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No matter what the final Israeli occupation's decision is this "Holy/ Fanatic School" represents a case of most vicious colonists' terrorist assaults and attacks against Palestinian citizens and their lands and villages, who are forcibly deprived from accessing their lands and utilizing their potential livelihood resources. However, these kinds of discussions are proved to be an arena for manipulating & concealing facts, as the Israeli Occupation Government is -in bulk- against the implementation of the evacuation process, and every time it bounds discussion and argument customized to the Israeli coalition interests and for satisfaction of the extreme right wing, which constitutes the vast majority in the current and former Israeli governments.

The case of this school, along with many other cases, reflects clearly the colonial policy of the Israeli occupation government, as a racist government that fully supports colonialism in the Palestinian territories, strengthens its expansion, and allocates huge budgets for this purpose while intentionally embarking on all means and tools for the fulfillment of this colonial policy.

Perhaps the most prominent evidence of the occupation's official indulgence & involvement in sponsoring colonialism and in implementing the colonial plans associated with demolition & forcible displacement was the establishment of the Ministry of Settlements by the latest Israeli government. Several governmental documents indicate that the most prominent tasks/ mandate of this ministry, in addition to supporting all colonial operations in the occupied Palestinian territory; is the dedication of substantial budgets to fund the para-military religious institutes, that supply the occupation army with a group of extremists with terror ideology who originated from illegal colonies and outposts, in order to bolster the Israeli army with members that aspire to continue the series of terrorism and awful killing against Palestinian citizens.

This reporting period has witnessed acceleration in colonial forms and mechanisms adopted by the occupying state on the Palestinian occupied land, either by policies & procedures that support the massive control over the land or by actual demolitions and displacement, i.e. in Masafer Yatta in Hebron Governorate, acts that are considered War Crime. The Extremist colonists' attacks & vandalism against the Palestinians and their property have been intensified and recorded enormous increasing. These attacks are supported and protected by the Israeli army and are endured by the Israeli government's policy, that unleash these colonizers' terrorist groups to practice their terror and forcibly control Palestinian lands and property.

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Chapter I: The Israeli Occupation's Procedures in Supporting the Colonial Settlements

Laws and Bills Ratified or Proposed by Israeli Legislators in the First Half of 2022

The Israeli legislative bodies of the occupation state led by the Israeli Knesset have either proposed or approved 39 laws/bills, of which, 2 were ratified/enacted, while the other 37 remain deposited for later approval stages. The vast majority of these laws are related to the colonial project expansion in the occupied West Bank and Jerusalem, that in majority aim to impose new de facto on the ground and to strangulate any future possibility for a political solution. It is worth mentioning that the vast majority of these bills are characterized with racism & apartheid against the Palestinians and they are in total bias to colonists and colonial expansion:

Laws Ratified in the First Half of 2022:				
The Law	Knesset Round	Status of the Law	Sponsors of law	Illustrations
"prohibition of granting residency or citizenship status" to Palestinians from the 1967 Occupied Palestinian Territories who are married to Israeli citizens, in order to "allegedly" keep Israel as a "Jewish and Democratic state" and to ensure its National Interests"	24	Approved in the final third reading	It was approved by the Israeli Knesset with a majority of 45 members	This law applies on Palestinian couples/ married from West Bank and Gaza Strip. The law also granted the Minister of Interior the power to decide on permission of stay and overnight stay to residents of those two areas in Israel, provided that women have to reach the age of 25 and men over 35 year old. It also granted the Israeli Minister of Interior the authority to decide on granting permission "temporary residency status" under the stipulation of exceeding age of 50 years old.

Draft laws Proposed in the First Half of 2022:			
Draft law	Sponsors of law	Knesset Round	Illustrations (Content Draft law)
Law prohibiting raising the Palestinian flag of an enemy/event	Minister of Education, Yifat Shasha Biton, with a majority of 63 Knesset members	24	The draft law includes "imposing an actual imprisonment sentence for a period of one year, and paying a fine of no less than NIS 10,000 for anyone who raises the Palestinian flag "enemy state flag" in any gathering or on institutions funded by Israel, in accordance with Articles 21 and 322 of the Budget Fundamentals Law for the year 1985". The passage of this law on first reading is considered a blatant reflection of the Israeli-Jewish political racial control.

Jerusalem and its Daughters draft law/ 2022.	Proposed by 52 Knesset members, of whom are "Yisrael Katz" and "Tzachi Hanegbi"	24	In its first provision, the law included the colonial municipalities of "Betar Illit, Ma'ale Adumim Gush Etzion Regional Council and Efrat Local Council," while the second provision of the bill included Shuafat refugee camp, Kafr Aqab and Anata. The bill states that Jerusalem has been the capital of Israel for 3,000 years and was liberated 54 years ago. The bill also proposes that the category in the first item (Betar Illit, Ma'ale Adumim Gush Etzion Regional Council and Efrat Local Council) be part of Jerusalem, the thing which doubles the Israeli population in occupied Jerusalem, in an attempt adjusts the demographic balance/gap in favor of Jewish majority, and also increases the area of land allocated to Jews, which was previously confiscated from the Palestinians, while maintaining its status as a "municipality". Meanwhile, the Palestinian neighborhoods located behind the Wall are granted the status of a municipalities belonging to the city of Jerusalem.
Bill on "Israeli citizenship and entry to "Israel" (Preventing Palestinian family reunification 2022)	Knesset Member "Avi Dichter"	24	It stipulates that citizenship shall not be granted to anyone who lives in the West Bank and Gaza Strip and is under the age of 25. Meanwhile, citizenship is confined to persons above 35 years, provided that he or she is married in Israel. The bill also stipulates that children whose father or mother holds Israeli citizenship shall not be granted citizenship, but rather be granted a residency permit by the Minister of Interior.
A bill on "rearranging the status of the World Zionist Movement and the Jewish Agency in the Land of Israel".	Proposed by KMs: "Betzal Smotrich", "Ophir Super", "Orit Melka Stroke" and 3 other members	24	This bill stipulates that all colonial lands in the so called "Judea and Samaria", including the lands that are under authority of the so called "commissioner/custodian of (absentees property, abandoned land, and state lands)," be transferred to the Colonization Department of the Jewish Agency to control and manage them, including lands on which current colonies are built on and are currently managed by the "Custodian of absentee property". Noting that the "Custodian of Absentees' Property" has leased land for 49 years in Judea and Samaria, since 1967, to the so called "Colonization Department".
A bill on "amending the Anti-Terrorism Law".	"Simha Biton", "Abi Maoz" and "Michael Voldeger" and 3 other Knesset members.	24	It stipulates to retain/seizure of the martyrs' corpuses, whom Israel describes as saboteurs, and to bury them in the cemeteries of enemies.

A bill "on annexing areas of Judea and Samaria" to Israel.	"Yoav Kayesh", "Simha Biton", "Abi Maoz", "Michael Voldiger" and 3 other Knesset members,	24	What is meant here is the annexation of the colonies to Israel
A bill on "amending the law on freezing the funds transferred to the Palestinian Authority".	"Avi Dichter", "Yoav Ben Tzur", "Nir Barkat" and 4 others	24	This bill calls for freezing the funds transferred by Israel to the PNA according to Paris Protocol (tax collected by Israel), which amounted to NIS 1.3 billion out of NIS 1.85 billion, and allocate these frozen funds in a "special Israeli fund" to compensate allegedly Israelis that were affected by "Palestinian terrorism", in an attempt to force the Palestinian National Authority to stop paying salaries of detainees and families of martyrs/ what Israel calls "terrorists", including those convicted of carrying out "attacks" (as Israel describes) based on "national motives" that resulted in death or injury of Israelis.
A bill on "amending the Entry Law 2022" to Israel.	"Itamar Ben Gvir", "Orit Melka Strok" and "Defta Gadi Yabrkan"	24	This bill prohibits entry to Israel for pro-Nazi persons, organizations, associations and groups. The amended law includes any person /entity involved in boycotting activities against Israel, as provided in the Israeli law "preventing harm to Israel through boycott activities", whether written or verbal, or actions against Jews in Israel or in the world or denial of the so-called holocaust.
A bill on "amending the law on arranging housing in pastoral areas 2021".	"Sharon Mariam Hasechel", "Zvi Hauser", "Petzal Smotrich" and 4 others	24	It aims to arrange housing for shepherds in 'Israel', based on an order issued by the Israeli "Minister of Agriculture and Rural Development", after consulting with the Israeli "Minister of Interior". The purpose of this law is to grant housing rights to Israeli shepherds (meant here the colonists farmers in West Bank colonies) in Israel, which provides allocating 4000-1000 dunums of land for each shepherd/settler for grazing purposes. It is worth noting that one form of the colonial expansion project in occupied West Bank is the establishment of colonial pastoral outposts, which in later stages turn to be legal colonies inhabited by large numbers of colonists.
A bill of "colonies under perpetual threat 2022"		24	Its aim is to ensure impunity for Israelis accused of war crimes in international courts. The point here is to deduct %25 of the Palestinian Authority's that Israel collects on behalf of PNA to compel PNA refrain submitting lawsuits and withdraw the submitted ones to the ICC.

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Anti-terrorism bill (amendment on the current law - fines following conviction on terrorism charges)	"Yisrael Katz", "Orit Melka, Strok", "Ariel Bosu" and 10 other members	24	This bill aims to upgrade fines imposed on Palestinians who are convicted in committing "terrorist attacks" – according to Israeli description-so that "financial fine" commensurate with the action perpetrated. The new law requires imposing a fine equivalent to NIS 1,400 per month, for detainees/prisoners who spend from 30-1 months in Israeli prison, while a fine of NIS 2000 on prisoners sentenced from 60-37 months, fine of NIS 4,000 is imposed in case if the prisoner is sentenced from 120-60 months, fine of NIS 6000 is imposed on those spending a sentence of 180-120 months in prison. The maximum fine, of NIS 120,000, is imposed on prisoners who spend more than 360 months imprisonment. The bill also stipulated the imposition of mandatory fines of NIS 50,000 on prisoners sentenced to 12 months in prison, and a fine up to NIS 400,000 or replaced with additional 6 months imprisonment.
A bill on amending the Penal Code of the minor charges such as stones throwing or any other materials at Israeli vehicles.	Ophir Kats	24	The law was enacted in 2015, and stipulates the imprisonment of any person who throws stones at Israeli transportation means from 20-10 years in prison and becomes a permanent law without possibility of reducing the imprisonment period.
A bill providing protecting land sized/controlled by the Israeli colonizers, including protection by Israeli army.	Miri Regev	24	It includes Palestinian private lands, some of which are located in Areas A and C."Colonization Department".
A bill to stripping the Israeli citizenship from activists, whom Israel considers "terrorists", provided that they are sentenced to actual imprisonment.	Proposed by 14 MKs from several parties, led by Avi Dichter, Miki Zohar and Yav Galant.	24	This bill includes those who have Israeli nationality or those who have a Israeli residency permit. The proposal provides for granting the Minister of Interior the powers to withdraw citizenship or residency status.
A bill for persons who hold Israeli citizenship	The KM for the Religious Zionism Party.	24	This bill deprives anyone accused of "terrorism" – according to Israeli description- or supporting terrorism from all kinds of financial allocations/subsidies that Israel provides for Israeli citizenship holders.

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A bill on amending the law on use of agricultural land for the production of renewable energy in areas declared of "national priority".	KM for the Likud Party	24	This bill includes all the Palestinian areas, including the Jordan Valley and the various wildernesses of the West Bank, or what the occupation calls "the Judean Desert".
A bill calling for the amendment of the Penal Code of 1977	Khalouf Mickey Zohar	24	According to this bill, anyone accused of carrying out serious "terrorist attacks" will be executed
A bill forcing the Palestinian Authority to pay compensation for the killing of Jews	Sherine Maryam Hasikhel	24	This is allegedly in accordance with Israeli laws and based on the decisions of the so called Israeli High Court of Justice, and demanded by the Israeli insurance companies.
A bill to amend the Israeli National Law	The KMs Youssef Shayin, Yevgeny Soba, Yuliya Milinovsky, Alex Kushner, Limur Meghin Telm, and Eliana Berdych Yalov	24	To include members of minorities that fight for Israel, such as the "Druze and Circassian" and others who participate in Israel's wars.
a bill to propose to re-allocating residents of Khan al-Ahmar, from their current location to the opposite side, provided that they should be approximately 300 meters far from the main street.		24	Hebrew media reported that the Israeli occupation government considers the land where the Bedouin community is located "state land".
A bill on prohibition of the so called "security prisoners" from watching Arab satellite TV channels in Israeli prisons.	Orit Melka Strok	24	The prisoners are allowed to watch only the channels broadcasted by the Israeli government agencies.
A bill on arming the retired police officers	KM for the Likud Party	24	The aim is to confront the so-called "Palestinian terrorism".
A bill on supplying municipal & basic services to the colonial outposts.	Orit Melka Strok	24	This law targets the colonial outposts erected by the settlers in Judea and Samaria.

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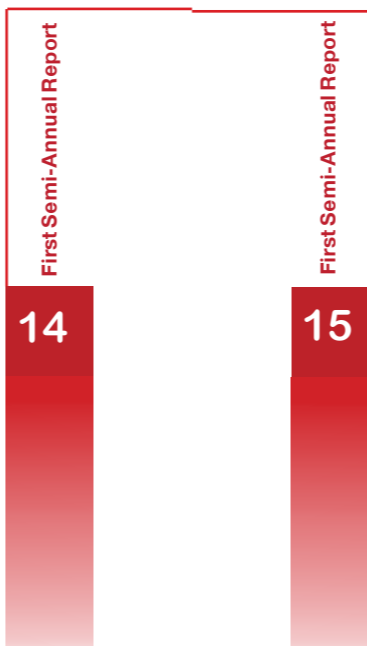
A bill on forming the so called "city-guards" to be deployed in emergency times	Nir Barkat, Gila Gamliel, Mikhail Michaeli, and 11 other members	24	KMs submitted a proposal to establish city-guards that would operate in times of emergency, such as in wars and military operations, without specifying the areas in which they operate.
The bill of the foreign organizations	Petzal Smotrich, Avi Maoz, Simha Rotman and 3 other Knesset members	24	This bill calls for the establishment of a special commission for monitoring and identifying "organizations & entities" that receive funds from foreign parties and do not operate "transparently" according to the Israeli description.
Proposing a non-discriminatory law regarding the purchase of land in "Judea and Samaria" (the right to purchase land), allowing Jewish/ colonist individuals from purchasing lands in occupied West Bank.	Petzal Smotrich, Avi Maoz, Simha Rotman and 3 other members	24	Despite the fact that the military order issued in 1971, regarding the use and ownership of assets & property in Judea and Samaria, was only confined to registered companies in the so called "Judea and Samaria"- meant occupied West Bank-. According to the new law proposal Jews individuals are entitled to purchase lands without tended to have registered companies.
A bill to end the mandate of the so called "Israeli Civil Administration" operating in Judea and Samaria (occupied West Bank).	Simha Biton, Avi Maoz and Mikhael Voldeger and 3 other members	24	It aims to transfer the powers of the "Civil Administration" to the various Israeli government ministries.
A bill to implement the interim agreement regarding the West Bank and the Gaza Strip	Simha Biton, Avi Maoz and Mikhael Voldeger and 3 other members	24	This bill aims to impose restrictions on Palestinian figures & activities in areas not under the PNA control especially in the city of Jerusalem, including imprisonment sentences for five years.
A bill preventing harm to Israel	Yoav Kaish	24	This bill aims to Prevent damage to State of Israel through Boycott. It calls for imposing a fine of NIS 500,000 on the boycott commissions (BDS), as compensation for the harm caused by Boycotting to the State of Israel.
A bill to apply Israeli land, construction and planning laws on the Israeli colonies in Judea and Samaria (in occupied West Bank)	Yoav Kaish	24	This bill calls for applying Israeli land, building and planning laws on the Israeli colonies in Judea and Samaria
Amendment of the housing loan bill		24	This is done with a special financial grant to buy a house in the areas declared as "areas of national priority", (colonies in West Bank).

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A bill determining the price of colonial housing units in areas classified as "national priority".	Jacob Litzman	24	This bill considers all the colonies established on occupied Palestinian lands in the West Bank and the city of Jerusalem as part of the "national priority area", regardless of the high prices of the colonial units in Israel.
A bill prohibiting incitement against "Israel" on social media		24	This bill is directed mainly at the Palestinians living inside Israel – within "Green Line" areas.
A bill to amend a law regarding security prisoners	Yoav Galant, Wahfa Eti Attia, David Emsalem, and 30 other members	24	This bill aims at depriving security prisoners from essential health services such as plastic surgery or medicines they need.
A bill prohibiting the Palestinian flag to be raised them in Area classified "C".	Shlomo Q'ri, Amir Ohna and 10 other members	24	This bill considers the Palestinian flag a symbol of "terrorism" and motivates practice of terrorism acts against Israeli targets- based on the Israeli description-..
A bill granting a financial award of no less than NIS 50,000 to anyone who hands over a "terrorist" to the security forces.	Sherine Maryam Hasikhel	24	Allegedly to reduce the so called "terrorist attacks" carried out against Israel.

■ The Latest Israeli Government's Resolutions in the first half of 2022:

The first half of 2022 was characterized by a distinguished set of decisions adopted by the Israeli occupation government that reflect the racist identity of this government similar to its predecessor governments. The current Israeli led- Bennett–Lapid government spared no effort to promote and expand the colonial project across the occupied Palestinian land of West Bank and Jerusalem. No exceptional cognitive skills needed to recognize the nature and reality of these Israeli governments' decisions that are in full support to colonization and apartheid attitudes. The support provided by the current Israeli government and its executive arms have far exceeded the official sponsorship for the colonial project and activities, to include enhancement and facilitation for the Jewish colonists to controlling Palestinian land and unleashing their colonial appetite to establish more colonial outposts across the occupied West Bank including Jerusalem.



The Israeli government firstly reinforced the so-called "priority map" by providing grants and facilities to a group of colonies that includes majority of Israeli colonies in West Bank and Jerusalem), these grants and facilities are provided on the pretext of the so-called "national priority areas:", (see the section of incentives and facilities provided by the Israeli government to colonists, below). The most prominent decision that took place by the Israeli government is the recommendation proposed by the "Israeli Deputy Legal Adviser" to the Israeli government regarding the extension of the electricity network to the colonial outposts as a circumvention of the procedures required for the so called "legalization and recognition of colonial outposts", the thing that publicly denied by the Israeli occupation government and kept its support on this regard concealed in secret.

Moreover, the Israeli government approved, during the period covered by this report, the construction of an additional 40 km long of the Annexation & Expansion Wall, with an estimated budget up to NIS 360 million.

The plan includes the construction of a concrete wall supported with all surveillance technological means, with a height of 9 meters, in the areas where the occupation authorities planned to establish "controlled-entry gates for workers who pass into the Green Line area (into Israel). it is worth mentioning that the occupation authorities deliberately kept some entry points, publicly known as "openings" along the Annexation and Apartheid wall, as a kind of deception to lure more Palestinian labors to pass into the Green Line areas, and later, it began to complain about these openings, and even several Palestinian labor casualties have either been killed, arrested or injured during their passage through these "openings" heading to their work places, the thing that allegedly led the Israeli government to take the decision on accelerating the construction of the remaining parts of the Wall in these areas. On real terms, these ""openings" were constantly used by the occupation authorities as a mean of humiliation and extortion of Palestinian workers, as these "openings" were usually opened and closed intermittently based on mood of the Israeli military & security establishment on the pretext of the so called "security necessities".

The Most Prominent Israeli Government's Resolutions in the first half of 2022:

- On 2022/1/2, The Israeli Occupation Government adopted a decision to extend the validity of Decision No. 4302 issued on 2018/11/25, which regulates the granting of housing and development concessions to areas classified "national priority areas", until 2022/11/20. This decision includes all the Israeli colonies in occupied West Bank and Jerusalem.

- On 2022/1/2, The Israeli occupation government adopted a decision to appoint a team of specialists to study the possibility of withdrawing the civic rights of what it called "the families of the saboteurs", such as residency right, pension rights, subsidies and other governmental allocations, especially against family members of who allegedly accused of carrying out "hostile attacks and security violations against Israelis.
- On 2022/1, the so called "Israel Lands Authority" decided in its session held under the chairmanship of Housing Minister "Ze'ev Elkin", to offer discounts for those who live in the countryside and areas classified as development areas (A, B, and C), which include all Israeli colonies in occupied West Bank. These discounts will also be granted for everyone who served in the Israeli security services. The reduction included granting a plot of land with an area of 1000 dunums for those wishing to join this offer, to lure more Israelis to relocate to West Bank colonies.
- On 2022/1/9 The Israeli Occupation Government declared the "special security units"(the Police Counter-Terrorism Units) that are responsible for the execution and suppression of the Palestinian people as, as the "Israel National Counter-Terrorism Unit"
- On 2022/1/9, the Israeli Occupation Government decided to grant freedom of vote for the parties that make up the current government coalition, in all matters related to "citizenship and entry law to Israel." The new law also prohibits entry to Israel for persons who allegedly practice incitements – according to Israeli measures-against Israel, whether from the so called "Judea and Samaria area- meant occupied West Bank" or from outside Israel.
- On 2022/1/9, the Israeli Occupation Government decided the continuation of activities and operations of the Israeli army, police, special units, and the General Intelligence. On 2022/1/16, the so called "Deputy Legal Adviser" for the Israeli government, has recommended to connect colonial outposts - that are "illegal" according to definition of the Israeli government itself- with national electricity grid. The decision included colonies established on the so-called "state lands" only, which are undergoing a stage of future arrangement to recognize them legal colonies by the Israeli government. The decision does not include those colonial outposts built on private Palestinian lands as provided in the decision.

- On 2022/1/16, the Israeli occupation government issued its instructions to the so called "Israeli National Security Council" to prepare a comprehensive plan for the establishment of the "National Guard", consisting " Borders' Guard Command, the police units, the General Intelligence Service, and civilian volunteers".
- On 2022/1/24, the so-called Ministry of "Jerusalem and Heritage" decided to allocate NIS 11.5 million to preserve and renovate the so-called "Jewish heritage sites" in the occupied West Bank on the pretext of "combating the destruction of Israeli historical sites by the Palestinians". This decision includes the alleged "Jewish historical & archeological sites" in the Palestinian/Jordan Valley and in Sebastia village, north of Nablus city (NIS 5 million) and the rest of the West Bank areas with an amount of (NIS 2.5 million), as well as granting the so called "Israeli Civil Administration" with (NIS 2.5 million) to allegedly protect antiquities from theft, in addition to allocating an amount of (NIS 1.5 million) to renovate the so-called Jewish Palace in Jericho Governorate.
- On 2022/1/24, the so called "Ministerial Committee for coding and naming sites and locations" has announced its decision stating that the following sites have historical Hebrew names, and are part of Jewish history. The places/ locations are: Shekhim (which refers to Nablus city), Shimron, (Nablus governorate), Shiloh (refers to Ramallah) and Tel, Yarihoo (Jericho), Anatot (Anata), Beit Ania (Al-Azariya), old Beit El (Beitin village, north east of Ramallah), and Modi'in (part of lands belong to the Palestinian villages; Bil'in, Ni'lin, Safa, Beit Sira, Emwas, Ras al-Ain and Bab al-Wad, the Qumran Caves (Bethlehem), Old Battir (Batir), Herodion Mount (Bethlehem), and Matsada Castle (Jericho).
- On 2022/2/13, the Israeli "Minister of Communications" approved the Israel government decision that would allow Israeli cellular companies to expand their 4G coverage in the occupied West Bank to reach 70%.
- On 2022/2/22, the Israeli Occupation Government decided the no restrictions on work & operations of the various Israeli security forces in the occupied West Bank, allegedly, on the pretext of preventing "terrorism".
- On 2022/2/22, the Israeli Occupation Government decided to establish two technological commissions in East and West Jerusalem, with a value of NIS 2 million. These two commissions include academic institutions, research centers and employment centers, allegedly in accordance with the articles of Section 4 of the so called "Basic Law" which stipulates that "Jerusalem is the capital of Israel".

- On 2022/2/22, the Israeli Occupation Government decided to draw up a plan concerning the continuation of the dialogue initiative with the Jews in Diaspora aiming at strengthening their Jewish identity and ties with Zionism.
- On 2022/2/22, the Israeli Occupation Government decided to strengthening and intensifying the "security presence", especially in the "zones of friction/tension" according to Israeli definition.
- On 2022/3/13, the Israeli Occupation Government Decided to strengthen and enforce the guarding activities of the Annexation & Expansion Wall and to speed up the plans of its construction.
- On 2022/3/13, the Israeli Occupation Government decided to increase the extrajudicial execution operations (assassinations) especially against affiliates of "ideological organizations" according to the Israeli classification and definition.
- On 2022/3/13, the Israeli Occupation Government decided to upgrade the punishment level on relatives of those who were allegedly accused of carrying out "hostile attacks" against Israeli targets, including the withdrawal of work permits and other rights.
- On 2022/3/13, the Israeli Occupation Government decided to speed up and intensify the process of demolishing Palestinian homes and facilities on different alleged pretexts.
- On 2022/3/13, the Israeli Occupation Government decided to enhance surveillance and censorship on social media and to apply required measures and decisions on this regard, including the enactment of special legislation.
- On 2022/3/20, the Israeli Occupation Government decided to re-enforce the Israel Police Units by adopting several reforms to enable them facing threats and challenges, according to the Israeli definition.
- On 2022/3/20, the Israeli Occupation Government decided to enhance the level of security measures to face different escalation scenarios during different various stages of confrontation, including Syria and Lebanon.

- On 2022/3/20, the Israeli Occupation Government decided to appoint "Meir Spiegler" as Director of the so called "National Task Force" for on accommodating refugees from Ukraine, Russia and the countries of the former Soviet Union. "Spiegler" has previously served as "Director General" of the so called "Jewish National Fund" and "Director General" of the so called "Religious Services Ministry" in addition to holding other government positions.
- On 2022/4/10, the Israeli Occupation Government decided to appoint Brigadier General (Reserve) "Dror Shalom" as head of the so called "Security and Political Planning Department" in the so called "Israeli Ministry of Defense". This incumbent is one of the most important positions, as it deals with issues of Palestinian and Arab affairs.
- On 2022/4/10, the "Israeli Cabinet" unanimously approved the plan of the so called "Israeli Defense Minister" on building additional 40 km of the Annexation & Expansion Wall, with a value of up to NIS 360 million. The plan includes building a concrete Wall supported with all technological means, and with a height of 9 meters.
- On 2022/4/10, the Israeli Occupation Government decided to extend the declaration of areas classified as "areas of national priority", which include all colonies in the occupied West Bank and the occupied city of Jerusalem until 2022/10/31, the thing which means increasing financial allocations and budgets for these areas and providing more tax exemptions and others for colonies.
- On 2022/4/10, the Israeli Ministry of Transportation decided to operate new transportation route, in order to facilitate colonizers' transportation across occupied West Bank.
- On 2022/4/17, the Israeli Occupation Government tasked various ministries responsible for restoring Jewish property, to search the various archives related to the property and rights of Jews in Iran and Arab countries.
- On 2022/4/17, the Israeli Occupation Government decided to continue the work of the so called "immunity/resilience centers" for the colonizers in West Bank's colonies, in order to promote their readiness in times of emergency and to provide them with psychological support when needed. These "immunity centers" are specialized in early detection of individual and family crises, providing psychological and moral support, conducting group counseling meetings, guiding parents,

carrying out media activities and providing public messages and information, activating volunteerism and social work, activating emergency crews and immunizing colonies against threats, and carrying out activities in the economic and operational field.

- On 2022/4/17, the Israeli Interior Minister "Ayelet Shaked", declared that she has reinstated ban on granting Israeli residency or citizenship status to Palestinians from the West Bank and Gaza Strip, for those who are married to Arab citizens of Israel (whether they are males or females), including banning "family reunification..
- On 2022/4/17, the Israeli Occupation Government decided to extend the declaration of social suburbs (which include Jewish colonies in the occupied West Bank) as "national priority areas" until the end of this year (2022/12/31).
- On 2022/4/23, the Israeli Occupation Government decided to allocate NIS 110 million to strengthen and improve the infrastructure in Al-Buraq Wall square in Jerusalem, during the next four years extending from 2022 to 2026. This includes the construction and development of Al-Buraq Square, the continuation of the Israeli excavation, strengthening the existing infrastructure, & the expansion of cultural education for students and new immigrants and soldiers..
- On 2022/4/23, and based on previous government decisions, the Israeli Occupation Government decided to dedicate an amount of NIS 100 million for a period of four years, for the establishment of a specialized "Commission/ Body" that can implement a "world-wide campaign" aiming at combating calls and campaigns around against "Israel illegitimacy". .
- On 2022/5/1, the Israeli Occupation Government decided the formation of a special team from the so called "Israel Nature and Parks Authority", funded by the so called Ministry of "Jerusalem and Heritage," consisting of specialists in the field of preserving the so-called "historical and religious Jewish reality/identity in the West Bank, according to the Israeli description.."
- On 2022/5/15, and under pressure and influence of the Israeli colonists, the so called "Israeli Ministry of Defense" froze the allocation of 15,000 dunums of land allocated for Arab quarries.

- On 2022/5/22, the Israeli Occupation Authorities decided to keep the closure of Palestinian civil institutions, associations and organizations in East Jerusalem, on top, the "Orient House" and the Palestinian Prisoners Club. The occupation authorities have declared that they will continue applying this procedure on the pretext of "preserving Israeli sovereignty over Jerusalem".
- On 2022/6/12, The occupation government decided to amend a decision to establish a limited shareholding "correspondent services company", as a government company whose shares are all subscribed by the state, in light of the importance of providing correspondent services with banks operating in the Palestinian Authority areas, as a long-term solution, and against the background of the humanitarian and financial settlements described in the interim agreement signed between Israel and the Palestinian National Authority, with the aim of reducing the risks of financing "terrorism" and money laundering.

■ Incentives and Facilities Offered by the Israeli Occupation Government to the Colonizers:

Despite the difficulty in numerating all the incentives and facilities that are provided by the Occupation Government to colonizers of West Bank including Jerusalem's colonies, there are many stark examples of these colonial incentives that are provided by Israeli official establishment that are by nature, fiercely supporting the colonization policy, operations and procedures that are applied forcibly on the Palestinian occupied land. Moreover, these colonial procedures are legalized and implemented by virtue of the Israeli colonial legislation adopted by the Israeli government and its legislative arms including the Knesset, or based on other governmental decisions that consider these colonies an integral part of "Israel" based on the Israeli colonial perspective, as the Israeli government unceasingly proliferate different establishments and governmental bodies that are mandated to provide all kinds of incentives including dedication of budgets for the West Bank's colonies, including practically integrate these colonies as an integral part of the occupation's state. It is worth mentioning that these newly established bodies and entities are usually chaired by colonizers living in West Bank's and Jerusalem's colonies. The fundamental function of these colonial bodies is to accrete the colonial construction in Palestinian areas, while also strangle the Palestinian urban expansion through surveillance and monitoring of Palestinian's construction activities across the occupied West bank, and issuing and implementing demolition orders including issuance of moratorium of construction for all kinds of construction facilities for Palestinians.

The Israeli Government's decisions for this year - were in bulk featured with colonial incentives features that took different forms. In the beginning of this year, the Israeli Cabinet approved the extension of the validity of the Occupation Government's resolution no 4303 issued on 2018\11\25 that provides incentives in the fields of housing and development in the areas classified as "national priority areas" according to the Israeli definition, until 2022\11\20. This governmental resolution includes all the Israeli colonies in occupied West Bank and Jerusalem.

In 2018, the Israeli occupation's Government approved the so-called "the areas of national advantage/priority". As a result, the Israeli Ministry of Construction and Housing decided that all the colonies of "Yehuda and Samaria" – referring to colonies in occupied West Bank- will continue to enjoy these incentives especially in areas of national advantage/priority, based on the Israeli government classification. These incentives include financing the planning and construction of new colonial residential buildings and facilities and increasing the value of loans for the beneficiaries. For the first time, colonies like "Migron", "Telmon", "Kerm Ra'em", and "Shivot Rahil" will be included in this incentive package.

The Israeli Government approved the modified map of the areas classified "national priority/ advantage areas" that was prepared by the Israeli Minister of Housing "Galant". The aforementioned governmental decision included dedication of budgets by the Israeli Ministry of Construction and Housing for the purpose of financing colonial construction in these areas, as cost-sharing by the ministry, which ranges from %20 to %70 of the total cost of colonial housing units.

The said decision also included the increase of value and amount of the soft loans offered to those who wish to live in these communities/ colonial outpost and colonies. Though the modified map included 586 Israeli communities/colonies, based on the classifications of adopted colonial map, majority of these colonies (approx.%80) are classified within the first and second classification "A1" and "A2" in that list of "national advantage/priority areas". This means that the percentage of financial support these colonies will get will approximately range from %50 to %70, as cost-sharing by the Israeli government.

.. The criteria of this classification were deliberately devised to benefit the colonies perched on the occupied Palestinian land, stating that these colonial advantages are designed to benefit rural communities rather than the urban ones, according to the said criteria, including modifications on the construction modality of colonial housing to focus on separate houses rather than multi-story buildings .

The government's extension of this decision until the end of 2022 explains the magnitude of the colonial expansion pace on the occupied Palestinian lands. It also poses questions around the colonial activities that are directly led and sponsored by the unleashed colonizers themselves, which turned from being individual attempts to more systemized and organized and government-sponsored crimes.

The Israeli government is going to the extreme limit on reinforcement of the colonial project in occupied West Bank including Jerusalem and on providing and "ultimate care" for the Colonizers including their organized gangs and militia that are wreaking havoc and terrorism across the occupied Palestinian territory.

The so-called "Israel Land Authority" decided to "offer discounts to those who live in the colonial suburbs, the areas classified as developmental areas (a, b, c) that include all the Israeli colonies in occupied West Bank, and for all those who served in the Israeli security services". The discount/ advantage included all who fall under these categories, by providing a piece of land of around 10-5 dunums". Going beyond this atrocious idea of giving "land" as part of the incentives package for the colonizers and their militia, the Israeli Government has made another dangerous step by offering a legal protection for the colonizer's seizure of land .

Perhaps the most important step of the Israeli colonial Government in supporting and officially sponsoring the colonial project is the establishing the so-called "Ministry of Colonization" in 2022 . The assigned tasks of this Ministry, based on the establishment decision, is to monitor and control the activities of the settlement division of the World Zionist Organization and to conduct pre-qualifying trainings before joining the army, and to finance various activities such as the "reconnaissance project" with an amount allocated for these purposes estimated at 20 million shekels, most of which goes to developing the infrastructure of colonial local councils. . These funds are considered as contribution of allocations by the Israeli coalition government to the settlement/colonial entities that monitor and implement different colonial activities in the occupied Palestinian territory, and it is the result of a coalition agreement between the "[right and the Yesh Atid party", this funding will also increase the staffing capacity of the so called "Israeli Civil Administration" by adding 46 employees, 15 of them to the supervision unit whose main goal is to practice Israeli terrorism and demolition against Palestinian construction in areas classified "C". .

The Occupation Government's colonial incentives package is not confined only on establishing big colonies,

but also based on a decision on 2022\4\12 by the Israeli Attorney General's office, these "illegal" colonial outposts in occupied West Bank - that were built without the approval of the Israeli government- will be connected with the electricity grid.

These "colonial incentives" will facilitate and pave the way for the legitimization of (legalizing) these colonial outposts in a clear circumvent of previous Israeli government decisions/ allegations. The Israeli Attorney General's Office claims that many other Palestinian villages will be connected to the electricity grid. This statement is only an act of deception and a clear attempt to avoid any legal or international ramifications/actions against these types of colonial steps. The plan also provides connecting these colonial outposts together especially for those built on lands declared as "state lands" according to the Israeli definition, which opens the eyes of astonishment to the "land classifications" by the Israeli occupation government, that are forcibly applied on the occupied Palestinian land, which in fact not more that another malicious instrument for looting and controlling Palestinian lands.

Official Statements of the Israeli Government Members

This part of the report depicts the most prominent provocative and racist statements made by officials and leaders of the Israeli Occupation Government including prominent members of the Israeli Knesset. In this part, we will try to highlight some of these provocative statements and connect them with actions on the ground to reaffirm that all these flagrant violations of Palestinians' human rights are done within a systematic approach including the Israeli official discourse and declamatory context:

The Likud Knesset member (KM) "Benjamin Netanyahu" posted on his Facebook page, "we have refused the dangerous Palestinian request throughout the years, which leads to a Palestinian Sovereignty over the Jordan Valley. The answer has to be clear now: no to the Palestinian State, no to waivers, no to withdrawal".

The Likud KM "Ofir Akunis" posted on his Facebook, attacking Palestinians; "These are human animals, they are not our neighbors nor are who to make peace with, not because we do not want peace, but because they don't want it."

The Israeli "Maariv" newspaper published an incitement article against the Palestinian Authority, claiming that: "If you want to know what the Palestinian students learn and what is written about us in the Palestinian curricula, you can refer to the research published by the Israeli-based Institute titled IMPACT-SE that has been tracking the contents of the Palestinian curricula, adding that; It was clear that in recent years, a huge radical change in incitement against the Jewish people has occurred, including incitements against the State of Israel in the Palestinian curricula, according to the said newspaper."

While viewing the Israeli social media websites, the Likud KM "Nir Barakat" demanded in a Facebook post "the support of the draft law that he proposed on permitting laid off army soldier to obtain a weapon to fend off every vandal/ saboteur (alluding to Palestinians), adding; we have to allow our citizens to defend themselves and allow the fast execution of every vandal/ saboteur who attempts to kill the Jews- according to his description-."

"Maariv" newspaper wrote, "Municipality employees (meaning Jerusalem municipality employees), escorted by police and army forces, infiltrated yesterday at dawn a house in the Jerusalem neighborhood (Sheikh Jarrah), which was illegally seized by Al Salhia family years ago. They evacuated the family members who barricaded themselves inside the house and demolished it, 18 detainees on suspicion of disturbing order were arrested (Palestinians). the leftists (alluding to the left party) became angry and declared that ethnic cleansing must stop". The extremist KM "Itmar Ben-Gvir" praised the demolition of the house and called this step "a show of Israeli sovereignty" and it is something that we should not stop. Moreover, there are a number of houses that should be evicted. He added, we should make it clear to intruders (meaning Palestinians) that Israel is a state of law. The state should parade its ability on imposing its sovereignty, firstly in Jerusalem, by not allowing the outlaws to control it (meaning Palestinians)."

The Israeli Minister of so called "Public Security" "Omer Bar Lev", said yesterday that he will allow the colonizers to invade Al-Aqsa Mosque during the month of Ramadan. "Bar Lev" added in his statement to the Israeli radio station "103" that, "Jews will be free to enter AL Aqsa mosque" hinting that there will be huge security preparations to prevent any escalation during the upcoming month.

"Sharren Haskel", the Chairman of the "Education Committee" in the Israeli Knesset, considered the visit of Arab /Palestinian teachers from the Palestinian Occupied lands in 1948 (from inside Israel) to the shrine of Yasser Arafat in Ramallah, a crime that should be punished against. "Haskel" also demanded the punishment of the principal and the teaching staff in Ash-Shamilah School near Shefa-'Amr city in the Green Line area (Israel) who conducted this visit. The teaching staff at the school visited the shrine and took a group photo which they posted on their social media. The KM of "New Hope" Party sent a message to the Israeli Minister of Education demanding her to take actions against them. She said, "Visiting the shrine of Yasser Arafat means supporting a symbol of hatred against Israel".

■ The approved master plans proposed in the first half of 2022:

The Israeli Occupation Authorities used the regulatory instrument as one of the active strategies to implement its settler-colonial project in the Palestinian occupied territory, whether for the continuation of building Israeli colonies and colonial outposts or for expansion purposes, or even to continue to stifle the Palestinian construction and urban development in the areas that are still under its regulatory authorities.

To make the picture clearer, the Israeli occupation Authorities marketed and publicized these "violations" as legitimate practices according to the Israeli law that is forcibly applied in the Palestinian occupied territory, namely; (Law No. 79 of 1966 on Organizing Cities, Villages and Buildings) without mentioning the "Military Order" (No. 418 of 1979), which amended that law to the point of emptying it of its content.

Thus, the structure the aforementioned "Military Order" and its subsequent amendments maintained the so-called "Supreme/Higher Planning and Building Council" after it granted the authority to the Israeli Military Commander to form "Council" (mostly consisting soldiers and colonizers). It also gave the "Council" the power over the existing Israeli related local and regional committees. Therefore, it became the sole body authorized to issue building permits or approve master plans for the Palestinian villages. At the same time, the Israeli colonies were given power of local committees and established other regulatory committees that have vast authorities in this regard.

To understand the reality of how the Israeli planning and construction mechanism operates in the Palestinian occupied Territories, we will quickly illustrate how the different committees emanating from the so-called "Supreme Planning and Building Council" - which work together to perpetuate the Israeli Colonial reality on the ground-operate:

- The so-called "Supreme/Higher Planning and Building Council", also called (the Higher Planning Office in Judea and Samaria), which looks at the Israeli regional plans and the structural/Master plans for Palestinian communities. Where seven committees emanated from this "Council".(The Colonial Subcommittee) and it is the most important in our opinion due to the fact that it was given the "power" of the "Supreme/Higher Planning and Building Council" regarding the regulatory and master plans of the already established or planned "Israeli Colonies".
- (The Monitoring and Inspection Subcommittee) that monitors the Palestinian construction and urban development and issues orders of constructions' moratorium and demolition orders.
- (The Planning and Licensing Subcommittee) that overlooks the appeals presented by the Palestinians whose buildings are threatened with demolition.



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- As for the other subcommittees, they are (the Environmental Quality Subcommittee), (the Roads, Railways, and Airports Subcommittee), (the Quarries and Stone Crushers Subcommittee), and (the Objections Subcommittee).

The Israeli Colonial Construction Plans in the first half of 2022:

The Colonization Subcommittee held one session in the first half of 2022 where it discussed 123 colonial regulatory plans (regional, master, and blueprints). The proposition of these settler-colonial plans aims to get the approval of the "Council" to consider or pass. The "Council" – on actual basis- has approved more than %98 of the proposed plans, despite the existence of marginal notes and comments regarding need to take some actions here or making a slight adjustments there.

The aforementioned plans took a geo-political distribution of a strategic colonial nature; it included building more than 7634 new colonial residential units, some of which will be built within the perimeter/periphery of the already established colonies, and others will be built within new colonial neighborhoods or colonies.

In the session of the so-called "Supreme/Higher Planning and Building Council" of the "Israeli Civil Administration" of the occupation State, it was approved to legalize three illegal colonial outposts with retroactive effect, namely: "Mitzpe Dani, Mitzpe Lachish, and Oz Havigon"; A huge expansion of the "Kanna" colony in Salfit Governorate, by adding 500 new colonial residential units, As well as an expansion of "Dolev" colony, west of Ramallah, with 454 new colonial residential units. It was approved also to add 156 colonial housing units in the "Kiryat Arba" colony adjacent to the city of Hebron, as well as ratification of the addition of 332 dunums to the industrial zone in "Ariel" colony, & finally, the addition of 1,061 colonial housing units in "Beitar Illit" colony, west of Bethlehem city.

The Occupation Authorities also approved 43 colonial construction plans in the occupied West Bank, in addition to another three plans in the occupied city of Jerusalem, while also depositing (for approval) 62 colonial construction plans across the occupied West Bank and another 4 plans in the Jerusalem Governorate for later ratification. It is worth noting in this colonial construction storm that in addition to establishing new colonial neighborhoods and expansion of the already existing ones, these colonial construction plans have focused on the development of the infrastructure of the on-going colonial project in the occupied West Bank and Jerusalem, whether it was inside the colonies or on the lands of Palestinian citizens, that were confiscated through the well-known colonial policies & procedures of the Israeli Occupation's Authorities.

The Approved Colonial Master Plans in the Reporting Period

The approved master plans						
Plan no	Name of the Arab villagez or city	Colony name	No of units	area	The Custodian	clarification
1134/60	Tamun	Beka'ot	-	-	Custodian of the Absentee Property	A water pond and streets
-	Nahalin and Beit Ummar	Alon Shvot	110	17.540 Dunum	Custodian of the Absentee Property	40 residents, shops, public, sport, and recreational buildings, and streets Licensing and expanding the Mishur Adumim Institute
420\2\12	Khan Al-Ahmar and At-Tur	Ma'ale Adumim	-	-	Custodian of the Absentee Property	A storage unit and a car parking
123\11	Mas'ha	Sha'arei Tikva	-	546 meter	Custodian of the Absentee Property	Additional of 7 - 6 story-buildings, in addition to
3\6\6\405	Nahalin	Alon Shvot	60	6.83 Dunum	Custodian of the Absentee Property	to building two new roads It includes an industrial zone (200,000 m2), engineering facilities (13,000 m2), stores
9\2\420	Al-Eizariya	Mishor Adumim	-	407.5 Dunum	Custodian of the Absentee Property	and business premises (38,000 m2), and public buildings (4,600 m2) Modifying and increasing an expansion area Two colonial residential units consisting of two floors
1\7\6\1\420	Al-Eizariya	Ma'ale Adumim	-	-	Custodian of the Absentee Property	Increasing an expansion area
79\5\410	El-Khader	Efrat	4	500 meter	Custodian of the Absentee Property	A three-story school building A water purification plant
30\3\410	El-Khader	Efrat	-	304 meter	Custodian of the Absentee Property	-
19\8\117	Deir Istiya	Karnei Shomron	-	1.55	AbsenteeCustodian of the Property	
2\5\413	'Arabal-Rashayida	Ma'ale Amos	-	-	-	
36\2\215	Nabi Samuil	Giv'at Ze'ev	2	638 meter	AbsenteeCustodian of the Property	

The approved master plans

Plan no	Name of the Arab village or city	Colony name	No of units	area	The Custodian	clarification
18\122	Saniriya	Sha'arei Tikva	3	593 meter	Judea and Samaria investment company	Two residential units and a storing unit
14\4\149	Jayus	Zufim	4	-	Custodian of the Absentee Property	Two residential units, a storing unit, and a shelter
58/300/4	Al Fara	-	-	-	-	-
413/5/2	Arab al-Rashayida	Ma'ale Amos	-	-	-	A water purification plant
521\1\پ	Hebron Hills	Negohot	158	520.26	Custodian of the Absentee Property	-
26\125	Mas'ha	Elkana	500	145.55	Custodian of the Absentee Property	-
8\4\170	Salfit	Rbaba	64	41.77	Custodian of the Absentee Property	In addition to public facilities
1\4\510	Hebron	Kiryat Arba	156	32.90	Custodian of the Absentee Property	-
521\1\پ	Hebron Hill	Nogohot	-	-	Custodian of the Absentee Property	For expansion purposes
26\125	Mas'ha	Elkana	-	-	Custodian of the Absentee Property	For expansion purposes
3\11\113	Qalqilya	Kdumim Zumit Fardim Neighborhood	377	162	Custodian of the Absentee Property	To add commercial and educational buildings
6\927	Hable	Ephraim	-	-	Custodian of the Absentee Property	To construct regional street no ٥٥ in Al-Mashatil area in Qalqilya District over the lands of the Hable village. This street confiscated ٣٩ land lots, four of them completely confiscated
1\2\212	Beit Ur	Mevo Horon	250	258.50	Custodian of the Absentee Property	to add colonial public and commercial buildings
66\5\410	Bethlehem	Efrat	73	-	Custodian of the Absentee Property	-
4\1\120	Deir Istiya	Immanuel	266	45.526	Custodian of the Absentee Property	-
5\4\104	Arraba	-	-	-	Custodian of the Absentee Property	converting agricultural open lands into a construction zone to build water treatment pumps
-	Kharas	Kiryat Netanim	1	520 meter	Custodian of the Absentee Property	-

The approved master plans

Plan no	Name of the Arab village or city	Colony name	No of units	area	The Custodian	clarification
1\2\101\51	Jerusalem Countryside overlooking the Dead Sea	-	-	-	-	Building new colonial buildings to the already-existing ones in the Qamran National Park in the Jerusalem Countryside overlooking the Dead Sea A water establishment
1\60	Qaryut	-	-	-	Custodian of the Absentee Property	A building and a solar power plant
1\6\17\51	Ein Feshkha	-	-	-	-	A water collection pond
-	Khirbet el-Mird	-	-	17 Dunum	-	Adding colonial units on already existing buildings
-	Jaba'	Kohav HaShahar	48	-	-	Installing water pumps and a solar power plant. In addition to adding an extra story to already existing buildings
-	Jordan Valley	Gtit	-	-	-	Establishing a waste-water purification plant, in addition to expanding already existing colonial institutions
-	Nabi Musa	-	-	-	-	For expansion purposes
44\2\201	Al-Lubban Al-Gharbi	Beit Aryeh	-	-	-	To increase the expansion of the colonial residential units in the colony by ٪10
385\3\1\111	Dayr Sharaf	Shavei Shomron	-	-	-	Expanding the Yad Vashem memorial hall
246\2	Latrun	-	-	-	Custodian of the Absentee Property	Colonial units on lands of Palestinian citizens in the city of Al-Bireh
9\218	Al-Bireh	Bet El	58	10.18 Dunum	Custodian of the Absentee Property	A well for the purpose of
2\3\6\210	Dayr Qadis	Modi'in Ilit	-	8.221 Dunum	Custodian of the Absentee Property	collecting around 400 meters of water

The proposed master plans (deposited)

The proposed master plans						
Plan no	Name of the Arab villagez or city	Colony name	No of units	area	The Custodian	clarification
02/01/2022	Lands from the villages of (Beit Nuba, Beit Sira, Safa, Bil'in, and others)	Modi'in-Maccabi m-Re'ut	-	20,293	Custodian of the Absentee Property	An industrial zone
130\3\5	Salfit	Ar'iel	-	584 meter	Custodian of the Absentee Property	Changing the plan from agricultural purposes to a streets construction
121\3\9\20	Saniriya	Oranit	-	-	Avdir-Milmad Company	Expanding an already existing colonial building
4\1\242	Kafr 'Aqab	Kohav Ya'akov	-	Uniting 10 dunums	Custodian of the Absentee Property	Educational buildings and roads. These lands have been confiscated previously
3\3\6\210	Dayr Qadis	Modi'in Ilit	-	Uniting lands	Custodian of the Absentee Property	Colonial public buildings and expanding already existing ones
600\8	Nabi Musa	Regional Council Mgelaut	-	-	Custodian of the Absentee Property	Building an electromagnetic station
2\11\3\1\420	Al-Eizariya	Ma'ale Adumim	-	-	Custodian of the Absentee Property	For expansion purposes
3\11\3\1\420	Al-Eizariya	Ma'ale Adumim	-	10 dunums	Custodian of the Absentee Property	For expansion purposes
1\41\7\420	Al-Eizariya	Ma'ale Adumim	-	29,377	Custodian of the Absentee Property	A colonial neighborhood composed of a number of colonial units
7\2\158	Kafr alLabad	Avnei Hefets	-	-	Custodian of the Absentee Property	Changing the land uses
1\7\227	Khan al Ahmar	Kfar Adumim	6	3,203	Custodian of the Absentee Property	Changing the land uses to build colonial units
10\402	El-Khader	Neve Daniel	3	569 meters	Custodian of the Absentee Property-Jewish Agency for Israel	Additional colonial units and stories
19\8\117	Deir Istiya	Karnei Shomron	-	1.5	Custodian of the Absentee Property	Colonial commercial building and public building
2\5\413	'Arab al-Rashayida	Ma'ale Amos	-	25 dunums	Custodian of the Absentee Property	Changing the land uses
28\3\410	El-Khader	Efrat	2	463 meters	Custodian of the Absentee Property	-
3\239	Baytillu	Natan'el	-	9.5 dunums	Custodian of the Absentee Property	Building colonial road, public buildings, and other areas whose status will be determined later
5\2\407	Beit Ummar	Ifrat and Migdal Oz	-	36.5 dunums	Custodian of the Absentee Property	An industrial zone

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70\5\410	Irtas	Giv'at Hzet	-	2.8 dunums	Custodian of the Absentee Property	An open space and a park
7\402	El-Khader	Neve Daniel	170	63 dunums	Custodian of the Absentee Property	a road will be built, and public areas and areas for infrastructure will be created
19\8\117	Deir Istiya	Karnei Shomron	-	2 dunums	Custodian of the Absentee Property	Colonial commercial buildings and public buildings
7\2\158	Kafr alLabad	Avnei Hefets	-	8 dunums	Custodian of the Absentee Property	Open spaces, areas for future usage, and a water purification plant
1\1\1\411	Arab Atta'amrah	Nokdim	-	-	Custodian of the Absentee Property	Changing construction lines
25/10/220	Al Jib	Giv'at Ze'ev	6	4.5	Custodian of the Absentee Property	-
1/4/2/240	Jaba'	Geva Binyamin	47	-	Custodian of the Absentee Property	An already existing building in addition to building 4 new storage units
1\3\13\125	Mas'ha	Elkana	-	33 dunums	Custodian of the Absentee Property	(Changing land uses) to build a synagogue, a kindergarten, and a school. In addition to using half of these lands to build a new colonial neighborhood
5\2\235	Ras Karkar	Telmon	-	14.5	Custodian of the Absentee Property	Changing some buildings' facades
24\3\201	Aboud	Beit Aryeh	-	500 meters	Custodian of the Absentee Property	A new building
76\05\410	El-Khader	Efrat	4	-	Custodian of the Absentee Property	-
1\1\6	The entirety of the West Bank	-	-	11 dunums	Custodian of the Absentee Property	Water facility
2\11\4\1\420	Al-Eizariya	Ma'ale Adumim	1	490 meters	Custodian of the Absentee Property	-
17\1\420	El-Khader	Efrat	-	-	Custodian of the Absentee Property	Granting a license to an already existing colonial building
3\1\234	Janiya	Dolev	364	280.678	Custodian of the Absentee Property	For expansion purposes and colonial public institutions
4\2\225	Dayr Dibwan	Mikhmas-Mitzpe Dani Neighborhood	114	150.595	Custodian of the Absentee Property	Public colonial buildings, roads, and others
2\2\205	Jalud and Turmus Aya	Shvut Rahel	534	357.90	Custodian of the Absentee Property	Colonial public buildings and roads
2\4\2\235	Ras Karkar	Talmun-Expanding the northern neighborhood	168	103.784	Custodian of the Absentee Property	Colonial public buildings, agricultural lands, and a forest
1\234	Ras Karkar	Dolev	90	21.90	Custodian of the Absentee Property	-
3\26\220	Beitunia	Giv'at Ze'ev	136	21.935	Custodian of the Absentee Property	-
19\3\1\426	Husan and Nahalin	Beitar Illit	1061	303.013	Custodian of the Absentee Property	-
66\5\410	El-Khader	Efrat- Giv'at Hitmar	193	128.51	Custodian of the Absentee Property	-

52\5\410	El-Khader	Efrat- Giv'at Daghan	-	6.130	Custodian of the Absentee Property	Building, Development and Investment Company, Limited
7\120	Deir Istiya and Immatain	Immanuel	-	320.17	Custodian of the Absentee Property	An industrial zone
1\3\407	Beit Ummar	Oz Fi'ijon	-	290.66	Custodian of the Absentee Property	Tourist and recreational sites and educational institutions
-	Jayus	East of Tzofim (stage b)	92	60.06	Custodian of the Absentee Property	-
47\4\1\420	Al-Eizariya	Ma'ale Adumim	32	6.165	Custodian of the Absentee Property	-
3\6\166	Ya'bad	Tal Minshi	107	105.25	Custodian of the Absentee Property	-
3\4\6\411	Arab Atta'amrah, Bethlehem	Nokdim	32	9.031	Custodian of the Absentee Property	-
130\6\11	Deir Istiya and Kifl Haris	Ari'el	-	324.770	Custodian of the Absentee Property	Expanding an industrial zone
15\122	Saniriya	Sha'arei Tikva	195	71.489	Custodian of the Absentee Property	Colonial public buildings
5\166	Barta'a	Reihan	-	47.778	Custodian of the Absentee Property	Colonial commercial area, gas station and public buildings
25\125	Mas'ha	Elkana	351	112.dunums	Custodian of the Absentee Property	For expansion purposes
8\107	Izmut	Elon Moreh	100	110.55 dunums	Custodian of the Absentee Property	For expansion purposes
1/4/401	alWataja	Har Gilo	560	294.787 dunums	Custodian of the Absentee Property	In addition to public buildings
16\10\220	Al Jib	Giv'at Ze'ev	29	-	Custodian of the Absentee Property	-
16\171	Lands from the villages of (Iskaka, As-Sawiya, Yatma, and Al-Lubban Al-Gharbi)	Rehelim	212	547.74 dunums	Custodian of the Absentee Property	In addition to Colonial public, educational and recreational buildings, and allocating lands for agricultural, industrial purposes, and engineering sites.
6\104	Arraba	Mevo Dothan	-	6.4 dunums	Custodian of the Absentee Property	For the purpose of building future colonial units
1\3\220	Al Jib	Giv'at Ze'ev	40	3.36 dunums	Custodian of the Absentee Property	-
4\603	Jericho	Vered Yeriho	45	55.65 dunums	Custodian of the Absentee Property	Future colonial public and agricultural buildings, and future development of the colony
2\6\166	'Anin and Ya'bad	Hinanit	10	57.3 dunums	Custodian of the Absentee Property	Colonial public buildings in the colony for expansion purposes
19\218	Al-Bireh	Bet El	58	10.23	Custodian of the Absentee Property	Colonial public buildings
2\6\6\405	Nahalin	Elon Shivut	78	6.83	Custodian of the Absentee Property	Colonial public buildings
7\515	Ad-Dhahiriya, Khirbet Zanuta	Teneh Omarim	68	26.208 dunums	Custodian of the Absentee Property	Colonial public buildings
3\13\113	Kafr Qaddoum	Kdumim	368	152.84	Custodian of the Absentee Property	Colonial residential units and public buildings

■ The Colonial Project in the occupied Holy City of Jerusalem judaizing the Holy City

This part of the report demonstrates a set of occupation government decisions and measures targeting the occupied Holy City of Jerusalem, perhaps the most prominent of which is the agreement concluded by the occupation municipality in Jerusalem and the so-called "Ministry of Jerusalem and Heritage" in the past months, regarding an agreement to implement a group of colonial projects in East Jerusalem, under a fictitious name whose goal is to deceive, the calls for "promoting the issue of integrating the residents of the eastern part of the city into society" within the scope of the implementation of the 2023-2018 governmental plan, which came in Government Decision No. 3790 issued on May 2018, 13 to ratify the five-year plan, which this time included several new matters, including planning and land registration, while the truth is that they are not more than another malicious colonial attempts by the Israeli government wrapped with and influenced by Political projections and diplomatic events that are taking place behind the scene, including the consolidation of "Israeli sovereignty" and the strengthening of the city's "Judaization process."

It is not a secret to anyone, that the suspicious development and planning tools that the occupation authorities invoke and implement on the ground are only a means of infiltration and tightening the grip on Jerusalem, which was indicated by the Israeli left-wing "Ir Amim" organization in its 2014 report that the "Israeli" planning policy in East Jerusalem since the year 1967 stemmed, to a large extent, from the aspiration to impose full Israeli sovereignty over the area, and as a result also, from the quest to maintain a solid Jewish majority in the city.

Regarding the use of the planning tool as a means in order to maintain a desirable demographic balance, "Yaker Segev" quoted what the official in charge of the East Jerusalem file in the Israeli government said at the time, , in a press interview, "We will not allow the residents of East Jerusalem to build the number of houses they need... I do not think that the most important task is to find a solution to the distress of the (Arab) residents of East Jerusalem... In the end, we will also look at the demographic situation, to make sure that we will not wake up after twenty years to see an Arab city in front of us as a reality."

Most Prominent Decisions of the Occupation's Municipality in Jerusalem Regarding the Judaizing Process of the city of Jerusalem:

- In an attempt of the Occupation Authorities to establish the so called "Israeli sovereignty" and "Israelizing" the Holy City of Jerusalem, the so-called Israeli "Ministry of Jerusalem and Heritage" in cooperation with the Israeli "Ministry of Culture and Sport" have conducted special projects to establish sport facilities in Eastern Jerusalem called community centers. These will be built on an area starting from Wadi Qaddoum in Ras Al-Amoud. Sports hall will be built on the 14 Dunum areas that will serve as sport facility in the afternoon time and as a school in the morning hours. This area will include a basketball stadium, pedestrian paths, and gyms, in addition to the football stadium already built in the school. Building these sport facilities comes in accordance with the Occupation Government's decision no. 3790 to allocate 2.1 million US\$ to facilitate the Judaization process in Eastern Jerusalem in the next five years, which started since September of 2018.
- Jewish Organizations in the United States alone donated 2 million US\$ to finance "the plan for cultural action in support of the Jewish character" in the city of Jerusalem.
- The Jerusalem Municipality allocated NIS 9 million to build 12 classrooms in a school located in the colony of "Ramot" and adding a department (section) to a school in the colony of "Gilo", while also allocating NIS 3.6 million to build passages to Bab Al-Amoud, Rockefeller Museum, and the French Hill to reinforce the Judaizing steps of the city.
- The Jerusalem Municipality decided to allocate NIS 450,000 to build synagogue of Ethiopian Jews in the colony of "Nafeh Yaakov".
- The Occupation's Municipality decided to increase illumination capacity in the colonial neighborhoods in Eastern Jerusalem and install security cameras to reinforce the deterrence and reinstate the confidence that was shaken lately amongst the Israeli colonial population. The list includes the following colonial outposts (Pisgat Ze'ev, Naveh Ya'akov, Hater Homah, and Ramat Shlomo) and crossroads.
- The Occupations Municipality decided to establish fixed surveillance and monitoring checkpoints in different areas around the occupied city.
- Within the framework of Judaizing the Holy City, the Occupation's Municipality decided to allocate NIS 10.5 million to implement the five-year plan for welfare and employment in Eastern Jerusalem; these amounts are usually distributed among the colonizers living in Eastern Jerusalem.

- The "District Committee in the Jerusalem Municipality" decided to allocate NIS 15 million to improve the infrastructure of the streets of Jerusalem. However, it is unknown whether this amount of money is allocated to Eastern Jerusalem. The committee mentioned that the plan includes streets in the colony of "Bisgat Ze'ev" and the High Commissioner's Palace in Jabal Al-Mukabber.
- In the context of Judaization process of the city, the Occupation's Municipality decided to allocate NIS 10 million to expand the street of "Bisgat Ze'ev".
- Allocating NIS 2.7 million to improve traffic in street no 1 in the north of Occupied Jerusalem .

The Approved Structural/Master Plans in the Occupied City of Jerusalem

- The so called "District Committee in the Jerusalem Municipality" decided to build the Emirati Burj Khalifa, of 40 floors. The plan has been deposited for approval by the Israeli "competent authorities". The plan includes 240 apartments and a hotel, 9,000 commercial meters and a public building with an area of 5,000 m2, on an area estimated at 7 acres of occupied Palestinian land.
- Structure plan no.5036, which provides for converting use of lands in Al-Isawiya village in occupied Jerusalem from open land to a fuel station, a site for commercial services, & demarcation of other areas for construction purposes in addition to building a special road to lead for the fuel station.
- The so called "Local Committee for Planning and Construction in Jerusalem Municipality" approved a plan to build 90,000 m2 for the establishment of commercial projects, different professions and light industrial workshops, wedding halls, cafes and other entertainment facilities, in the lands of Al-Isawiya neighborhood of occupied Jerusalem, overlooking Street No. 1 and the apartheid Annexation & Expansion Wall from the eastern side.
- An agreement was signed between so called "Jerusalem Municipality" and the so-called "Ministry of Jerusalem and Jewish Heritage" to build visitors' center, halls, synagogue, souvenir shops, library, guidance center, cemetery research institute, and a telescope site on Jabal Azzytoun (Mount of Olives) in Jerusalem, overlooking the Old City and the entire city of occupied Jerusalem. he so called "Israeli Ministry of Construction and Housing" has drawn up a construction plan to build 730 colonial apartments in the colony of "Psgat Ze'ev", which is built on Palestinian lands in villages of Al-Ram, Hizma and Beit Hanina,

T on an area of 70 dunums. The new colonial neighborhood includes 14 multi-story buildings of 12 floors each. The plan included the designation of 21,000 m² for commercial purposes, 41,000 m² for educational facilities, religious and cultural institutions, and 16 dunums of land as an open area.

- The so called "Israel Land Authority" and "Ministry of Tourism" agreed to submit a project to establish an underground public bus station on an area of 2,500 m² in Jabal Mukaber lands in occupied Jerusalem.

- The so called "Natural Reserves Committee in the Israeli municipality" in occupied Jerusalem decided to declare the Palestinian neighborhood of Al-Tur as a natural reserve area, in which construction of more than four floors is prohibited. There is a talk about 120 Palestinian buildings, including 11 of religious nature and public institutions, claiming that these buildings are historical and archaeological, built before 1967, where under the new declaration of "Natural Reserves", these buildings will be included in the decision that stipulates having prior approval of the "Committee" for any additional floor for these mentioned buildings. It is worth mentioning that the Israeli law in force in "Israel" indicates that such orders and decisions apply only to buildings that were built before 1948, the decision of the 'committee' also includes the village of al-Tur overlooking Khan al-Ahmar area.

- The so called "District Committee in the occupation municipality" rejected the petition submitted by the Palestinian landowners and Al Waqf, as some lands belong to the Islamic Waqf, regarding the confiscation of private land owned by Palestinians, for the purpose of establishing a station for the cable car to be built in the occupied old City. The confiscated land, which includes the Islamic Yusufiya cemetery, is located to the northeast of the wall surrounding Jerusalem old city.

- The so called "Local Planning and Building Committee" of the Israeli municipality in Jerusalem recommended the approval of the construction plan of 539 colonial units in "Har Homa" colony built on Jabal Abu Ghneim. The plan also includes building new streets, light rail way, public buildings and commercial areas.

- In the same context, the said "committee" recommended the construction of a new colonial neighborhood on Palestinian lands near Beit Safafa town, under the name "Givat Shaked", where 478 colonial housing units are planned to be built according to this plan.

- Plan No. (16/18/1600) was submitted by the so called "Custodian of Absentee Property" to convert land usage from agricultural to residential in preparation for building more colonial housing units for Jewish colonizers in East Jerusalem.

- The occupation municipality of Jerusalem deposited three master plans for the so called "District Planning Committee" to build a new Jewish colonial neighborhood in Jabal Almasharif which is known as Mount Scopus, located in the Palestinian territories in occupied Jerusalem. The new colonial neighborhood is called the "University Quarter", which extends from Jabal Almasharif (Mount Scopus) and the "Hebrew University" up to the light rail way, part of which is located in Sheikh Jarrah neighborhood. The new colonial neighborhood extends over 150 dunums of land, which was seized by the occupation authority in the early 1960s.

"There will be 1,500 colonial housing units, 200 rooms of the so-called protected housing, and 500 dormitories for university students, and part of these apartments will be built in high-rise residential towers. The project will also include the construction of new streets and the construction of public buildings.

The aforementioned plan, with the ongoing attempts to expel Palestinian citizens from Sheikh Jarrah, along with other current and future apartheid projects, would eventually transform the Palestinian neighborhoods into smaller and strangled neighborhoods, out casting any future population increases outside Jerusalem, in addition to inundating these Palestinian neighborhoods with chaos due to the overcrowded nature of these neighborhoods and the intentional absence of rule of law."

- Jerusalem occupation municipality approved a new master plan on the lands of Beit Jala occupied in 1967, within the framework of the so-called "evacuation and construction", during which 4 colonial residential towers will be built, two of them consisting more than 35 floors and the other two are of 17 floors each. The four towers include 800 colonial housing units and public buildings with an area of 2,200 m².

The Most Prominent Decisions of the Israeli Occupation Authorities regarding the Occupied City of Jerusalem

- The approval of Lafei' scheme, which will be implemented over the year 2026-2022, aiming allegedly to enhance the city's long-term development and growth & in fields of economic development, as 750 million and 500K shekels will be allocated for this purpose, 8 in addition to developing the academy and tourism in accordance with the so called "Abraham Agreement" and to enhance the status of "Jerusalem as the capital of Israel" and as the commercial center of the occupation state.

- The allocation of NIS 16 million for the years (2023-2022), for the alleged excavation and development of archaeological sites and the so called Jewish heritage in the Old City of Jerusalem "City of David" [Silwan].

•[The Shalem plan is related to the development of the so-called antiquities related to the so-called Jewish heritage, with focus on national, religious and historical centers for the Jews. Excavation works will be carried out in Silwan at the "Ben Hinnom Gate" the foothills of Jabal bin Daoud (Mount Zion),Al-Ain, and establishing temple mount road -called "path" of the Temple, while other excavations will be carried out in the Kedem area and the Ophel Tunnel.]

- The allocation of NIS 20 million to preserve the historical trees in the Israeli presidential residence and to deepen cultural and educational activities and researches and studies of Jewish groups in the Middle East.
- Approval of the Infrastructure comprehensive plan in the field of energy and the disbursement of NIS 29.5 million in years 2025-2022.
- Supporting the so called "Jerusalem Municipality" to prepare a master plan for solid waste treatment and reducing gas and smokes emissions.
- Speeding up the plan process for constructing roads in East Jerusalem by allocating NIS 50 million and to start the establishment of needed infrastructure for serve trains, motorcycles, and public transportation projects, which the overall cost will reach NIS 300 million.
- Adding budgets required to build the synagogue "the pride of Israel" in the so called "Jewish Quarter" in the occupied Old City of Jerusalem.
- Establishing a new center for municipal conferences above the bus station with an area of up to 3,000 m2 in the French Hill.
- Land allocation for the establishment of the educational village in East Jerusalem.
- The Israeli occupation government approved the establishment of a conference center that includes several buildings in the hotels area in the French Hill.
- The so-called Israeli "Nature Authority" transformed usage of part of Wadi al-Rababa lands to construction purposes for the establishment of a colonial outpost.
- The "occupation municipality" announced the use of lands confiscated from villages north of occupied East Jerusalem (82.5 dunums) for building infrastructure facilities, mainly for the extension of the light rail, linking West Jerusalem with the Qalandiya airport area and the Qalandiya industrial zone "Atarot".
- The so called "Jerusalem municipality" decided to establish a Jewish school in the house of Al-Salhia family, which was evacuated in Sheikh Jarrah neighborhood, and tasked the competent municipal department to prepare the engineering plans for this purpose.
- On the occasion of Al Quds Day, the Israeli occupation government decided to allocate an amount of NIS 30 million for "Jerusalem occupation municipality", to arrange necessary activities including the so called "Flags March".



Chapter III

Israeli Occupation procedures to control land

Continuing Control Over West Bank's Lands

Since the "Israel" occupation to West Bank in 1967, the Israeli occupation authorities have seized approximately 2,380 km², including for colonial expansion, a procedure that has never come to an end by the occupation authorities and has recently further accelerated and took many forms and being implemented on alleged pretexts and captions.

The Israeli occupation authorities have already established 343 colonies and colonial outposts in the West Bank. The occupation authorities officially recognized the 176 colonies, including the colonies in East Jerusalem, the other 176 colonial outposts are allegedly not yet recognized by the Israeli government but they still enjoy incentives by the different official governmental bodies and are protected by the Israeli army, where some of them are in-process of legitimization by the Israeli government."

The Israeli occupation authorities also established 144 other colonial sites, such as 25 industrial zones, 94 military sites, and 25 service and tourist sites to serve its overall colonial project.

For example: Plan No. 4/2/225 to "legitimize" the outpost of "Mitzpe Dani", which was erected east of Ramallah in 1999 on private lands, the Israeli government considered it as a neighborhoods of the Ma'aleh Michmas colony, to avoid embarrassment of legitimization of this colonial outpost.

Example: A plan to establish a new colony west of Bethlehem

In May 2022, the Israeli occupation authorities resubmitted a new plan No. 1/4/404 to build a new colony, and according to this new plan that is submitted by the so called "Civil Administration", it provides for the construction of 560 new colonial housing units out of the 952 that were discussed in 2020, in addition to other colonial buildings on an area of 205 dunums of citizens' lands in the area between the towns of Al-Walajah and Beiter in Bethlehem Governorate, and as usual, the "Israeli Civil Administration" considered the implementation of this new plan as one of the neighborhoods of "Har Gilo" colony, and that would close off the areas that the Palestinians could use for urban expansion to west of Bethlehem, and thus besiege Bethlehem city from the north, west and south with a number of Israeli colonies and east by colonial roads.



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Coercive Environment: One Manifestation of the Forced Displacement Crime

- Legal Background

There is a consensus among international law jurists on classifying the crime of forcible transfer in principle, as it means the displacement or deportation of one or more persons, to another country or place, as a War Crime, although some of them deemed this grave violation of rules of International Humanitarian Law as a Crime Against Humanity, as it often includes the destruction or confiscation of property in a large scale not justified by "military necessity" . International Humanitarian Law has singled out a clear codification of this crime, as mentioned in the following text:

"Individual or mass forcible transfers or deportations of protected persons from occupied territory to the territory of the occupying power or to the territory of any other country, occupied or not, are prohibited, regardless of their motives .

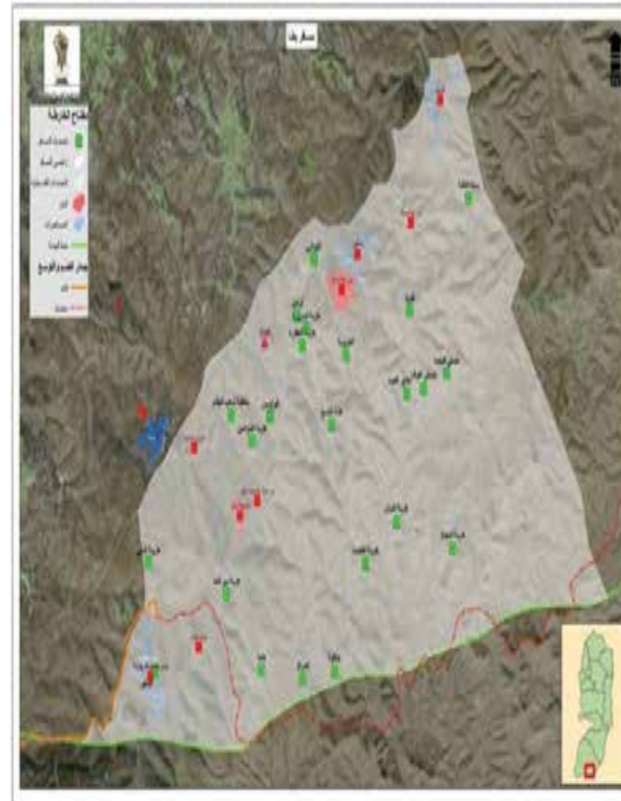
The implementation of the forced displacement crime does not necessarily take the form of direct violence. The Trial Chamber of the International Criminal Tribunal for the former Yugoslavia specified that the term "forced" can include physical force, in addition to the threat of use of force, or coercion resulting from fear of the use of violence, coercion, arrest, psychological oppression, the abuse of force, or the act of taking advantage of a coercive environment.

The same chamber clarified that the criterion for coercion here is the absence of free choice of the victim. Accordingly, the consent of persons to displacement or even their demand for it must be the product of their individual free will, and it must be evaluated in the light of the circumstances surrounding each case. Also, the intervention of non-governmental institutions to facilitate displacement or the signing of agreements between political or military parties or any representatives of the conflict parties does not confer any legal character on this illegal displacement, because the free consent of individuals is the criterion here .

Forced Displacement in Masafer Yatta, South East of Hebron City

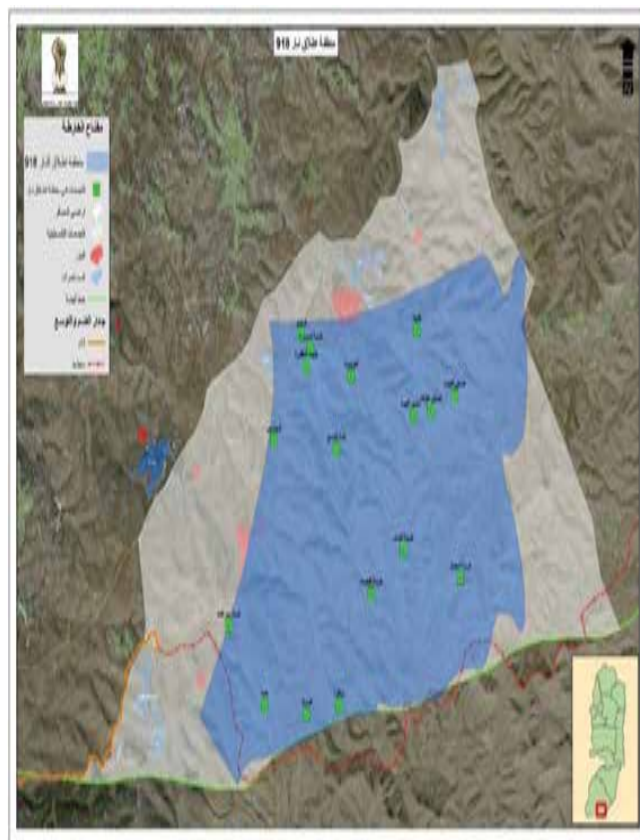
Al-Masafer is the area located to the south of Yatta and Hebron city, between the 317 colonial bypass roads to the Green Line from the south, and its lands overlap with the lands of 1948. The Masafer Yatta area is completely under the Israeli occupation control and is classified by the occupation as Area "C". (See map 1).

- The area of Masafer Yatta is estimated about 57,000 dunums
- Al-Masafer consists of 23 communities and khirbet largely inhabited by Bedouins who were displaced from the areas of Beir Sabi' and the Negev during the 1948 war.
- The Israeli colonizers established 10 colonies and colonial outposts on lands of Masafer Yatta.



Firing Zone 918 (Masafer Yatta)

The communities of Masafer threatened with forced displacement are located south of Hebron, to the southeast of Yatta, in an area that was declared as a "firing zone", military order no. 918 / December 1972, 25. The total area under this military order is estimated about 32,000 dunums of land of Masafer Yatta, and modifications were made to this "order" in 1980 and 1982, where about %3 only of the total declared area is used for military trainings (see map 2).



There are 17 Palestinian communities, most of which existed before the occupation of the West Bank in 1967, and they are (Janba, Al-markaz, Halawa, Khirbet al-Fakhit, Khirbet al-Tabbaneh, Khirbet al-Majaz, Sfi al-Fawqa, Safi al-Tahta, Maghair al-Ubaid, Tuba, Khallet al-Dabaa, al-Kharrouba, Khirbet al-Mufqarah, Khirbet Sarrouh, Al-Rukeez, Bir Al-Ad).

During the months of October and November 1999, the Israeli occupation army forcibly displaced about 700 citizens of 12 communities and Khirbet (Al-Rkeez, Al-Mafqarah, Khallet al-Daba, Safi al-Fawqa, Safi al-Tahta, al-Halawa, Maghair al-Ubaid, al-Marqaz, al-Majaz, Janba, al-Fakhit, Tuba), in addition to issuance of about 358 demolition notices, in order to evict the residents on the pretext of located in a "firing zone area", thus ignoring the fact that those residents inhabit the area for many years long before the Israeli occupation in 1967.

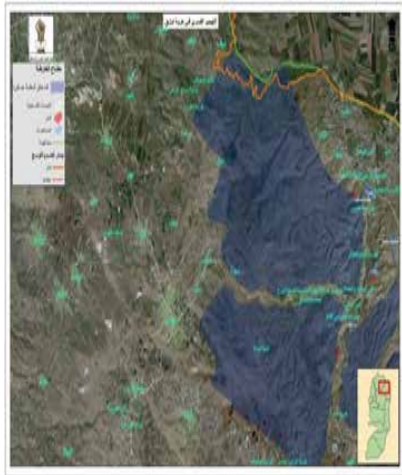
Moreover, this argument contradicts this military closure order, as it states that the order does not apply to the residents of the closed area, but on practical term, and 4months later, the residents returned to their communities as they rejected the displacement order and according submitted a petition/ appeal to the Israeli court (00/517), where the residents were allowed to return and temporary housing in their communities, while the so called "Israeli Civil Administration" suspiciously tried to open channels of communication with the residents in order to transfer them quietly to other places, but the residents rejected the proposal and remained in their homes and on their lands that they own, and then communication stopped in 2005.

A petition was submitted to the "Israeli Supreme Court" in 2012 for eight communities (Khirbet al-Tabban, Safi al-Fawqa, Safi al-Tahta, al-Halawa, al-Marqaz, al-Majaz, Janb, and al-Fakhit). The Occupation Court rejected all the petitions that were submitted against the evacuation after a series of hearings that were held in Israeli court (2017-1-11 2020-8-10 ,2022-3-15 ,2021-2-24), but eventually the decision of the final Israeli High Court on May 2022 ,5 was biased to the colonization project, where the pace of demolitions in this area has accelerated since 2016, based on the court's final verdict on evacuating these 8 communities and expelling their residents of more than 2000 people. **Ramifications of the Displacement of Masafer Yatta's Residents**

First: The dismemberment of Al-Masafer area (the area located to the south of the colonial bypass road 317) and the evacuation of residents will facilitate the colonial construction process by building a series of colonies similar to the colonies of "Gush Etzwin", "Ariel" and "Ma'ale Adumim" and link the colonies together with a network of colonial roads and infrastructure leading to the south to "Tel Arad" and "Beersheba". This colonial procedure constitutes ethnic cleansing against the Palestinian population in the area.

Second: The obliteration of the Palestinian cultural heritage in that area with nomadic feature, in addition to existence of some antiquities in the area such as hundreds of Roman caves that are still inhabited by the Palestinian residents which can be registered as historical sites in the UNESCO World Heritage List. The displacement of population will facilitate the task of the Israeli occupation authorities to falsify historical and antiquities facts by fake biblical narrative about the region.

Third: The evacuation decision will affect the livelihood of hundreds of families who subsist on livestock, pastoral and agriculture activities in this area, which is the secret of their surviving and steadfastness.



Forced Displacement in Khirbet Ibziq in Tubas Governorate, North West Bank

- In the past months, Khirbet Ibziq in Tubas governorate has been subjected to a systematic displacement campaign by the Israeli occupation authorities, similar to other neighboring communities like Hemsia community which was destroyed and evacuated frequently by the Israeli Occupation Authorities. Israeli military bulldozers and tanks systematically target shelters of residents and their agricultural lands on the pretext of conducting "military exercises".

- On 2022/25/4, the Israeli High Court rejected a petition submitted by the residents of Khirbet Ibziq to prevent their displacement from their lands. The Israeli court's rejection of this petition means the green light for displacing 210 Palestinian citizens from their homes and lands.

- The area is intensively witnessing continuous military trainings/drills that are usually associated either by temporary or permanent evacuation of inhabitants, along with a massive destruction of people's facilities, livelihoods and property, which depicts the intentional and clear forced displacement policy aimed at expelling citizens from their lands and confiscating their property through the application of coercive environment, not to mention, the hazardous military remnants such as UXOs that usually left behind these military exercises that use live ammunitions.

- Khirbet Ibziq is located in the north-east of Tubas governorate, with 210 inhabitants on an area of 46,000 dunums. It worth mentioning that the population resided in this area long before the Israeli occupation to West Bank in 1967, wherein 1967, the Israeli occupation authorities' decision No. 900 has declared 73,000 dunums in the area as "military closed area", where 180 citizens live including 46 of whom, their houses are located in the designated "firing zone".

- The areas of military closure are used as a "security pretext" by the Israeli authorities, but later on, the "Israeli colonizers" who live in the area, were allowed to establish colonial outposts and cultivate lands. For in contradiction to these military orders, the Israeli colonizers have established a colonial outpost, namely "Shirat Hasvim" in the same area that the Israeli occupation authorities seek to evacuate and displace Palestinian citizens..

Also, the Israeli occupation authorities have established a colonial outpost in 2016 in the same area declared as "firing zone" where Palestinians are at risk of forced displacement.

Colonial Outposts Established in the First Half of 2022

The number of colonial outposts established by colonizers in the occupied Palestinian territory up-to-date reached 176 outposts across the occupied West Bank and Jerusalem. These outposts are, in fact, the nuclei of new bigger colonies, some of them were started by humble facilities such as tents and caravans or mobile housing units, and usually take the shape of agricultural farms.

The very well-known scenario regarding the establishment of the colonial outposts is that after the physical erection of the new colonial site, the Israeli government immediately provides security and protection to colonizers who move to this new outpost and then providing necessary infrastructure and basic services to the newly born colonial outpost. Perhaps what is most remarkable on this regard this year, is the recommendation of the deputy legal advisor of the Israeli government to extend the electricity network to the colonial outposts that the Israeli occupation government itself claims to be "illegal". The recommendation included colonies established on the so-called "state lands" only, which are undergoing a stage of future arrangement to become legal colonies. The decision does not include those outposts built on private Palestinian lands, as a circumvention of measures required by the process of "legitimizing" the colonial outposts that the Israeli occupation government denies in public and supports in secret. Moreover, the

Israeli "Knesset" hasn't omitted this issue; indeed, a new law was proposed to provide municipal services such as water, electricity and other basic services to colonial outposts.

The Israeli strategy applied on establishing colonial outposts was actually adopted to spare the Israeli government from international criticism, in case the Israeli government itself established these new colonial outposts similar to the applicable procedures of the Israeli government on colonies' expansion. . The roles sharing strategy between colonizers and the Israeli government on establishment of new colonial outposts constitutes the essence of this malicious strategy and provides the Israeli government with a margin to publicly deny its involvement in this violation, knowing that connecting any colonial outpost with water & electricity or roads construction, requires obtaining the approval of the official authorities of the Israeli occupation state. More importantly, the provision of security and guarding services by the Israeli army to the newly established outposts necessarily means that the Israeli Minister of Defense is aware of this and that providing guarding & security means giving his tacit approval of what is happening.

In the first half of 2022, colonizers established five colonial outposts on Palestinian citizens' lands in the governorates of Ramallah, Nablus and Salfit. The next section reviews all these outposts, attached with photos.

Colonial Outposts Established During the First Half of 2022

• Colonial outpost – "Rimonim Farm"

This colonial outpost was established in January 2022 in the 906 ceasefire zone, on lands of Deir Jarir village in Ramallah governorate near Al-Ma'arjat Road which leads to Jericho. It consists of animal barn and tents, and it belongs to another agricultural outpost, "Mazraat Niris", which is built on the lands of Al-Taybeh village in Ramallah governorate.



• Colonial outpost – "Itamar Cohen's farm"

This colonial outpost was established in March of the year 2022 on the lands of Yanoun village in Nablus governorate. It consists of a sheepfold, tents and a mobile truck. It belongs to another agricultural outpost, "Itamar Farm 573", which is built on the lands of Yanoun in the Nablus governorate.



• Colonial outpost – "Bedouel Farm"

This outpost was established in April of the year 2022 on the lands of the Kafr al-Deek village of Salfat Governorate, near "Bedouel" colony, and it consists of a sheep pen, a group of caravans and a truck.



• Colonial Outpost – "Yitzhar Farm"

This outpost was established in May 2022 on the lands of the village of Burin in the Nablus District, near the colony of "Yitzhar". It consists of a sheep pen and a tent.



• The colonial outpost - west of "Ahiay outpost"

This outpost was established in May 2022 on the lands of the village of Jalud in Nablus governorate. It consists of a group of caravans and guard posts. It is located near "Ahya" colonial outpost.



■ Expropriation "Land Confiscation" During the Reporting Period

During the period covered by this report, the Israeli occupation authorities confiscated a total of 22,394 dunums on different pretext and under various titles (natural reserves, security, expropriation orders, and seizure orders).

• Natural Reserve Declarations/ Orders

On 2022/4/10, the commander of the so called "Israeli Civil Administration", with the approval of the Israeli "Minister of Defense" has signed a "military order" declaring 21,959 dunums of land as a "natural reserve" on lands of Jerusalem and Jericho governorates.

This colonial procedure is considered the largest land expropriation since 1997, and called "Nahal Ogh" and Wadi Maklek, of which, 6,280 dunums of land are private lands. On real terms, the meaning of this "declaration/order" is to apply "legal" restrictions before Palestinians on land use, planning and construction, and therefore land owners will be banned from cultivation, grazing animals or construction in these declared lands. Similar to other previous natural reserves' declarations on "natural reserves", the real purpose here is not related to preservation of lands, but it is rather another colonial tool for land confiscation in the framework of the on-going colonial project.

Publicizing this declaration comes after Israeli PM "Naftali Bennett" announced in 2020, during his tenure as "Minister of Defense", a plan to declare seven natural reserves in occupied West Bank, of which, three were announced in the year 2020 on an area of 11,000 dunums, stating that; "Today we give great power to the Land of Israel and continue to develop and expand colonies in Area C.....He added; with actions, we will expand the existing sites and inaugurate new ones as well". "I call upon all citizens of Israel to come to the West Bank for the continuation of the Zionist project," he added. Since the Israeli occupation of West Bank, the occupation authorities have declared about 50 "natural reserves" on an area of 374,000 dunums, of which 330,000 dunums are in Area C, which represents about %10 of total Area C.

• Expropriation Orders

During the reporting period, the Israeli occupation authorities confiscated 59,581 dunums through 2 expropriation orders. The real aim of this colonial procedure is to confiscate large areas of Palestinian private lands, in order to develop the Judaizing colonial project in West bank and Jerusalem, and to build colonial roads connecting Israeli colonies together and facilitating the movement of Israeli colonizers across the occupied West Bank, while in the same time, dismembering Palestinian geographical extension and stifling the Palestinian space and any future urban development or expansion for the Palestinians in West Bank and Jerusalem.



Examples on these “military orders” are the expropriation order no. 22/1-أ (see map), that was issued on 2022/22/5, which provides for the confiscation of 54,627 dunums of Al-Tur lands in occupied Jerusalem for the development of the colonial eastern ring road in the city of Jerusalem. The aim of this road is to link the Israeli colonies to the roads' network around the city of Jerusalem and to connect the colonies in the southern part of the city, in addition to accelerating the pace of colonial construction. The Palestinians whose lands were confiscated will no longer be able to use, likewise, in Nablus, through the order no. 2/22-أ, which targets 4,954 dunums of citizens' lands in the village of Majdal Bani Fadel.

• Land Seizure Orders

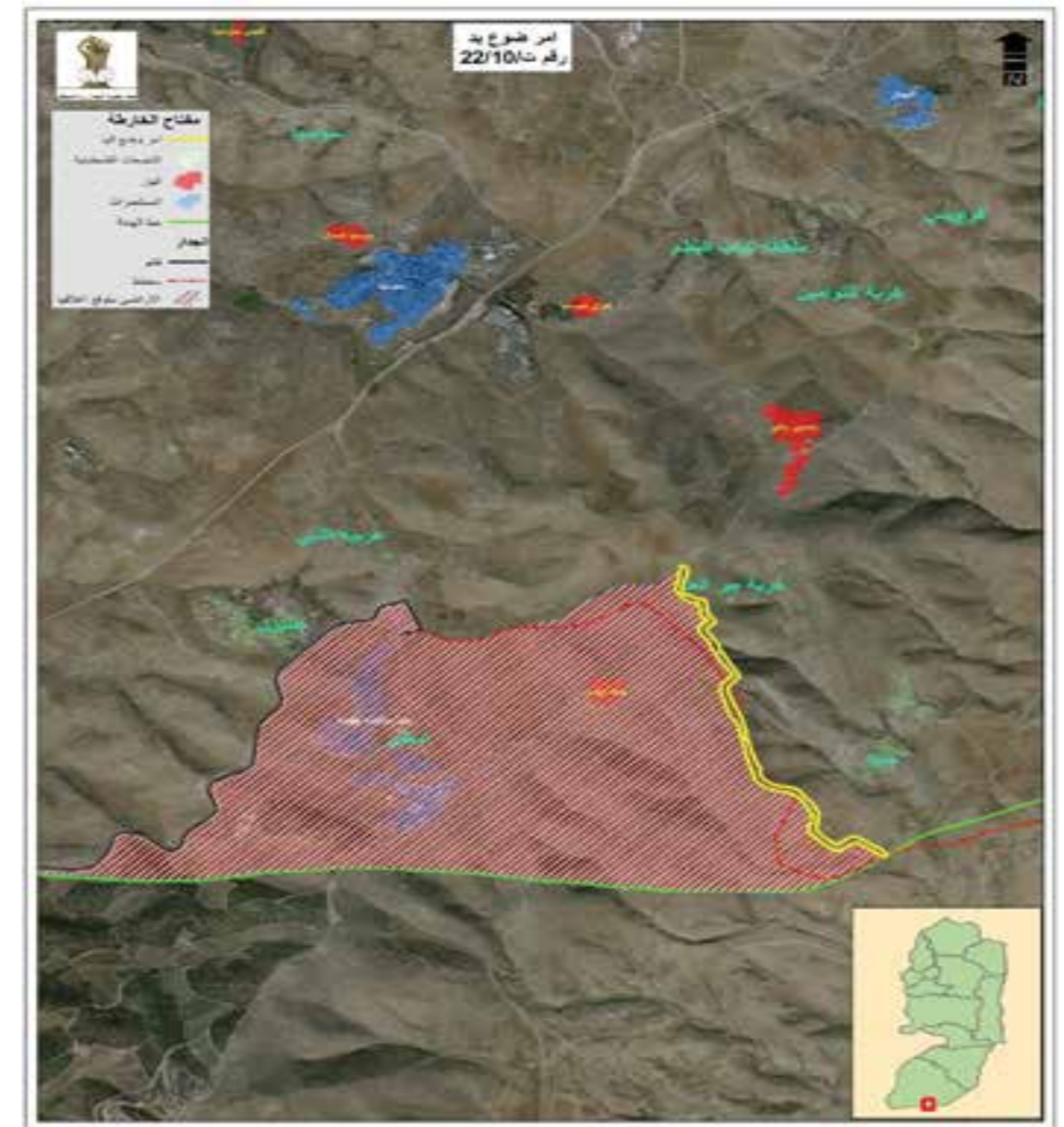
It is one of the colonial mechanisms of Israeli government to control Palestinian private lands, whether for the use of the colonial construction, or for other colonial purposes that are decided by the Israeli occupation government. Land seizure orders also are an effective instrument to suffocate practice Palestinian urban expansion and to deprive Palestinians the ability to exploit their livelihood & natural resources.

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Although the land seizure orders are issued by the Israeli military commander which validity are usually limited -usually for one or two years-but in reality, these types of "military orders" are renewed frequently upon expiry and republished. In this context, the Israeli military authorities in this reporting period have issued 3 "land seizure orders" for an area of 375.4 dunums on te pretext of "security necessities".

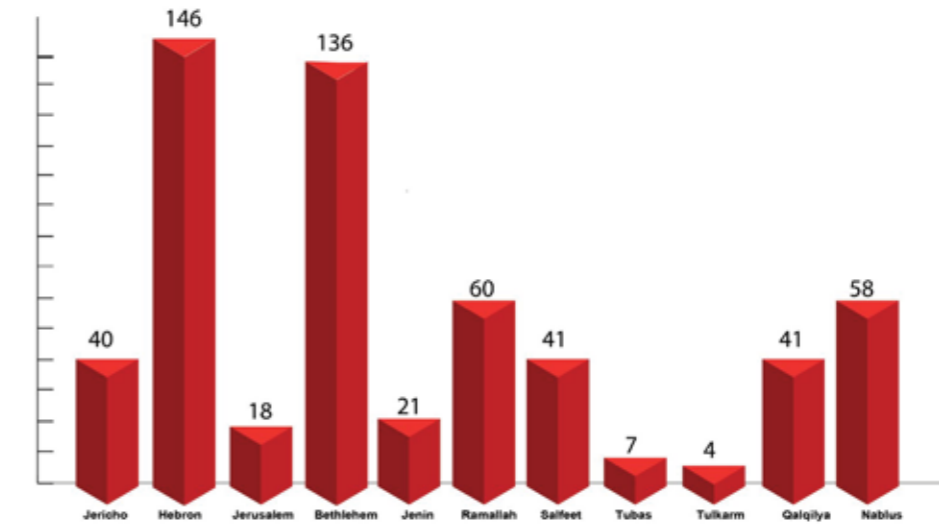
An example of these "orders" is the "order" no. 10/22/ت dated 2022/18/5 for 95 dunums of land in Hebron Governorate, which aims to build a colonial road and a security wall, while also isolating 5,000 dunums of citizens' lands in preparation for the colonizers' future control. (See map)



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Demolition Notices in the Occupied West Bank during the Reporting Period



Demolition Notices

In the first half of 2022, the Israeli occupation authorities issued 572 demolition notices against different Palestinian facilities & structures on the pretext of "non-licensing". Most of these "notices" are concentrated and targeted the governorates of Hebron (146 notices) and Bethlehem (136 notices).

Demolition notices issued by the occupation authorities in the West Bank and considered one of the destructive tools used by the Israeli occupation against Palestinian urban development and housing needs in so called area "C" and preventing them from any development prospect and urban expansion in light of the Israeli occupation's control over planning and licensing in these areas.

Moreover, it is a tool to stifle Palestinians from their basic right of housing and to hold any Palestinian Master Plan under mercy of the Israeli military administration that is called "Civil Administration" that rejects any proposed master plan from the Palestinian side in the area called "C", which represents %61 of the total area of the occupied West Bank, an area that was deliberately kept by the Israeli occupation state as a strategic reserve for the future colonial expansion.

Table showing the geographic distribution of number of "Demolition Notices" and their percentage across the different Palestinian governorates.

Governorate	Number	Percentage
Jericho	40	%7
Hebron	146	%26
Jerusalem	18	%3
Bethlehem	136	%24
Jenin	21	%4
Ramallah	60	%10
Salfet	41	%7
Tubas	7	%1
Tulkarm	4	%1
Qalqilya	41	%7
Nablus	58	%10
Total	572	%100

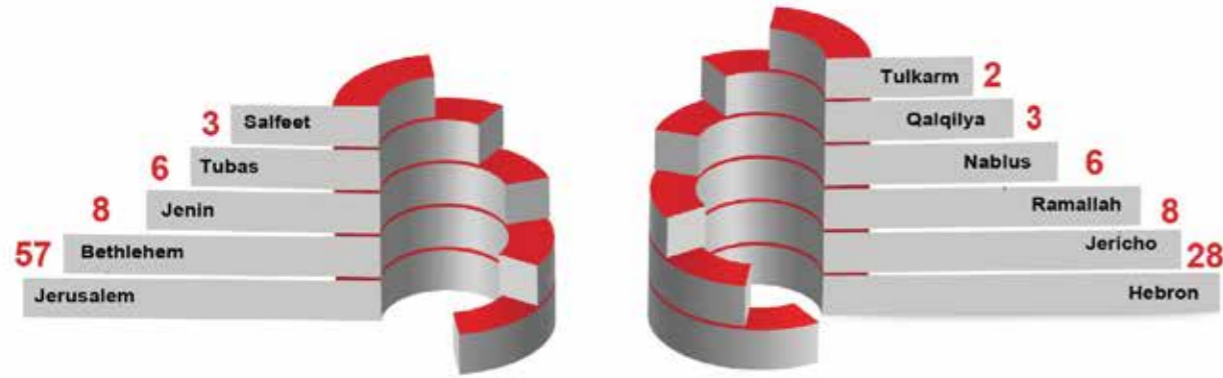
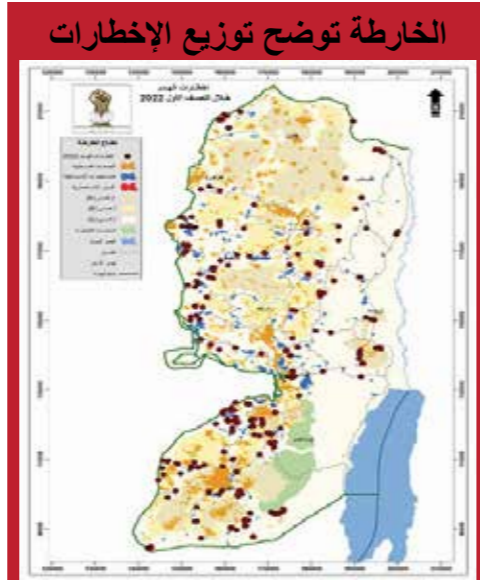


Chapter IV
Destructive Procedures and Practices of the Israeli occupation Authorities against Palestinian Facilities

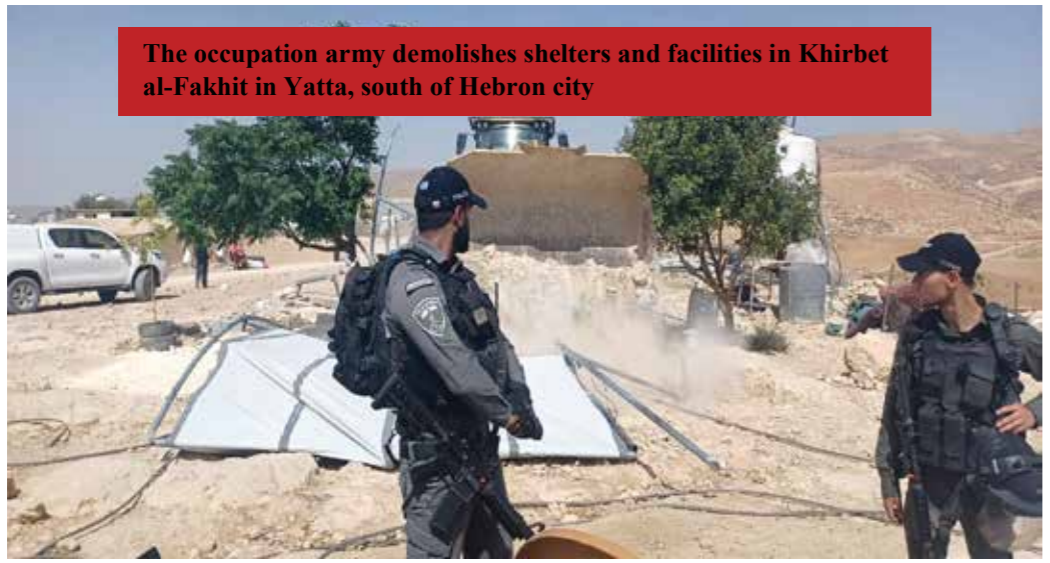
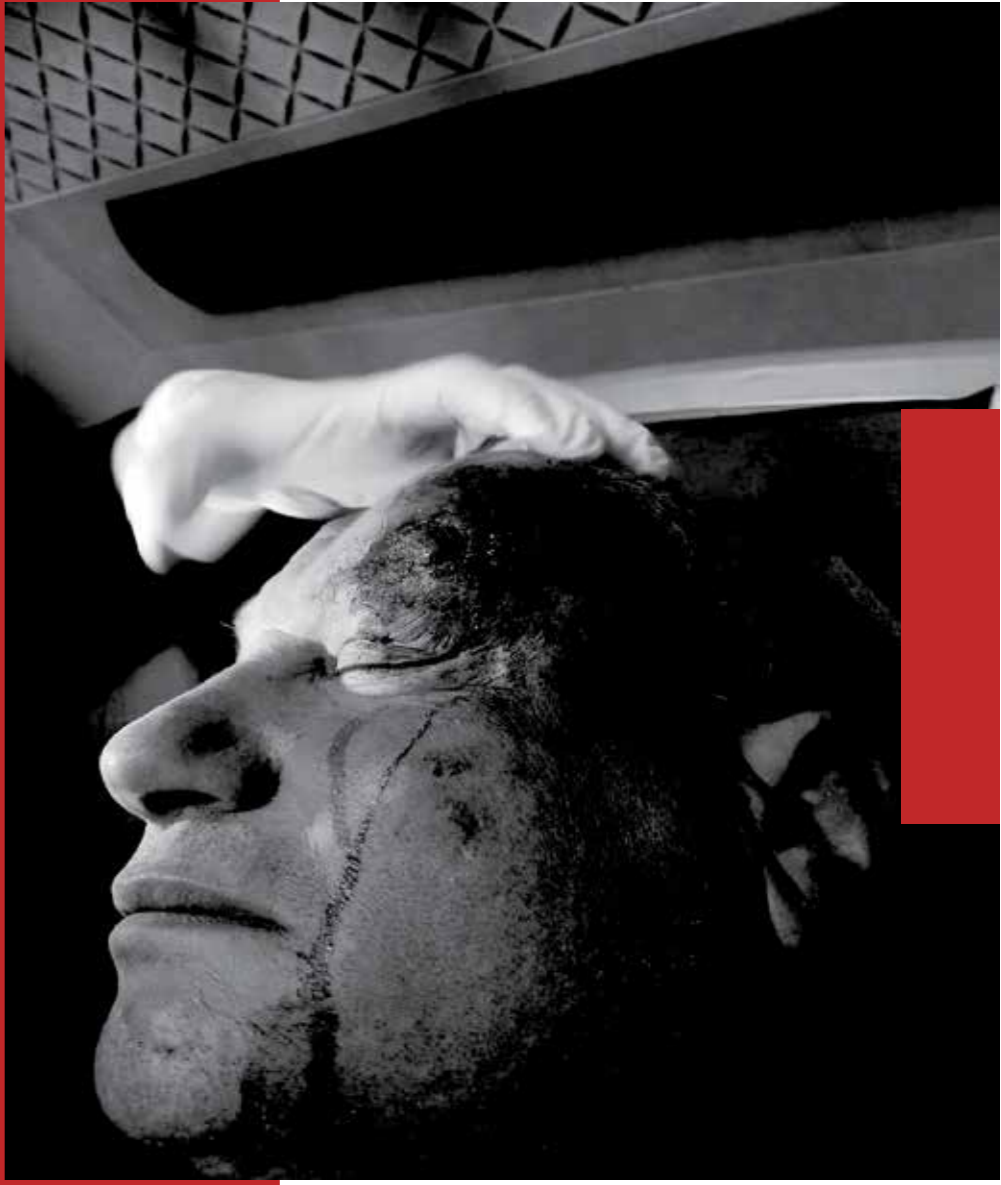
Actual Demolitions in the Occupied

West Bank

During the reporting period, the Israeli occupation authorities carried out a total of 147 actual demolitions operations against different Palestinian facilities and structures, targeting approximately 295 different facilities & structures in the occupied West Bank, including Jerusalem, affecting more than 445 Palestinian citizens, including 212 children . Most of the demolitions were concentrated in Jerusalem governorate, with 57 demolition operations, followed by Hebron governorate with 28 demolitions.



Actual Demolitions in the Occupied West Bank



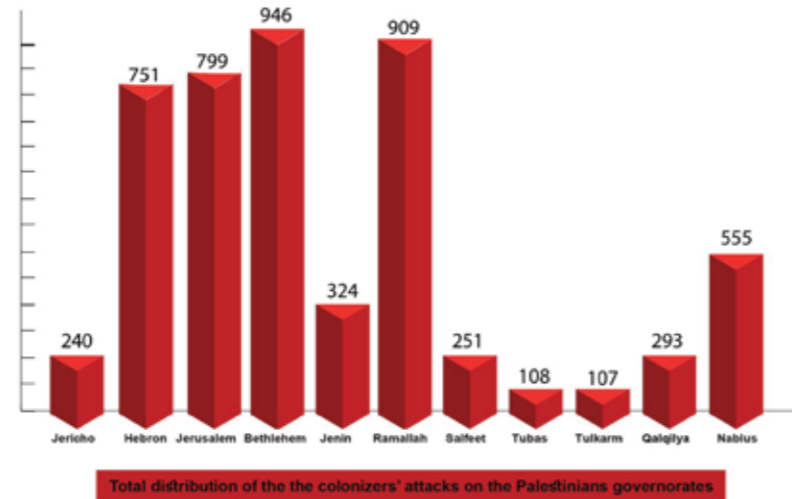
The occupation army demolishes shelters and facilities in Khirbet al-Fakhit in Yatta, south of Hebron city

Chapter V
 Assaults & Attacks by Israeli Colonizers and by the Different Apparatus of the Israeli Occupation against Palestinian Citizens and their Property

Attacks & Vandalism by the Israeli Occupation Forces and the Israeli colonizers on Palestinian Citizens and Their Property

During the reporting period, the field monitoring team of the Colonization & Wall Resistance Commission (WCRC)

5,238 has monitored a total of different attacks against Palestinian citizens and vandalism of property carried out by the various occupation security forces & the colonizers' militia active in occupied West Bank against Palestinian citizens and their property. These attacks ranged between corporal assaults

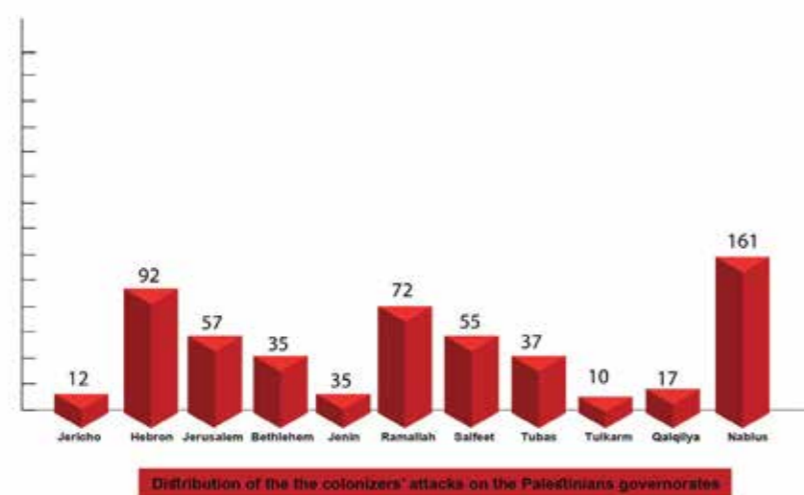


use of live bullets, intimidation, incursions into Palestinian cities and villages, vandalism of farms, vehicles and houses, uprooting & torching trees and confiscation of property. These attacks and vandalism acts concentrated in Bethlehem governorate with 946 different attacks & vandalism, followed by Ramallah governorate with 909, then Jerusalem Governorate with almost 799 attacks.

Israeli Colonizers' Attacks

The number of attacks carried out by colonizers during the period monitored by this report reached a total of 561 different attacks & vandalism of property, comprising the participation of colonizers in the incursions to villages and communities carried out by the Israeli occupation army as happened in "Joseph's Tomb" in Nablus city, which caused many incidents of death and injury to Palestinian citizens, storming Palestinian villages and assaulting citizens and their property and writing racist graffiti on walls & entrances of Palestinian villages, taking the initiative to establish colonial outposts and bulldozing Palestinian private lands, as happened in the lands of villages of Ein Yabrud and Beitin, east of Ramallah, in May 2022. Most of these attacks and vandalism acts

have concentrated in the governorates of Nablus, Hebron, Ramallah, Salfit and Jerusalem, as the colonizers carried out almost 161 different attacks and vandalism acts, followed by Nablus and Ramallah governorates with almost 72 different attacks.

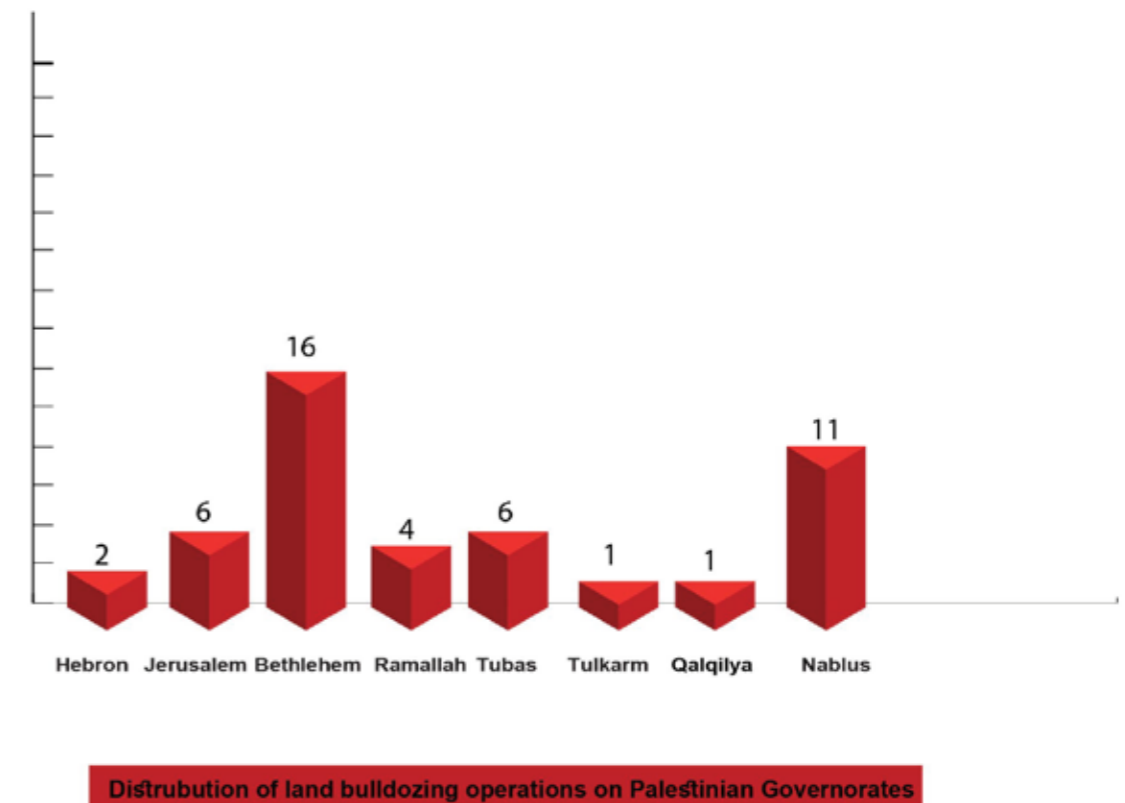


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Sample on colonizers' attack – hot pepper splash to a face of Palestinian baby

Perhaps the most prominent brutal attacks perpetrated by the colonizers on Palestinian citizens is the attack on a Palestinian infant who was deliberately targeted by spraying pepper gas directly on his face during attacking Palestinian vehicles on main streets of West Bank on May 2022, 23. As a result, the infant suffered serious respiratory and suffocation. This brutal inhumane attack occurred near Al-Masoudiya area northwest of Nablus. The infant was admitted to the hospital and his condition was described as critical. What is most astonishing is that the incident happened in front of the Israeli occupation soldiers, who were there to protect the colonizers during their assaults on Palestinian vehicles. Later, the father of the baby appeared in videos while embracing his infant with an oxygen mask on the child's face and saying: "Look at his swollen eyes." He is a victim of the Israeli colonizers' terror."

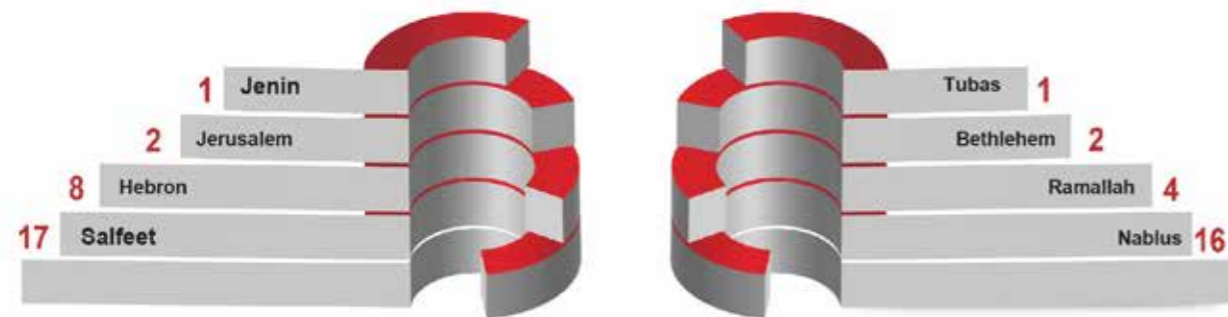


■ **Land Vandalism & Bulldozing Operations:**

The field team of the Colonization & Wall Resistance Commission has monitored a total of 47 bulldozing operations to lands of Palestinian citizens during this reporting period., These land vandalism & bulldozing operations were concentrated in Bethlehem Governorate with 16 incidents, followed by Nablus Governorate with 11, and then Tubas Governorate with 6 bulldozing operations, which led to the damage of thousands of dunums of citizens' lands. Among the most prominent bulldozing operations carried out by the Israeli occupation bulldozers is what happened in the lands of Khirbet Al-Farsieh in the east of Tubas Governorate in the occupied West Bank, where the occupation forces bulldozed more than 40 dunums of Palestinian lands?

■ **Torching Farms & Trees:**

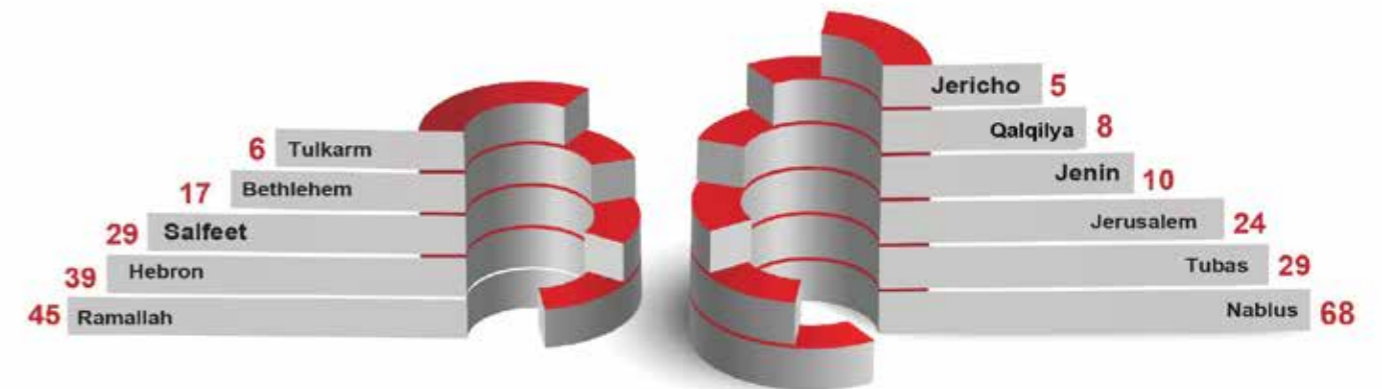
The number of torching operations that targeted Palestinian Farms and trees monitored during this reporting period has reached a total of 51 incidents, mostly 1 olive trees. These attacks were concentrated in Salfit Governorate with 17 incidents, followed by Nablus with almost 16 incident. Perhaps the most prominent attacks on trees was, when the colonizers from the "Brukhin" colony on the lands of Salfit Governorate, in mid-March, damaged and uprooted more than 60 olive trees in the town of Kafr Ad-Dik. The residents said: The colonizers, with the protection of the Israeli occupation army, damaged and uprooted more than 60 olive trees that are more than-100year old, in the Smoukh area, north of the town, noting that this is not the only and first attack on trees in this town perpetrated by the fanatic Israeli colonizers.



Distribution of the colonizers' attack on trees in the Palestinian Governorates

■ **Vandalism, Theft and Assault on Citizens' Farms & Lands**

The field team of CWRC has recorded during this reporting period, more than 280 acts of sabotage, vandalism, torching and theft of property of Palestinian citizens perpetrated by the Israeli colonizers across the occupied West Bank. Most of these attacks were concentrated in Nablus governorate, with 68 attacks on different citizens' property, while Ramallah governorate came next with 45 attacks. Often, the Israeli colonizers' militias are protected by Israeli occupation forces through carrying out extensive campaigns of this type of attacks on Palestinian villages and cities. These terrorism attacks by the Israeli colonizers take an extreme violent shape that comprise corporal assaults, vandalism of houses and vehicles, torching activities, smashing windows and doors, stones throwing, in addition to theft of farms and herds.



Distribution of (assaults & confiscation of lands) on Palestinian Governorates

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