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ISRAEL'S AGGRESSION AGAINST OCCUPIED PALESTINE SEPTEMBER 13 - OCTOBER 13 (till 08:00AM), 2015

SPECIAL REPORT: HIGHLIGHTING EXTRAJUDICIAL EXECUTIONS

In the past year, Israeli government forces have further intensified their provocations and attacks against Al-Aqsa Mosque Compound by allowing Israeli extremist settlers free reign to storm the holy site in an attempt to change its status quo. According to the Islamic Endowments in Jerusalem (Al-Awqaf), between January 14th and September 15th of this year alone, Israeli forces and extremists under their protection carried out a total of more than 450 attacks against this holy site and against Palestinian civilians who went there to pray. They have employed live ammunition against worshippers and have prohibited their entry to the holy mosque.

Israeli incitement and attacks, carried out by the State of Israel against the Palestinian population and its leadership, undermine all efforts to realize two independents states based on the 1967 borders. As the Israeli government continues its belligerent occupation, oppression and apartheid policies, the Palestinian population is subject to extrajudicial execution while protesting in defense of its rights. Meanwhile, the international community remains silent.

This report summarizes some of the aggression Palestinians have endured at the hands of Israeli forces and settlers just over the past month (September 13th and October 13th 2015). It also highlights examples of Israeli violations (classified by type) throughout the West Bank and the Gaza Strip.

Summary of Violations by Type and Number:

TYPE OF VIOLATION	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL
KILLINGS	18	11	29
INJURIES (Source: Palestinian Ministry of Health)	-	-	+1,100
RAIDS	393	5	398
DETENTIONS	553	54	607
TEMPORARY DETENTIONS	313	3	316
FLYING CHECKPOINTS	482	-	482
ISRAELI GUNFIRE ATTACKS	678	57	735
HOME DEMOLITIONS	5	1	6
DESTRUCTION/ CONFISCATIONS OF PROPERTIES	79	2	81
ASSAULT ON MEDICAL SECTOR	10	-	10
SETTLER TERRORISM/ VIOLENCE	197	-	197

Table 1

Source: Palestinian Monitoring Group (PMG)

PALESTINIANS KILLED HIGHLIGHTING EXTRAJUDICIAL EXECUTIONS

Over the past month, Israel has killed 29 Palestinians. According to Amnesty International some of the recorded cases amount to "extrajudicial killings."

On September 22nd at 7:43 am, an Israeli soldier shot several bullets at Hadil Hashlamon and killed her for allegedly 'holding a knife' when she stopped to pass one of the many checkpoints inside Hebron's old city. Israeli officials refuse to release the video footage that shows the entire sequence of events.

Marcel Leme, a Brazilian national and an International Human Rights Observer, was a few meters from the scene. He presented a written report with still photos of his <u>testimony</u> (published on *Blog Sanaúd-Voltaremos*). Leme said: "The woman remained froze on the other side of the metal barrier, behind her there was a wall. She did not move, speak, scream or react. She has never tried to attack any soldiers and did not even get closer to them. Then the Israeli soldiers started opening fire at her some five or six times. The soldiers were now about 3 meters away from her."

Since the beginning of October, many Palestinians have been killed in cold blood for allegedly holding a knife. So far, not one investigation has been launched to determine the truth. Other Palestinians have been killed by "Israel's indiscriminate an even deliberate" use of fire on demonstrators according to Human Rights Watch.

Here are the names of the 29 Palestinians that were killed by Israel during the past month:

NO.	NAME	AGE	DISTRICT	DATE
1	Hadeel Saleh Al-Hashlamoun	18	Hebron	22 September 2015
2	Ahmad Izat Khattatbah	26	Beit Foriek/ Nablus	24 September 2015
3	Muhanad Shafik Halabi	19	Jerusalem	3 October 2015
4	Fadi Samir Alloun	19	Jerusalem	4 October 2015
5	Hufaytha Othman Suliman	18	Tulkarm	4 October 2015
6	Abdel Rahman Shadi Obidulalah	11	Bethlehem	5 October 2015
7	Amjad hatim Al Jundi	17	Hebron	7 October 2015
8	Wisam Jamal Faraj	20	Jerusalem	8 October 2015
9	Thaer Abu Ghazaleh	19	Jerusalem	8 October 2015
10	Ahmad Jamal Salah	20	Jerusalem	9 October 2015
11	Mohammad Al-Ja'bari	19	Hebron	9 October 2015
12	Abdel-Majid Al-Waheedi	20	North Gaza	9 October 2015
13	Ahmad Al-Hirbawi	20	Central Gaza	9 October 2015
14	Shadi Husam Dolah	20	Gaza	9 October 2015
15	Zeiad Nabil Sharaf	20	Gaza	9 October 2015
16	Mohammad Hisham Al-Raqab	15	Khan Yunis	9 October 2015
17	Adnan Abu Aliyan	22	Khan yunis	9 October 2015

NO.	NAME	AGE	DISTRICT	DATE
18	Jihad Zayed Obied	22	Central Gaza	9 October 2015
19	Ishaq Badran	16	Jerusalem	10 October 2015
20	Mohammad Saed Ali	19	Jerusalem	10 October 2015
21	Ibrahim Ahmad Awwad	28	Hebron	10 October 2015
22	Rahaf Yahia Hassan	2	Gaza	11 October 2015
23	Noor Rasmi Hassan (5months pregnant)	30	Gaza	11 October 2015
24	Marwan Hisham Barbahk	10	Khan Yunis	10 October 2015
25	Khalil Omar Othman	15	Khan Yunis	10 October 2015
26	Ahmad Abdallah Sabah Sharkah	15	Ramallah	11 October 2015
27	Mohammad Nathmi Shmasnah	23	Jerusalem	12 October 2015
28	Hasan Khaled Manasra	15	Jerusalem	12 October 2015
29	Mustafa Adel Khatib	17	Jerusalem	12 October 2015

Table 2

Source: Palestinian Monitoring Group (PMG)

PALESTINIANS INJURED

According to the Palestinian Ministry of Health, more that 1,100 Palestinians have been injured, including 200 children, since the beginning of October. Additionally 400 Palestinians have been shot with live ammunition and 700 with rubber-coated bullets. The following examples highlight incidents where the Israeli army fired on children:

- On September 15th at Al-Ram's North junction, Israeli forces shot three persons, including two children, during a protest against the Israeli occupation and the continued storming of Al-Aqsa Mosque Compound by extremist Jewish settlers. Israeli forces started by shooting rubber-coated metal bullets, sound bombs and tear gas canisters at unarmed Palestinian civilians leading to the wounding of: Basil Ayoub Mohammed Al-Salaymeh (17 years old), Mahmoud Shaker (15 years old), and Qusai Mohammed Abed Rabbo. They were all sent to the hospital for treatment.
- On September 18th near Al-Jalazoun Refugee Camp the Israeli forces fired rubber-coated metal bullets, sound bombs and tear gas canisters at Palestinian protestors. As a result Mohammad Safi (16 years old) was injured.
- On October 11^h The Israeli military launched missiles (in 2 consecutive strikes) on Al –Zaytouneh neighbourhood located in southeast Gaza and in southwest Gaza. This resulted in the injury of four members of the same family including a child: Mohammad Hassan (5 years old). Israel claimed that it targeted a training area for Palestinian gunmen.

ISRAELI RAIDS AND ARRESTS OF PALESTINIANS

Israeli forces have carried out at least 400 raids in the State of Palestine over the past month. Additionally, more than 600 Palestinians have been arrested. This includes the detention of a security guard at Al-Aqsa mosque compound - and the assaulting of Sheik Omar Kiswani, the director of Al-Aqsa Mosque, and another Security guard - to allow the Israeli Minister of Agriculture Uri Ariel, accompanied by several Israeli settlers to enter the holy site.

HOME DEMOLITIONS

For the past month, Israeli military forces have stormed Palestinian neighborhoods, refugee camps and villages to deliver military demolition orders for illegal purposes. Israeli forces have demolished and sealed off the Palestinian homes in the following illustrative incidents:

- On the morning of September 21st 2015, Israeli forces stormed Silwan neighbourhood and demolished a home under construction owned by Al-Abbassi family for allegedly being built without a licence, clashing with several residents who protested the demolition.
- On September 27th 2015, Israeli forces stormed Humsa village in the North of the Jordan Valley and demolished a residential tent and steel structure owned by Mahmoud Abu Al-Qabash.
- At 02:00am on October 11th, 2015, one Palestinian home was demolished in the Gaza Strip as a result of two strikes carried out by Israeli military aircraft.
- At dawn on October 6th 2015, Israeli forces stormed Jabal Al-Mukabir neighbourhood and detonated explosives to demolish two Palestinian homes owned by: Mohammad Nayef Ja'abis (who was killed by Israeli forces on April 8th 2014 for allegedly attempting to run over Israeli settlers with a bulldozer) and Ghassan Abu Jamal (who was killed by Israeli forces on November 18th 2014 after he allegedly killed several Israeli settlers inside a Synagogue near "Har Nouf" settlement). Israeli forces declared the area a closed military zone and forced 23 families living in the area to evacuate their homes. Clashes ensued as residents sought to resist being forcibly transferred from their homes.
- At dawn on October 6th 2015, Israeli forces stormed Al-Thuri neighbourhood in Jerusalem and sealed off (using cement blocks and concrete) a home owned by the family of Mu'taz Hijazi (who was killed by Israeli forces on October 30th 2014 for allegedly attempting to kill the extremist Israeli settler Yahuda Glick).

SETTLERS' VIOLENCE/ TERRORISM

The Negotiations Affairs Department has previously reported that during the past ten years: more than 11,000 attacks were perpetrated by Israeli settlers' attacks against the occupied Palestinian population and their properties.

Over the past month alone, Israeli settlers have carried out nearly 200 reported attacks against Palestinians, their properties and places of worship. These settlers have acted with impunity and with the support of the State of Israel and its armed forces.

Over the past month, Israeli settlers have been linked to the murder of several Palestinians. In many documented cases, Israeli settlers have leveled false accusations against Palestinians, and Israeli armed forces have immediately executed these Palestinians in response and with no questions asked. Video excerpts (widely shared on social media) have reflected an extreme level of hate and violence by the settlers, the Israeli army forces and the extremist Israeli government.

The following examples highlight some of the attacks carried out by Israeli settlers and incidents in which they bear responsibility for the killing of Palestinians by Israeli army forces:

On October 1st at 02:45, a group of Israeli settlers stormed the entrance of Sinjil and stoned Rashid Khalil's home. As the settlers opened fire on a vehicle owned by Odai Jabarah, Israeli forces fired stun and tear gas grenades towards residents attempting to prevent the settlers' attack.

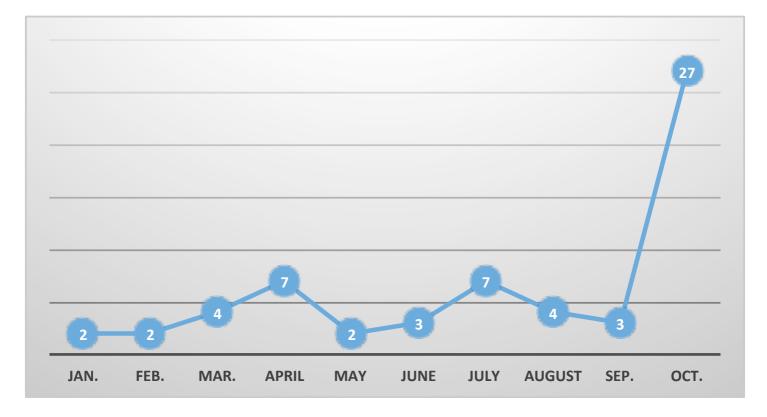
On October 2nd at 01:40, a group of Israeli settlers stormed Bitin village and attacked several homes, damaging two homes owned by Bashar Al-Taweel and Ayman Jarab'a. They then withdrew under the protection of Israeli forces.

- On October 4th at 03:00, a mob of Israeli settlers chased Fadi Alloun (19 years old). The Israeli forces positioned in Al Mosrara neighbourhood and opened fire towards Fadi and killed him for allegedly attempting to stab a settler.
- On October 4th at 11:15, a group of Israeli settlers armed with knives laid in wait near Bab Al-Magharbeh gate (a main gate entrance leading to Al-Aqsa Mosque Compound). They assaulted and stabbed passerby Taysir Abu Ramouz, leaving him hospitalised.
- On October 5th at 23:55: A group of Israeli settlers positioned near Sorrah village, located along the main road connecting Nablus and Qalqiliya, attacked the convoy of Palestinian Prime Minister Dr. Rami Al-Hamdallah and attempted to assault him as he was travelling to Nablus. The settlers then withdrew under the protection of Israeli forces.
- On October 6th at 18:00, an Israeli settler vehicle ran over Billal Al-Ja'bari (11 years old) in Jaber neighbourhood in the old city of Hebron. Bilal was hospitalised.
- In Beit Hanina on October 12th, Israeli forces killed the child Hassan Manasrah (15 years old) for allegedly trying to stab a settler. His cousin, Ahmad Manasra (13 years old) was seriously injured, and arrested. A widely shared video on social media showed how the Israeli settlers were waiting for, and taunting him, to die. One Israeli settler can be heard screaming to the little boy soaked in his own blood: "die you son of a b***ch! Why won't you die?".

Chart 1
Settlers Violence, between January 1st - October 13th (till 08:00am), 2015



Chart 2
Palestinians Killed, between January 1st - October 13th (till 08:00am), 2015



CONCLUSION

The above report presents a snapshot of the reality that the Palestinian people endure daily under the Israeli occupation that is entering its 49th year. Israel's culture of hate and impunity continues to kill the hopes and aspirations of a nation that keeps struggling, after almost half a century, to be afforded the rights granted to them under international law.