence:</u> At 22:30, Israeli settlers positioned near "Bet El" Settlement
	located near the main road leading to Al-Jalazoun camp stoned residents and
	vehicles passing along the road then withdrew at 23:15.
	<u>Closure of Main Road:</u>
	(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 25th 2012, Israeli forces closed the
	western entrance of Ya'bad.
	• Flying Checkpoint: At 08:10, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the east
JENIN	entrance of Ya'bad until 08:35.
	• <u>Temporary Detention</u> : At 18:15, Israeli forces positioned at "Movo Dotan"
	checkpoint located along the main road connecting Jenin and Tulkarem
	temporarily detained : Mohamad Amarneh (A National Security Force Officer) {A
	resident of Ya'bad} as he was accompanying his son to a hospital then released him after questioning by Israeli Intelligence officers and confiscated his
	Identification Card.
	• Flying Checkpoint: At 16:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of
TUBAS	Bardalah village until 16:50.
	Closure of Main Roads:
	(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
	leading to Ramin village along the Tulkarem-Nablus main road.
	(iii) On August 5th 2014, Israeli forces closed the main steel gate and placed
	cement block along the road connecting Shufa and Izbit Shufa villages
	near "Aveni Hivits".
TULKAREM	• <u>Checkpoint:</u> At 23:40, Israeli forces intensified their restrictions at "Eniv"
	checkpoint located along the main road connecting Tulkarem and Nablus and impeded the free flow of traffic.
	 Detention;
	(i) On September 22 nd 2014, Israeli forces detained Moath Amarneh (A
	resident of Aqaba village) as he was reporting to Israeli intelligence for
	questioning based on a prior summon.
	(ii) At 03:35 on September 23 rd 2014, Israeli forces detained three residents:
	Suhayedb Mir'i, Ramzi Musa and Mohammad Saleh during their raid into
	Tulkarem as mentioned in the previous report.
	<u>Closure of Roads:</u>
	(i) Israeli forces continue to close with cement blocks agricultural roads east
	of Azzun town.
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	(iii) At 12:10 on September 2 nd 2014, Israeli forces closed the main road connecting Qalqiliya and Nablus near Al-Nabi Eliyas village with cement blocks.
	 <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 18:25, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Azzun. Raid:
	 (i) At 10:10, Israeli forces raided Immatin village. (ii) At 12:00, Israeli forces raided Izbat Salman village and took photographs of several homes and a reception hall.
	 <u>Wall Gates:</u> (i) The Israeli army continues to restrict access at 'Azzun 'Atma Wall gate and impeded the free flow of traffic. The Israeli army continues to close with an iron gate the entrance to the village of Wadi Al- Rasha and to deny civilian access. (ii) 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.
	• <u>Closure:</u> Since December 17 th 2013, Israeli forces ordered the closure 500 dunumes of land in Qusra village as a closed military area.
	 <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> 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.
	• <u>Checkpoint:</u> At 22:05, Israeli forces intensified their restrictions at Huwarah checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic.
	 Flying Checkpoints: (i) At 09:20, Israeli forces set up 3 checkpoints at the entrance of Burin village and impeded the free flow of traffic (for alleged shooting at an Israeli Military vehicle) during which Israeli forces opened fire towards Muntasir Mansour leaving injured with wounds to his leg and temporally detained 2 residents: Nassr Mansour and Bara Omran then released them
	at a later time. (ii) At 10:45 and again at 21:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Beit Furiq until 22:30.
NABLUS	 (iii) At 11:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Yatma village. (iv) At 16:40, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint between Nablus and Assirah Al-Shamaliya until 17:05.
	 <u>Raid:</u> (i) At 23:45, Israeli forces raided Assirah Al-Shamaliya until 00:15. (ii) At 00:05, Israeli forces raided Burin village, stormed several homes then withdrew at 03:00.
	 (iii) At 01:50, Israeli forces raided Nablus, clashed with several residents detained a resident then withdrew at 03:55. Detention: At 20:45 on September 22nd 2014, Israeli forces detained Mohammad Issa during their raid into Burin as mentioned in the previous report. Settler Violence: At 10:05, a group of Israeli settlers located near "Yitsahar"
	• <u>Settler violence:</u> At 10.05, a group of israeli settlers located hear visanal settlement stoned residents and vehicles and as a result damaged a bus owned by

	Assad Al-Najjar (A resident of Burin village) then withdrew at 13:20.
	<u>Closure of Main Roads:</u>
	(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
	Abu Nasar and Qatan Al-Jama' located in western area of Deir Istiya with cement blocks.
SALFIT	• <u>Checkpoints</u> : At 01:00, Israeli forces intensified their restrictions at Za'tara checkpoint, imped the free flow of traffic and temporarily detained Abdel-Hamid
	Hamoudeh (A resident of Yasuf) then released him at 01:25.
	 Flying Checkpoint:
	(i) At 15:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the north entrance of Salfit
	until 16:10.
	(ii) At 23:55, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Qarwat Bani
	Hassan until 00:30.
	• Physical Assault: At 20:00, Israeli forces positioned at Kafr Qassim checkpoint
	assaulted Rani Bani Jabr (A resident of Nablus) and as a result, left him
	hospitalised with contusions.
	• <u>Checkpoints</u> : Israeli forces intensified its restrictions at Al-Hamra checkpoint set
	up along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus District.
	• <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u>
JERICHO	(i) At 08:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the Dead Sea junction until 09:35.
	(ii) At 08:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Road (90) near Al-
	Nuwe'meh village located at the North entrance of Jericho until 09:35.
	(iii) At 23:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near road (90) junction near
	Al-Oja village until 23:15.
	• <u>Closure:</u>
	(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 dunumes 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 ; Wadi Rahal road near "Ifrat" settlement
	,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.

	(iv) Since May 8 th 2013, Israeli forces closed the road connecting Al-Carmisan area in Beit Jalla and Al-Walaja with a steel gate and barbed wires.
	 (v) Since June 3rd 2013, the Israeli army closed the road connecting Nihalin and
	road 60 with dirt mounds.
	(vi) Since 13:20 on September 29 th 2013, the Israeli army closed a road leading to
	50 acres of agricultural land in Wadi Salem area in Al-Khadr with dirt
	mounds.
	(vii) Israeli forces closed the main road connecting Surif and Al-Jub'a village with dirt mounds.
	(viii) On January 28 th 2014, Israeli forces closed the steel gate at the entrance of
	Nihalin { replacing the dirt mounds placed at the entrance since the year
	2002} and placed time schedule for opening the gate from 06:00 until 14:00
	on a daily bases.
	• <u>Checkpoint:</u> At 12:20, Israeli forces intensified their restrictions at the Container
	checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic.
	<u>Flying Checkpoint:</u>
	(i) At 17:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint in Ush Al-Gjurab area located
	in east Beit Sahur.
	(ii) At 18:05, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the west entrance of Taqou' until 18:55.
	(iii)At 18:45, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the North entrance of
	Taqou' until 19:15.
	• <u>Closure:</u>
	(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.
	<u>Closure of Main Roads:</u>
	(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) Since July 25th 2012, Israeli forces closed the road connecting Al-Safa and Al-Dirat
HEBRON	and closed the entrance of south Yatta with cement blocks.
	(vi) On September 4 th 2014, Israeli forces closed a road in Eiwn Al-Bas and Al-Bayda and
	Al-Ras area in Ithna locat6ed near the wall gate.
	(vii)At 13:40 on September 16th 2014, Israeli forces closed the main road leading to Al-
	Ibrahim mosque in the old city of Hebron.
	• Flying Checkpoint: At 18:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of
	Al-Thahriya and detained a resident.
	• <u>Raid:</u> At 24:00, Israeli forces raided Sa'ir then stormed and searched a home.

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	• Detention: Israeli forces positioned at a checkpoint in Al-Thahriya detained Mohammad Raba' (A resident of Al-Thahriya).
	• <u>Injury:</u> At 00:20 on September 23 rd 2014 during confrontations between
	Residents and Israeli forces in Hebron as mentioned in the previous report 12
	resents including 2 children were injured : Hamza Burqan (16 years old), Fakhri
	Al-Haymouni (17 years old), Wissam Al-Haymouni, Wissam Al-Aduwat, Thaer
	Al-Haymouni, Nu'man Al-Natour, Wahib Zahidah, Nidal Al-Qimri, Nasser Al-
	Qawasmi, Issam Al-Qariqi, Munjid Al-Qawasmi and Abdel Karim Abu Sbieh
	• <u>Attack:</u>
	(i) At 13:55, Israeli forces positioned in Bab Al-Zawiya area in Hebron fired
	rubber coated steel bullets, stun and tear gas grenades towards several
	residents for alleged storing and as a result injured three residents
	including a child: Abdel-Al-Ghafour Abu Shamsiya (12 years old),
	Samer Abdel-Karim Al-Za'tari and Haydar Al-Alami.
	(ii) At 13:35, Israeli forces positioned near Al-Fuwar camp fired stun and tear
	gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning.
	(iii)At 14:10, Israeli forces positioned near Halhul bridge fired fired rubber
	coated steel bullets, stun and tear gas grenades towards several residents
	for alleged storing.
	(iv)At 18:30, Israeli forces positioned in Al-Huwar area located in North
	Halhul fired stun and tear gas grenades towards several residents for
	alleged stoning.
	(v) At 19:00, Israeli forces positioned near Al-Tabaqa village junction fired
	stun and tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning
	and temporarily detained Nidal Hanatsheh then released him later.
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ALL DISTRICTS	• At 19:00 on August 26 th 2014, Palestinian Gunmen and the Israeli military agreed to a cease fire agreement (brokered by the Arab Republic of Egypt) which includes the opening of border crossings to allow the entry of emergency supplies and humanitarian goods as well as construction material and agreed to increase the fishing limit to 6 nautical miles with possibility of increase to 12 nautical miles by the end of the year and to decrease the Military area to 100 meters, allow freedom of movement and a halt to targeted killings and assassinations and negotiations will be held for discussion on rebuilding the sea port and airports in the coming month.
NORTHERN GAZA	• <u>Closure of Crossing Point:</u> Beit Hanun (Erez) is open for the passage of critical patients, journalists, NGO staff, businesspersons and passengers travelling abroad through Al-Karama crossing with previous coordination.
GAZA	 <u>Closure of Crossing Points:</u> (i) Al-Muntar (Karni) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 02 March 2011, the Crossing has been effectively closed following a unilateral Israeli decision. (ii) Al-Shija'iya (Nahal 'Oz) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 04 January 2010, the Crossing has closed following a unilateral Israeli decision.

RAFAH	 <u>Closure of Crossing Points :</u> Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed. Rafah (<i>Al 'Awdah</i>) Crossing is open for the entry and exit of residents , students , tourists and businessmen Sufa Crossing is closed. Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is open for the entry of tourist and foreign diplomats and the entry of Humanitarian assistance and construction material funded by UNRWA.
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