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Bethlehem

- The Israeli occupation forces stormed the house of Eid Shaker Hamamreh and searched in its contents in Bethlehem city, also handed Mohammad Shaker Hamamreh and Aseed Shaker Hamamreh notifications to interview the Israeli intelligence in Josh Atzion settlement bloc south of Bethlehem city. Wafa (June1, 2011).
- The heirs of Naji Shehadeh Ghneim (Issa Musa and Ibrahim) and others from Subeih family succeeded to retrieval 11 dunums of their agricultural land in Khallet Qiqan area in Al-Khader town south of Bethlehem city. The targeted land was confiscated and bulldozed by the security guards of Efrat settlement where the total area of the land 120 dunums owned by Ghneim and Subeih families. Al Quds (June6, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces stormed and centered on the main road and closed it in Umm Al-Rukbeh area south of Al Khader town in Bethlehem city also searched in the lands adjacent to the citizen's houses. Wafa (June8, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces stormed the house of Mohammad Mahmud Al 'Amour and searched it in Tqou' town east of Bethlehem city. Wafa (June9, 2011).

- The Israeli occupation forces set up a sudden military checkpoint in Kabir Al Helwa area on the main road that connect between Beit Sahur and Al 'Abedyia where they stopped Palestinian vehicles trying to pass through and checked ID cards of passengers. [Wafa \(June9, 2011\)](#).
- The Israeli occupation forces raided the house of Bassem Hilmi Shosha and searched in its contents. Al Ayyam (June11, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces raided and searched the house of Mahmud Ishak Hmoud in Al Saff Street in Bethlehem city. [Wafa \(June12, 2011\)](#).
- The Israeli occupation forces and the so-called the Israeli civil administration stormed Al Ma'sara village south of Bethlehm city and handed citizen notification to demolish the Al Khalel Ibrahim mosque, the notification gave a deadline of 13 days to interview the Israeli civil administration in Gush Etzion settlement bloc south of Bethlehem city or the mosque will be demolished after the specific period. Al Ayyam (June15, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces stormed the house of 'Esam Hassan Abu Al Hour in Shawawreh village east of Bethlehem city and handed him notification to interview the Israeli intelligence in Gush Etzion settlement bloc south of Bethlehem city. Al Ayyam (June17, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces raided two house in Hussan village south of Bethlehem city, where they owned by; Mahmoud 'Aref Sbaten and Ramadan Za'oul. Al Ayyam (June17, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces confiscated agricultural tractor owned by Mustafa Taha Mounasra and ordered him to stop working in his land under the pretext that the land is classified as State Land in Nahalin village near Wadi Fuqin. Al Quds (June24, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces with 3 military bulldozers demolished water well owned by Ali Mohammad Hassan Rashaideh under the pretext of lacking building permits in Al Rashyada village south east of Bethlehem city. Al Quds (June24, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces and what so- called the Israeli civil administration stormed Nahalin village west of Bethlehem city, and handed Mahmud Hussien Shakarneh military orders to demolish 85m²

cattle farm where gave him till the 7th of the July 2011 to demolish it and another order to stop work in under construction house owned by Mohammad Ismail Hussein Najajreh the IOF took photos to houses of : Fadi Abed Al Hai Shakarneh, Safi Mohammad Deeb Najajreh, Jamel Mohammad Amen Najajreh , Mohamad Ismail Shakarneh, Ibarhim Daud Shakarneh, Mohamad Abed Al Rahman Gayaza and Mohamad Hassan Shakarneh .Moreover the Israeli occupation forces start razing agricultural land in Eid Fares area to do water system to provide the water for the Beitar Illit settlement. Al Quds(June29, 2011).

- The Israeli occupation forces stormed Al Jab'a village southwest of Bethlehem city and handed Naser Al Deen Al Tous notification to stop work in his under construction house and other one to Nabil Ibrahim Hamddan to demolish his 80 square meters house .Besides the IOF took photos to several houses owned by Mohammad Nimer Masha'leh, Mohammad Fadel Hamdan and Yasser 'Alian Al Tous. Al Quds (June29, 2011).

Hebron

- The Israeli occupation forces stormed Beit 'Amra area north of Yatta town in Hebron governorate and imposed curfew on the village and started search in Palestinian houses. Wafa (June1, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces raided Edna, Yatta towns and Beit 'Aynoun village east of Hebron city. Where the IOF set up military checkpoints on Haloul bridge, Edna- Beit 'Awa road and in Al- Sahla, Tal'a Abu Hadid areas and stopped the citizens vehicles and checked in the ID'S card. [Wafa \(June1, 2011\)](#).
- The Israeli settlers of Beit 'Ayn settlement uprooted more than 15 grape trees owned by Mohammad Ismail 'Adi and Ghazi Ismail 'Adi in Safa village north of Hebron. Al Ayyam (June2, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces prevented the farmers of 'Adi family from 'Ein El Baida area northwest of Beit Ummar town in Hebron city from entering their lands under the pretext of being classified as "state lands". Al Ayyam (June4, 2011).

- Tens of Israeli settlers of Qiryat Arba' Settlement stormed Al Ibrahim mosque in Hebron city. National Bureau for Defending Lands and Resisting Settlements – Executive Committee of the PLO (June4, 2011).
- The Israeli settlers threw stones on citizen's houses in Em Al Khair area in Yatta town south of Hebron city; also they set fire to 100 dunums of lands owned by Jaber and Abu Snineh family located between Bani Na'iem town and Kharsina settlement. National Bureau for Defending Lands and Resisting Settlements – Executive Committee of the PLO (June4, 2011).
- The Israeli settlers of Beit 'Aien settlement uprooted 40 grape trees in Wadi Al Bayda area in Beit Ummar town north of Hebron governorate. [Wafa \(June4, 2011\).](#)
- Israeli settlers from Dabboya settlement in Hebron city center attacked a Palestinian citizen house with stones and waste water in Al-Sahallaleh Street area which caused destruction to the house. National Bureau for Defending Lands and Resisting Settlements – Executive Committee of the PLO. (June5, 2011).
- The Israeli settlers of Karmel settlement protected by the Israeli occupation forces attacked on the Palestinian citizens of Al Hadaleen family from Khirbet Em Al Khair in Yatta town south of Hebron Governorate, and prevented them from entering their land under the pretext that these lands are classified as State Lands and forced them to return to their house. Where the IOF surrounded the houses of Yasser Al Hadallen, Salem Al Hadaleen and Sliman Al Hadaleen and prevented them from reaching their water wells to irrigate their sheep. AL Quds (June7, 2011).
- The Israeli settlers attacked Palestinian citizens in the old city in Hebron governorate and threw waste water on them. Al Quds (June7, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces set up military checkpoint on the road of Al Ramadin village south of Hebron city and on the entrance of Al Fawwar refuge camp, Al smou' town and other one on the entrance of Al Nabi Yonis, Deir Samit and Edna town west of Hebron where the IOF stopped and searched the citizen's vehicles and the ID's card. Al Ayyam (June8, 2011).

- The Israeli occupation forces stormed the house of Abed Al 'Aziz Hassan Swati and searched in its contents in Beit Awa south west of Hebron governorate. Al Ayyam (June8, 2011).
- The Israeli settlers of Karmi Tsour settlement set fire on fields of wheat located near by the settlement and sprayed 20 vine by chemicals which led to its destruction in Beit Ummar town east of Hebron. Where the total area of the targeted field 3 dunums owned by Ali Ayad 'Aawad. The Israeli settlers seek to confiscate about 400 dunums owned by Slebi, Awad, Sabarneh and Abu Maria families to expand the settlement. Al Quds (June8, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces stormed and searched the houses of Ahmad Abu 'Aram in Yatta town south of Hebron city and Rami 'Azmi Kabaha in Tarqumia town west of the city. Al Ayyam (June8, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces prevented Palestinian farmers of 'Aien Al Bayda and Abu Al Reesh valley (Wadi Abu Al Reesh) located near of Beit 'Aien settlement in Beit Ummar in Hebron city from spraying the crops with agricultural pesticides or picking the grapes and plums also they forces them to leave their work. Al Quds (June9, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces declared the Al Twani area east of Yatta town in Hebron governorate as "closed military area" and installed barbed wires around the area. The residents of Al Twani area afraid that this actions aim to expand the Ma'on settlement on the expense of the citizen's lands. [Wafa \(June10, 2011\)](#).
- The Israeli settlers of Qiryat Arba' settlement set fire in 20 dunums of citizens lands cultivated with peaches, plums, olives and grapes in Jabal Jales (Jales mountain) located on the road of Bani Na'im town east of Hebron city. The targeted lands owned by Abu Ermela, Al Ja'bari and Al Jaml families. Al Ayyam (June11, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces stormed Samu', Haloul, Dura and Al Fawwar refugee camp and other neighborhoods in Hebron governorate and stopped and searched the citizens' vehicles and checked in their ID cards. Al Ayyam (June11, 2011).

- The Israeli occupation forces stormed Beit Ummar town north Hebron city also raided the house of Mohammad Mahmud Abed Al Aziz Awad and handed his son notification to interview the Israeli intelligence. Al Ayyam (June12, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces raided Dura town, Beit 'Awa and Deir Samet villages and set up military checkpoint on the northern entrance that led to the Hebron city. [Wafa \(June12, 2011\)](#).
- The Israeli Occupation Forces handed over three residents from Idhna village west of Hebron Governorate demolition orders for their under construction houses under the pretext of lacking building permits. The owners of the targeted houses are: Mr. Mahmoud Nimer Shihadeh Al-Jiyawi (120m² house), Mr. Haytham Khalil Hasan Al-Batran (130m² house) and Mr. Wajeeh Ibrahim Al-Jiyawi (barracks).[LRC \(June13, 2011\)](#).
- About 100 Israeli settlers with the protection of Israeli occupation forces attacked and threw stones at houses owned by Mofied Al Sherbati, Zidan Al Sherbati, Abed Al Rahman Ragehb Al Salaimeh, Edris Zahdeh and Ali Al Nazer. Maannews (June14, 2011).
- The Israeli Army bulldozers Israeli bulldozers demolished 6 tents and two water tanks with a capacity of 6600 cubic meters in Al Harayeq area south of Hebron city, owned by the local resident Abed Al Hamed Hassan Al Jamal under the pretext of being built without permits from the Israeli civil administration. The establishment of the water tanks cost the Al Jamal family one million and a hundred thousand NIS. The demolition was a year after the family received the military demolition order to the two water tanks. Al Ayyam (June15, 2011).
- The Israeli settlers of Eshkolot settlement confiscated 20 dunums of land owned by Nasser Mohammad Zamel in Al Ramadin area southwest of Hebron Governorate .the settlers settled the land and started to build a retaining walls and a fence around the lands with is located 150 meters away from Eshkelot settlement. Al Ayyam (June15, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces stormed Beit Ummar town north Hebron city and fired tear- gas canisters which caused a fire in the agricultural lands. The fire consumed about 30 almond trees and filed of wheat

owned by Ahmad Abu 'Ayash and Ghazi Abu 'Ayash. Al Ayyam (June18, 2011).

- The Israeli occupation forces stormed the northwest entrance of Hebron city; which is the road that connects Dura town and Hebron city. The IOF set flying checkpoint and closed the road from both sides, where the closure caused obstruction to the vehicular movements. Wafa (June19, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces prevented Palestinian farmers from working in their lands near Karmi Tsour settlement in Beit Ummar town in Hebron city under the pretext that it's a closed military area. Al Quds (June21, 2011).
- The Israeli Occupation Army and without a prior notification, demolished seven residential structures in Khirbet Beer Al-'Ad east of Yatta south of Hebron Governorate in the southern parts of the West Bank. It is worth mentioning that in the year 1999 the Israeli Civil Administration evacuated the area where the local residents they came back in the year 2001, but the Israeli Army prevented them to use the only road that leads to their lands which enforced them to voluntary leave their lands again until the end of 2009 when they had returned to their own lands after an Israeli court issued a decision concerning their right to live on their own land in the area. The demolished structures owned Mussa Jabren Rab'I, Ahmmad Mohamad Salameh, Ismael Ibrahim Al 'Adra and Ziyad Mohammad Yonis Mokhamreh. Al Quds (June21, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces stormed Aien Sara area and Al Salam street in Hebron city , and searched in commercial shops owned by Shihab Al Natsheh(Al Ameen company for insurance) and Mahmoud Al 'Awawi(Dry clean shop).Moreover the IOF set up military checkpoint in Wadi Sa'er and stopped the citizens vehicles and checked in their ID cards. Wafa (June22, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces prevented tens of Palestinian Farmers from entering their lands owned by 'Ali 'Ayyad located in Kheleh Al-Kotleh area in Hebron, under the pretext that it's a closed military area which is forbidden for the citizens to reach and work in it. Moreover the IOF prevented Al Salibi family from work in their lands in Safa village north of Hebron and detained agricultural tractor and destroyed their agricultural pesticides. Al Quds (June24, 2011).

- The Israeli occupation forces stormed Yatta and Smou' towns in Hebron city and the Israeli settlers of Susyia settlement attacked on citizens lands east of Yatta in south of Hebron city. [Wafa \(June27, 2011\)](#).
- The Israeli occupation forces bulldozed 3 dunums of lands to establish runway for Helicopters in area of Jabal Mnouh in Hebron governorate owned by Hussein Erfaieh. The IOF has confiscated the land in the 7th of January 2011 through military order that hold number (T/29/10), signed by the so -called leader of the Israeli Defense Forces "Abe Mizrahi" . The order issued in Arabic and Hebrew with maps shows the location of the confiscated land. Al Quds (June28, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces destroyed 36000 meters of plastic water pipes that supply citizen's agricultural lands in Al Baq'a area northeast Hebron. Moreover the IOF deliberately destroyed the crops and the citizen's agricultural properties and installations. Al Quds (June28, 2011).

Jerusalem

- The Residents of Silwan town frustrated the attempt of the Israeli occupation forces to occupy the roof of Kayed Al Rajbi house in Al Hara al Westa in Batn Al Hawa neighborhood. National bureau for defending lands and assessing settlements – executive committee of PLO (June4, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces stormed the house of the acting chive Islamic judge of the Palestinian authority Youssef Ed'es and searched in its contents in Badu town east of Jerusalem city and left for him notification to interview the Israeli intelligence in Ofer detention center near Ramallah. Al Quds (June5, 2011).
- The Israeli settlers set fire for the second time in row in the pastoral lands cultivated with the Romanian olive trees in northwest Hizma town. Al Quds (June6, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces prevented the non- residents in the Jerusalem to enter the old town in Jerusalem city. Where they set up

military checkpoints on the entrance of Bab Al-Amoud and checked the ID's card for the citizens and allow only those who prove that their identity is leaving within the old city. Al Ayyam (June6, 2011).

- The Israeli Interior Ministry and the so-called Construction and Planning Committee are preparing to officially approve 4100 housing units in east Jerusalem settlements. Three months ago, and on March 13, 2011, the Israeli government in its session adopted a plan to intensify the Illegal building in east Jerusalem settlements, and accordingly the Israeli Minister of Interior Eli Yeshai formed a committee to implement the government decision, where the first session will be held on June 14, 2011. The Lawyer Qays Nasser , revealed that during the first session the committee will approve a plans to build 4100 housing units mainly in the Illegal Israeli settlements of Pisgat Ze'ev 625 housing units , Har Homa 940 units, Gilo 942 units, and Ramat Shlomo 1600 units. Al Quds (June7, 2011).
- The Israeli settlers with the protection of the Israeli guards stormed Al Aqsa mosque and broke bottles of wine in the yard of the mosque from the side of Al Magharbeh gate celebrating of what so-called Jewish Al Talmoudi rites. Al Ayyam (June8, 2011).
- The Planning and Construction Committee of the Israeli Municipality of Jerusalem approved a plan to build a Jewish museum on the ruins of Ma'man Allah Islamic cemetery. It's worth mentioning that the Israeli municipality had postponed the approval of the plan before two years in order to adopt the amendments on the building plans. The cemetery is the largest cemetery in the city of Jerusalem with a total area of 200 dunums, located 2 kilometers away from Hebron Gate, Bab Al-Khalil". The cemetery is formally registered as an Islamic Waqf except the piece of land in the cemetery that the Islamic Waqf Building was built on it in the twenties of the last century. Al Quds (June10, 2011).
- The Defense Minister Ehud Barak has ordered Israeli occupation forces to demolish 3 buildings in wildcat West Bank outpost within 45 days. The move comes after the state told a court on Friday it would remove the buildings, which are part of the Migron settlement outpost in the northern West Bank, but are built on private Palestinian land. [Maannews \(June12, 2011\)](#).

- The Israeli High Court of Justice ordered the freeze of construction on new settlement homes in the 'Ofra settlement, which is the first settlement to be built in the West Bank under the orders of former Minister of Security, Shimon Peres. The Israeli court has frozen the construction of 48 new houses after being petitioned by the residents of Silwad and Ein Yabrud, two Palestinian villages on whose land the settlements are being built. The court did not say how long the freeze will last. The court position came after a deal was reached between the representative of the settlers and the Israeli state prosecutor, in which the new construction would be frozen in return for the residents of Silwad and Ein Yabrud dropping the charges. [Palestine News Network \(June13, 2011\)](#).
- The Israeli occupation forces and the security guards attacked on the sellers in the Bab Al Amoud yard and the Sultan Sliman Street in Jerusalem city and confiscated the contains of their stall, also arrest and transfer number of sellers to the detenian center known as "Al Kashla" inside Bab Al Khalel (Al Khalel Gate). Al Ayyam (June14, 2011).
- The Israeli Sub-Committee had discussed a plan to accelerate the building of 7900 new housing units in East Jerusalem settlements. The plans will add 4400 units to existing settlement units in the occupied eastern part of Jerusalem. The sub-committee was formed according to the request of Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu in an attempt to lower the prices of real estates in the Israeli market, in addition to speed up the building of the units, especially in East Jerusalem, where these plans come with existing projects, like the one to add 940 units to the settlement of Har Homa, and 942 units to Gilo, both of which are located south of Jerusalem, in addition to a plan to build 1500 new units in Ramat Rahel on 290 dunums of land near the settlement, south of Bethlehem. The committee also discussed adding 625 units to Pisgat Ze'ev settlement, which was built on Palestinian lands of Beit Hanina and Shu'fat neighborhoods, north of the city of Jerusalem. Al Quds (June15, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces stormed 'Anata town northeast Jerusalem city also searched and destroyed the contents of the Palestinian houses besides handed several citizens' notification to interview the Israeli intelligence. Al Ayyam (June15, 2011).

- The Israeli occupation forces stormed Al Isawiya town in the center of Jerusalem city and the house of Taha Abed Abu Riyala Al Isawi, and carried out an intensive house search. Al Quds (June16, 2011).
- The Jerusalem District Planning Committee heard objections to TPS 10188 – a plan submitted by the Jewish National Fund (Keren Kayemet) to develop the Jerusalem Peace Forest, bordering Abu Tur, Talpiyot and Jabal Mukaber. Residents of the Jabal Mukaber neighborhood of Al Farouk, and Ir Amim, represented by attorney Sami Ershied, objected to the plan, because it would limit the development of the neighborhood, and cut off a vital access road. The plan calls for the tourist development of the area currently used as an educational center by the El’ad right-wing Jewish settlement organization. When Att. Ershied presented objections concerning land ownership issues that the Keren Kayemet was unable to answer, it was decided to continue the discussion at a later date. Irm Amim Organization (June16, 2011).
- Crews belonging to the Jerusalem municipality protected by police began in the early morning of June16, 2011, renaming streets and locations in the Jerusalem city from Arab names to Jewish. The municipality, as part of its project to change the Arab and Islamic character of East Jerusalem, changed the name of Sultan Suleiman Street that extends between Damascus Gate and Herod’s Gate of the Old City Wall to Eliyahu Street, as the new signs say. also the Sultan Suleiman Cave on the same road has been renamed to Eliyahu Cave. Al Quds (June17, 2011).
- The Israeli district court of the organization and construction of Jerusalem Municipality postpone the plan number 10188, to confiscate about 550 dunums of Silwan and Jabal Al Mukaber lands near by the Al Farouk neighborhood and Wadi Yasoul lands. Al Quds (June17, 2011).
- Al Aqsa Foundation for Waqf and Heritage revealed that Israel is moving forward to Judaize the Umayyad Caliphate Palaces in the southern parts of Al Aqsa Mosque. According to the foundation, Israel is working to transform the area around Al Aqsa Mosque and the Old city into a Talmudic Gardens. The foundation added that they monitored the site were the work take place, and they found a workers along with engineers and specialists installing steel towers starting their work in the early morning and leaving the site at the

midnight. The foundation clarified that this is a part from a plan that will be unveiled soon by the Israeli authorities, in which may parts east of Jerusalem and around Al Aqsa Mosque will be declared as a Talmudic area starting from Al-Issawieyyeh town north of Jerusalem stretching through Jabal Al-Masharef area then into Al Suwaaneh-Wadi Al-Juz , then to Bab Al-Rahmeh cemetery adjacent to the eastern parts of Al Aqsa Mosque, reaching to the historic Umayyad Caliphate Palaces and ending in Al-Bustan neighborhood in the Jerusalemite town of Silwan in the Eastern part of the city of Jerusalem. Al Quds (June17, 2011).

- The Israeli daily newspaper “Haaretz” revealed that the “Public Health department in the Israeli Municipality of Jerusalem” in cooperation with the “Israeli Jerusalem Development Authority” and the “Israeli Environmental Quality Authority” had started to clean Al-Abraj Lake or “Hizkeyahu” lake in Al Nasarah neighborhood in the old city of Jerusalem. According to the newspaper the 3 dunums lake may cause a diplomatic crisis between Israel from one hand and Egypt, Jordan and the Greek Orthodox Patriarchate from the other hand, since the four parties claims ownership for parts of the lake and the Islamic Waqf with its relation with the Jordanian government asked the Israeli authorities to clean the lake before but Israel had refused their request. Moreover, the Israeli Municipality of Jerusalem indicated that the total cost for the cleaning of the lake will be 3 million Shekels, where an invoice will be send to all parties to pay for the cleaning expenses. Al Quds (June17, 2011).
- Israel has decided to go ahead with construction near Ofra settlement saying the move is not illegal because the land was confiscated from the Palestinian owners by Jordan before 1967 and not by Israel, reported Israeli daily Haaretz. Despite petitions from the Palestinian land owners and demolition orders from the Israeli civil administration, construction has begun on six permanent buildings, in addition to 20 prefabricated homes already on the site, said the report. The land was confiscated from the villages of Ein Yabrud and Silwad by Jordan to build a military base before Israel took the West Bank in the 1967 war. This move comes days after the Israeli High Court of Justice ordered a freeze on construction at Ofra. Al Quds (June18, 2011).
- The Interior Ministry’s planning and construction committee on Sunday June19, 2011, approved the expansion of 2000 housing units

in the neighborhood of Romat Shlomo settlement in east Jerusalem, allowing each home to add an additional room. Al Quds(June20,2011).

- For the first time since 1967, the Jerusalem Local Building and Planning Committee discussed a large housing project and master plan for infrastructure for east Jerusalem's Arab residents, located in Arab e-Sawahra, between Jebel Mukaber and Abu Dis. The project included 500 new apartments on 1,530 dunums well as a school, country club, and new highway. Also included in the project was a plan to retroactively legalize 2,000 apartments in the neighborhood. The project was postponed for two weeks to a month. [Jerusalem Post \(June20, 2011\)](#).
- In its session held in the Israeli Municipality of Jerusalem, the Local Building and Planning Committee had rejected the master plan no. (TPS 14017) submitted by the local residents of Silwan town which presented as an alternative to the mayor's controversial Gan Hamelech/King's Garden plan, which calls for the demolition and transfer of 22 of 88 residential buildings in the area. The plan was discussed for minutes and then rejected. On June 14, 2011 there is an additional hearing about the legality of the mayor's King Garden Plan. Previously, an Israeli court indicated that the case could not proceed until the Local Planning and Building Committee discussed the alternative plan put forward by the residents of Silwan. . [Jerusalem Post \(June20, 2011\)](#).
- Extremist Jewish organization, the Israeli Land Fund (ILF) called for a demolition Muhammad Al-Fateh mosque in Silwan town south of Jerusalem city, under the pretext of illegal restoration work going on the mosque. Al Quds (June22, 2011).
- The Israeli court issued an order to demolish 90 square meters house owned by Wael Al –Razem in Wadi Yasul in Silwan village in Jerusalem city under the pretext of lacking building permit. The order gave the family until the middle of July to evacuate it. The house is about 90m² of 3 rooms and its benefits. Al Quds (June23, 2011).
- The Israeli bulldozers started on Saturday the 25th of June2011 at night the destruction of the Ma'man Allah ancient Islamic cemetery, in Jerusalem, as part of the Israeli plan to construct the so-called "Museum of Tolerance" on the cemetery ruins. The Al Aqsa Foundation for Islamic Waqf reported that the attack was initiated

at 11 PM on Saturday at night when three huge bulldozers and two smaller ones, and twenty municipality workers, started the destruction of nearly 100 graves in the three remaining areas of the graveyard. The destruction targeted the eastern side, the western side and the pool of Ma'man Allah, and aims at including the graveyard area, after its destruction, to be part of the so-called "Tolerance Museum" Israel is planning to build. The graves and the stones were loaded in trucks and were taken away. Al Quds (June 27, 2011).

- The Israeli weekly newspaper "Yersuhelim" said that a group of Religious Jewish group (Al-Hredem) are negotiating to buy tens dunums of lands in open area owned by Palestinian people nearby Romat Shlomo settlement in Jerusalem city, where they prepare a plan to build hundreds of housing units in the lands before buying it. Al Quds (June 25, 2011).
- The Israeli District Court in Jerusalem issued a decision to cancel a previously decision issued by the same court to taking control over al-piano 16-storey building in Kubaniyet Em-Haroun in Al Sheikh Jarrah neighborhood in East Jerusalem. It is worth mentioning that the aforementioned court decision was issued after the attorney of the owners of the building "Muhannad Jubara" filed a petition to the court dismissing the allegations of a Jewish settlement organizations claiming their rights in the building where they planning to sell it in auction in order to get their supposed money from the former owner of the building as they claim, taking into account that the money that they want from the former owner is not related into the building. Al Quds (June 26, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces with the Israeli guards attacked on a stall owned by Yasser Musalmeh in Bab Al Amoud in Jerusalem city and confiscated all its contents. Mr. Musalmeh said that his loss more than 200 thousand NIS, also IOF demolished small room of 4 meters used as a store for the equipment. [Wafa \(June 26, 2011\)](#).
- The Israeli leftwing political party "Meretz" decided to join the Municipal coalition in the Israeli Municipality of Jerusalem headed by the Mayor Nir Barakat after they get a guarantees that the Municipality will not demolish 20 Palestinian houses in Silwan neighborhood east of Jerusalem until the end of the current municipal council period time, in addition to make the new

Municipal elections within two and a half years. Wafa (June 27, 2011).

- The Committee of Defending Silwan lands and properties revealed on an Israeli land razing are taking place in Wadi Al-Rababa area in Silwan neighborhood. Mr. Fakhri Abu Diab, a member of the committee indicated that the large-scale Israeli razing in the lands are an initial steps to build a Talmudic Gardens and Judaize the entire area which is very near to Al Aqsa Mosque, where they are installing a fake Jewish graves in an attempt to claim that there are a Jewish history in the site. Wafa (June 27, 2011).
- Civil Administration forces razed three structures at the West Bank outpost of Ramat Migron - a settlement that has been demolished several times in the past and consequently rebuilt by settlers in November of 2009 and in January and October of 2010. The Police arrived on the scene and cordoned off the entrance to the settlement, declaring the area a closed military zone. [Ynetnews\(June29, 2011\)](#).

Ramallah

- A Group of Israeli settler attacked Sinjil town northwest of Ramallah city and raided the house of Mohammad Haj Houd Shabaneh and damaged its windows and cutting the electricity wires of the house. [Maannews \(June5, 2011\)](#).
- The Israeli settlers of 'Aleiyin settlement set fire to a mosque of Al Moghayer village northeast Ramallah governorate and burned all its contents also they write on its wall logos against the Arab and Muslims. Al Ayyam(June8,2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces closed all the entrance Al Nabi Saleh village northwest of Ramallah city and set up military checkpoint on the main entrance that lead to the village near by the Halamish settlement. Al Ayyam (June8, 2011).
- The Israeli settlers of Halamish settlement destroyed 3 dunums of field planted with lentil in Deir Nidham village in Ramallah city owned by Fadel Abed Al Hamid Al Tamimi. The destruction was as a result of spraying chemicals in the fields. Al Quds (June9, 2011).

- The Israeli settlers set fire on the citizen's vehicles and attacked the residents of Kafer Malek village northeast of Ramallah governorate. [Palestine Press News Agency \(June14, 2011\)](#).
- Israeli soldiers attacked hundreds of Palestinians citizens in Deir Qaddis, a village west of Ramallah, protesting against the confiscation of 500 dunums of their land planted with olive trees and wheat to build a new road leading to Nili settlement built on the village land. Where the protesters succeeded in stopping the Israeli bulldozers. Al Quds(June16, 2011).
- A group of Israeli settlers set fire into tens of olive trees in Bil'in village in the area located behind the wall, west of Ramallah. The fire was from the western side near by the Mattityahu Al Sharqieh (Eastern Mattityahu) settlement built on the village land .Al Ayyam (June16, 2011).
- Israeli settlers set fire into 40 dunums of fields planted with wheat and crops in Al Moghair village north of Ramallah city owned by resident 'Adel Al Na'ssan. Al Quds(June18, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces with 4 military vehicles stormed Bal'in village west of Ramallah city and fired tear – gas canisters which caused a fire in the agricultural lands owned by the heritage of Ibrahim Hisham Bernatt. Al Ayyam (June19, 2011).
- Four years after the "Israeli Supreme Court" decision to dismantle section from the Segregation Wall in Bal'in village west of Ramallah which was considered Illegal according to the court decision issued in September 4, 2007, the Israeli Army started to dismantle the 2.7 km length electric fence- wall section in the western parts of the village where the village will regain 1200 out of 2300 dunums isolated behind the Wall path taking into account that the total area of the village is 4000 dunums. The new route which is set to replace the existing fence is 3.2 kilometers long where the Israeli Army supposed to finish dismantling the fence in the mid of July 2011. Al Quds (June22, 2011).
- The Israeli settlers of Shafout Raheel uprooted 50 olive trees owned by Firial 'Awad Khaleel, 'Abed Al Min'em Issa 'Awwad Khaleel and his brothers in Snjel town north of Ramallah. Al Quds (June23, 2011).

Jenin

- The Israeli occupation forces raided 'Arraba and Kafr Ra'i towns and Fahma village south of Jenin city where they set up military checkpoint between Meithalun town and Sanur village also stopped and searched the citizen's vehicles. [Wafa \(June7, 2011\)](#).
- The Israeli occupation forces set up military checkpoints more than two hours between 'Araba town and Fahma village south of Jenin city where the closure caused obstruction to Vehicular and Pedestrian movements in both sides; also the IOF checked the ID's of the citizens and stopped the vehicles. [Wafa \(June9, 2011\)](#).
- The Israeli occupation forces with the Israeli military vehicles stormed the Industrial area and Qabatyia, Al Zababdeh and Jab'a towns in Jenin. [Al Ayyam \(June14, 2011\)](#).
- The Israeli occupation forces stormed Jalboun village east of Jenin city, also they set up military checkpoints on the entrance of the village and stopped Palestinian vehicles and checked ID cards. [Wafa \(June14, 2011\)](#).
- Israeli settlers set fire into 30 dunums of residents lands planted with tens of olive trees in the land of Yaboud town west of Jenin. 90 olive trees were damaged by the fire. [Wafa \(June16, 2011\)](#).
- The Israeli occupation force set up military checkpoint east of Jenin city near Jalboun village, and searched the citizen's vehicles and checked the ID cards. [Palestine Press News Agency \(June16, 2011\)](#).
- The Israeli occupation forces set up flying checkpoint on the entrance of Al Hashimieh village southwest Jenin city, and stopped and checked the ID cards of the citizens. [Al Quds \(June18, 2011\)](#).
- The Israeli occupation forces stormed the house of Al Shiekh Ali Abu Al Rab in Qabatyia south of Jenin city, where they searched in its contents and stayed in the house more than two hours after they questioned him. [Al Ayyam \(June21, 2011\)](#).
- The Israeli occupation forces set up several flying and permanent military checkpoints in south and east Jenin between Yaboud and 'Araba towns and to the entrance of Kufreirit village near Hdad Al

Seyahia, and stopped Palestinian vehicles and checked ID cards. [Wafa\(June24, 2011\)](#).

- The Israeli occupation forces notified 17 owners of facilities for the manufacture of coal in Yaboud town west of Jenin to evacuate their facilities among one month. Al Quds (June25, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces with the Israeli bulldozers bulldozed and demolished dozens facilities for the manufacture of coal in Barta'a Ash-Sharqya southwest of Jenin city. The demolished structures owned by Jamal Sharef 'Amarneh, Nour Ibrahim 'Amarneh(10 house for coal), Bassam Mohammad Khateeb, Sabri Hassan Kebha, Sifian Hussein Zaid, , Fayeze Mohammad Khateeb, Hassan Abed Khateeb, Yasser Othman Qebha(12 house for coal), Hussein Mohammad Anes Zaid(50 house for coal and confiscated tractor and destroyed 12 water tanks and demolished 4 barracks), Fared Ibrahim Qebha(8 house for coal), Mohammad Omar Wajieh 'Amarneh and Ziad Tawfeq Zaid(5 house for coal), Khaled Ibrahim Wajieh 'Amarneh(1 house for coal), Farhan Mahmoud Qebha, Sobhi Hussein Zaid, Hakam Al Khateeb , Sharef Talal Anees , Ziad Tawfeq Anes, Fared Hassan Qebha and M,ohammad Jamel Al Kahtb . Al Quds(June25, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces set up military checkpoint between Qabatya and Al Zababdeh towns in Jenin governorate, and stopped the citizens vehicles and checked the ID cards. [Wafa\(June26, 2011\)](#).
- The Israeli occupation forces stopped Palestinian farmers from working in 50 dunums of lands as part of a land reclamation project in Emriha in Yaboud town west of Jenin governorate, under the pretext that it's located in area classified as area "C". Land reclamation projects aim to improve the source of income for families which rely on agriculture and also serve to protect vulnerable land from Israeli confiscation. The project is carried out by the committee for the union of agricultural workers in partnership with Palestinian non-governmental organizations under the management of agricultural relief committees. And also it's funded by the Dutch governorate (Al Quds (June25, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces stormed 'Anin village west of Jenin city and to Palestinian houses owned by Sadam Mohammad Yassien and Mammon Shaf'e Yassien were searched in its contents also stormed

commercial shops, among of which, the following were known: Khaled Yassien and Ziad Ghazel. [Wafa \(June29, 2011\)](#).

Salfit

- Number of Israeli settlers with the protection of the Israeli occupation forces stormed Yasuf village in Salfit Governorate where they try to destroy and sabotage the crops, also the IOF set up military checkpoints on the entrance of the village and stopped Palestinian vehicles and checked ID cards. Al Quds (June4, 2011).
- The Israeli Army forces handed over Bruqin village council west of Salfit governorate military demolition orders for a school and an under-construction mosque in addition to a barracks in the village. The Mayor provided that the targeted school was built in January 2010 on a piece of land rented from the Palestinian Ministry of Islamic Waqf, with a total area of 1478 m² and was opened in this year where there are 230 students in the school for 2010/2011 academic year. While funded by the United States Agency for International Development (USAID) and CHF with total cost of \$ 400,000. Also a barracks used as a sheep barn of 60 m² has been demolished owned by Mo'ayyad Mohammad Hamdan Baker, also received a demolition order under the pretext of lacking permit. . Arij Field Work (June12, 2011).
- The Israeli settlers stormed Kafel Haris, a town east of Salfit and set military checkpoint on the entrance of the town and secured the visit for thousand Israeli settlers to Islamic shrines claiming that it is a Jewish shrines. Al Ayyam (June18, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces stormed Yasuf village in Salfit Governorate, the head of Yasuf village council indicated that military vehicles with Israeli officers wearing civilian clothes raided the town and took photos of the Abu Al Zard shrine. [Wafa \(June26, 2011\)](#).
- The Israeli occupation forces bulldozed 15 dunums of agricultural lands and uprooted 300 olive trees owned by Kamal Mohammad Abed Al Rahman in Deir Estyia village in Salfit. Also the IOF

prevented the citizens from reaching the lands and announced the area as closed military area. Al Quds(June29,2011).

- The Israeli occupation forces with the so- called Israeli civil administration officers uprooted 15 olive trees under the pretext of “state land” owned by Abed Ahmad Sliman in Khaneq Taha area in Kafer Al Diek village in Salfit governorate . Al Quds (June30, 2011).

Nablus

- Seven Israeli military vehicles raided ‘Awarta village southeast of Nablus city photographing buildings in the old parts of the village, especially abandoned ones. Al Ayyam (June2, 2011).
- Israeli settlers threw Palestinian citizens’ vehicles by stones on the road of Ramallah- Nablus and caused damages to the vehicles. [Wafa \(June2, 2011\)](#).
- The Israeli settlers of Etsahar settlement set fire into 5 dunums of wheat fields owned by Hassan Mohammad Ziadi in Burin and Madama village south of Nablus city. Al Quds (June3, 2011).
- The Israeli settlers set fire in the fields of wheat in Far’ata and Tel villages in Nablus city. The IOF prevented the residents to douse the flames in the fields, also detained 3 local farmers for couple of hours. Al Quds. (June3, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces announced Iraq Burin village southwest of Nablus city as closed military area, where the IOF that center on the entrance of the village prevented the citizen’s vehicles from entering the village and checked in their ID’s card. Al Ayyam (June5, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces stormed the house of Hussam Khader and searched it in Balata camp in Nablus city. Al Quds (June4, 2011).
- The Israeli settlers burned fields cultivated with olive trees and almonds in Deir Al Hatab east of Nablus city. The fire led to burn about 200 olive trees and 50 almond trees. Al Quds (June7, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces raided several neighborhoods and ‘Aien Al Mai refugee camp in Nablus city also the house of deputy Ahmad Al Haj Ali and searched in its contents and the house of Mustafa Al Shanar. Al Ayyam (June8, 2011).

- The Israeli settlers attacked 'Urif, a village south of Nablus city also they burned mechanisms used in paving the streets in the area. Al Ayyam (June11, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces declared Iraq Burin as a closed military area; a village located southwest of Nablus city and they set up military checkpoint on the entrance of the village preventing the citizen's vehicles from entering. Al Ayyam (June12, 2011).
- The Israeli Army Forces handed over three Palestinian farmers from Majdal Bani Fadel village south of the city of Nablus military demolition orders for water tanks installed in their lands in the village. The three farmers are: Hani Ahmad 'Ayed Bani Fadel, 'Ayed Ahmad 'Ayed Bani Fadel and Imad Falih Ahmad Bani Fadel. It is worth mentioning that the tanks and the other installations in the targeted lands was granted to the farmers in a project to reclaim their agriculture lands executed by the Palestinian Union of Agriculture Work Committees and funded by the International Fund for Agriculture Development (IFAD). Al Quds(June14, 2011).
- Israeli settlers from Itamar settlement set fire into 15 dunums of agricultural lands in Berket Al Marah area near 'Awatra village southeast of Nablus city near the Itamar settlement, the targeted land planted with olive trees owned by Hafez Sliman Darweesh, Ahmad Hafez Dwiekat. Maannews (June16, 2011).
- Israeli settlers set fire into lands of Madama village south of Nablus city. Wafa (June16, 2011).
- The Israeli settlers started to expand the Aish Kodesh settlement built on the Jaloud village southeast of Nablus city. Where they added 8 new buildings on the settlement; comes within the process of expanding several settlements in the Northern West Bank. Al Quds (June21, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces handed the village council of Deir Hatab evacuation orders to remove Al Moghtareben park with an area of 5 dunums located near the Deir Al Hatb for girls school in the eastern part of the village; the park have been reclaimed and planted with trees several months ago under the pretext that its located in area c. where the IOF gave the village council 24 hours to evacuate and remove the park or they will demolished it. Al Quds (June23, 2011).

- The Israeli occupation forces announced Iraq Burin village southwest of Nablus city as closed military area and set up military checkpoint on the entrance of the village and forced the citizens who wants to enter or leave the village for checking the ID cards and prevented the citizens which there not from the village to enter it. Al Ayyam(June26, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces closed Hawwara military checkpoint south of Nablus city and forced the Palestinian citizens to go through 'Awarta checkpoint, the closure was because the hundreds of Israeli settlers gathered near it and came out to protest demonstrate the arrest of Rabbi Def Lior. [Maannews\(June28, 2011\)](#).
- The Israeli occupation forces stopped Palestinian farmers from working in 20 dunums of lands in Jurish village near the Majdoleem settlement and Aqraba villages in Nablus governorate, as part of a land reclamation project and confiscated agricultural tractor and detained the workers that work in the retaining walls for hours. Land reclamation projects aim to improve the source of income for families which rely on agriculture and also serve to protect vulnerable land from Israeli confiscation. The project is carried out by the committee for the union of agricultural workers in partnership with Palestinian non-governmental organizations under the management of agricultural relief committees and it's funded by the Dutch governorate. Al Quds (June25, 2011).
- The Israeli Occupation Forces handed over the local residents from Qarout village south of the city of Nablus military orders issued by the "Israeli Custodian of Absentee Land Property in the Israeli Army" stating the confiscation of 189 dunums of lands in parcel 1 in Al Kawaneq, Merah, Al Enab, Al San'a and Al Tal'a Al Hamra' in the southern parts of the village. According to the orders the owners of the targeted lands must evacuate their own lands and to remove and dismantle all what exists on the land, under the pretext that the lands area is "State Land, where the owners of the lands get 45 days grace period to prove their ownership of the lands through Salem court. Al Quds (June30, 2011).
- The Israeli settlers of Etsahar settlement set fire into the lands of Burin town south of Nablus city from the northern side, while the other group of settlers closing the bypass road that leads to Burin town and throwing stones on the citizens vehicles. Al Ayyam(June30,2011).

Qalqilyia

- The Israeli occupation forces stormed and searched the house of Mohammad Ameen Hassan in 'Azoun village in Qalqilyia governorate. Al Ayyam (June2, 2011).
- The Israeli settlers protected by the Israeli occupation forces set fire to crops east of Far'ata village in Qalqilyia governorate, in other hand the Israeli settlers of Jil'ad settlement prevented the Palestinian farmers from reaching their lands located in the southern area to the village. National Bureau for Defending Lands and Resisting Settlements – Executive Committee of the PLO (June4, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces raided the house of Anssar Saed Radwan and searched in its contents in 'Azoun town in Qalqilyia governorate. [Wafa \(June8, 2011\)](#).
- The Israeli occupation forces stormed into 'Azoun a village, located east of Qalqilyia. 4 military jeeps with what so- called the security guards raided the village and searched the shops and threatened the shop-owners that they will close the main gate of the town to restricting them economically. In addition to that the IOF closed the gate and prevented the citizens from passing also stopped the vehicles on the bypass road 55 near the gate that connect Qalqilyia with Nablus governorate where the closure caused obstruction to Vehicular movements in both sides. [Wafa \(June9, 2011\)](#).
- The Israeli occupation forces stormed the house of Mohamad Walaweel and his brother Tawfiq Walaweel and searched in its contents causing destruction to the houses. Al Ayyam (June15, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces set fire into 15 dunums of land planted with irrigated crops in 'Azoun village south of Qalqilyia. Al Quds (June13, 2011).

Tulkarem

- The Israeli occupation forces stormed Tulkarem city and set up sudden military checkpoint on the entrance of Khodori University west of

Tulkarem city. Where the IOF stopped the Palestinian citizens and university students and checked in their ID card. [Wafa \(June19, 2011\).](#)

Tubas

- Dozens of Israeli military vehicles stormed Khirbet Yerza east of Tubas city in the northern part of west bank and force the local residents to evacuate the entire community to pave the way for the Israeli army to execute a military exercise on their lands. Mr. Mukhles Mesa'eed the head of Khirbet Yerza village council indicated that the Israeli army force forcibly transferred the residents to nearby hilltop until the training finished. Al Ayyam (June2, 2011).
- The Israeli settlers stormed Ebziq east of Tubas, and the Israeli occupation forces started to raze the lands in Khillet Jamee' in the area. National Bureau for Defending Lands and Resisting Settlements – Executive Committee of the PLO (June4, 2011).
- The Israeli occupation forces raided the house of Ali Mohamad Bani Odeh and searched in its contents in Tubas. [Wafa \(June9, 2011\).](#)
- The Israeli occupation forces with the Israeli bulldozers stormed and demolished 33 structures in Al Hadidiya village east of Tamun town in the Jordan valley. Among the demolished structures were: 8 residential tents, 21 animal sheds and pens and 4 outdoor kitchens. The owners of the demolished structures were known; Abed Allah Hafez Bani Odeh, Saleh Yossef Bsharat, Abed Al Rahim Hassan Bsharat and Ali Mohammad Bsharat. Al-Hadidiya has already suffered a demolition on the June10, 2011, where 1 residential tent and 3 animal sheds were demolished .DWG (June21, 2011).
- The Israeli bulldozers stromed Khirbet Yerza and demolished 2 houses and 2 animal sheds. DWG (June21, 2011).

Jericho

- More than 30 Israeli military vehicles protected with two Israeli bulldozers stormed Al Fasayal Al-Westra area northern Jordan valley

and demolished without pre-warning 26 residential barracks and tents owned by local families, In addition to the confiscation of the electricity wires in the area. The demolished barracks owned by; Sami Mussa 'Ali, Khader Yassin Mussa Arsheed, Husien Yassin Mussa Arshed, Abed Yasin Arshed, Ali Hussein Zayed, Najeh Ali Hussein Zayed, Kayed Attalla Rateb, Taleb Mussa, Khalid Abdullah and Issa Abdullah Gazal. Al Ayyam (June15, 2011).

Gaza

- The Israeli military bulldozers bulldozed agricultural lands in Johr Al Diek area southeast of Gaza strip. Al Quds (June3, 2011).
- The Civil Peace Service- Gaza (CPSGAZA) launched the international boat "Olivia" in Gaza water to document the Israeli violations against Palestinian fishermen human rights in Gaza water. Al Quds (June8, 2011).
- The Israeli army vehicles moved approximately 350 meters into Al Briej camp, center of Gaza strip and seizure agricultural lands in the area. 5 tanks with 3 bulldozers stormed the "school" military location in the land of 48 to the agricultural lands east of Al Briej and opened the fire to the Palestinian farmers. [Wafa\(June15, 2011\)](#).
- The Israeli occupation tank shelled on agricultural lands east of Khan Yonis governorate. Al Quds (June18, 2011).
- 3 Israeli bulldozers with 4 tanks moved 300 meters in the lands of the citizens east of Al Maghazi refuge camp in Gaza strip and started to bulldozed the land and put earth mound. Al Quds (June21, 2011).

Others

- Prime Minster Benjamin Netanyahu declared at an official ceremony marking Jerusalem Day that Jerusalem will never be divided again. [Ynetnews. \(June1, 2011\)](#).

- The Defense Ministry vowed Thursday to spur construction on the border fence between Israel and Egypt, saying that Israel hopes to complete it by 2012. The decision was made just days after Egypt opened the Rafah crossing between Gaza and Sinai. The fence will span a length of 215 km upon completion. The work on the fence began in November, and 20 km have so far been completed. [Ynetnews \(June2, 2011\)](#).
- The Israeli occupation forces evacuated the Geon Hayarden outpost that established several weeks ago where a tent and several temporary structures were demolished. [Ynetnews \(June2, 2011\)](#).
- The Israeli Ministry of Infrastructure has demanded permission from the gas company Nobel Energy to start working in developing the natural gas field that was found off the Gaza Strip shoreline, under the pretext that Israel fears gas shortages in the coming year. The Israeli Ministry of Infrastructure said that it officially requested permission from Nobel Energy to submit a work programmed to dig and develop gas fields by July. The ministry explained that the reason official permission has been sought before digging the oil is because the field is close to the territorial waters of the Gaza Strip. Al Quds (June14, 2011).
- The Israeli newspaper “Haartzet” revealed that the Israeli government decided that the Settlement Department of the World Zionist Organization- the long arm of construction matters in the West Bank will no longer be required to obtain prior authorization from the defense minister Ehud Barak to build new housing units in the Israeli settlements in the West Bank. Haartzet(June22, 2011).
- Israeli has approved the building of 100 million dollars worth of new houses and school in the Gaza strip; where Israel had given the United Nations Relief and Works Agency (UNRWA) the green light to bring building materials for 18 new schools and 1,200 new houses into the Hamas controlled territory. [Haaretz\(June21, 2011\)](#).
- Right-wing and Haredi city council members are blocking an effort by Jerusalem Mayor Nir Barkat to build a new neighborhood for Palestinians in East Jerusalem, claiming the plan was poorly conceived and politically dangerous. At issue is a plan to build 2,500 housing units on private land in the village of Sawahara in southeastern Jerusalem, apparently the largest plan ever drawn up for the residents of East Jerusalem. While the municipality is sponsoring the plan, it

differs from plans for Jewish areas because the landowners will be responsible for its development, rather than the city or the Housing and Construction Ministry. As a result, even if the plan is approved, it will be many years before the homes are built. On Monday the 20th of June 2011 the plan was meant to be approved by the Local Building and Planning Committee, but committee chairman Deputy Mayor Kobi Kahalon had to cancel the vote when it became clear that the Haredi and right-wing council members were determined to foil the plan. [Haaretz\(June23, 2011\)](#).

- Police officials are recommending that a permanent bridge to the Mughrabi Gate adjacent to the Western Wall be built in September, while the world's attention is focused on the Palestinians' statehood bid in the UN General Assembly. Ever since an earthen ramp leading to the gate collapsed in 2005 and was replaced by a temporary wooden bridge, the security establishment has been dragging its feet over building a more permanent structure to link the Temple Mount entrance to the Western Wall plaza. In a meeting on Sunday in the office of the commander of the police Jerusalem District, Maj. Gen. Niso Shaham, officials decided to hold off on construction of the new bridge for now. However, government officials have the final say on the matter because of the international repercussions of the decision. The adviser said that it would be best to postpone construction until September when the attention of the Arab world would not be focused on Jerusalem because of the expected vote on Palestinian statehood in the United Nations at that time. [Haaretz\(june29,2011\)](#).
- The Settlement Division in the World Jewish Organization, which is a nongovernmental agency contracted since the year 1967 to implement government funded settlement projects in the West Bank, has agreed to double the amount of land that settlers can use for farming in the Jordan Valley. It also agreed to increase the amount of water Jewish farmers can use for their fields. The new measure restores equity between farmers in the Jordan Valley, which is beyond the pre-1967 borders, and those in other areas of the country, such as the Arava, Jordan Valley. The holding of each Jordan Valley farmer increases from 35 dunums (3.5 hectares) to 80 dunums automatically, based on the decision approved by the Settlement Division earlier this month. In some cases the expanded allocations allow for farmers to simply make use of land that was already part of their settlements. In other cases it

expands the settlement’s agricultural borders. The settlers now use 56,000 dunums of farmland. The new measure would allow them to increase their holding by 54,000 dunums, bringing the amount of farmland in the Valley to 110,000 dunums. Danny Kritchman, the Settlement Division, said that it was not possible these days for farmers to make a living with only 35 dunums of land. The division’s director-general Yaron Ben-Ezra said that there were 21 settlements in the Jordan Valley, of which 17 made their living exclusively from agriculture. [Jerusalem Post \(June29, 2011\)](#).

Monthly Violations Statistics – June 2011

Governorate	Land Confiscated (Dunums)	Lands Threatened of Confiscation (Dunums)	Uprooted Trees/ Burnt trees	Demolished Houses	Houses threatened of Demolition
Bethlehem	0	0	0	0	4
Jerusalem	0	0	0	0	1
Jenin	0	0	90	102	17
Tulkarm	0	0	0	0	0
Ramallah	500	0	50	0	0
Nablus	189	0	250	0	0
Salfit	15	0	315	0	4
Jericho	0	0	0	26	0
Gaza	0	0	0	0	0
Qalqilyah	0	0	0	0	0
Hebron	23	400	105	6	13
Tubas	0	0	0	10	0
Total	727	400	810	144	35

The Monthly overview report gives a list of the Israeli Violations in the Occupied Palestinian Territory which are based on reports provided by field workers and/or by one or more of the following news sources: Al-Ayyam daily newspaper, Al-Al Quds daily newspaper, Haaretz Daily Newspaper, Israel National News, The Jerusalem Post - English-language daily newspaper, Paltoday news-website, Palpress news website, Palestine News Agency-Wafa, Palestine News Network, Ma’an News

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