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The Israeli Violations and Demolition of the Palestinian Establishments

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The report is within the process of documenting the Israeli occupation authorities' violations against the Palestinian houses and establishments including demolition, notifying of demolition, and eviction. The report is based on the data collected from the field through the field and researching team of Human Rights and Democracy Media Center- SHAMS. The report covers the period 1-31/7/2022 in the West Bank, including Jerusalem and reflects the accumulated efforts of the organization's documentation and fieldwork teams.



Overall Statistics:

During July 2022, Human Rights and Democracy Media Center- SHAMS, documented targeting 206 Palestinian establishments, by the Israeli Occupation Authorities, either by demolishing or notifying to be demolished in the nearby future.

Demolishing was the major form of violations where 52 Palestinian owned establishments were targeted, including an establishment owned by a woman. In Kufur ed- Deek Village- Salfeet, the Israeli authorities demolished three

agricultural rooms under the justification of unlicensed building, where one of them is owned by a woman named Najiya Mahmoud Ahmad

Regarding notifications, the owners of 154 establishments were notified with either orders of demolition or to stop construction where most of these establishments are residential units in addition to livestock sheds and barracks as well as agricultural rooms, greenhouses, and an archeological site.

The Distribution of the Targeted Establishments based on Type:

The types of the targeted establishment either by demolishing, notified to be demolished, or confiscation, were distributed as follows:

Table 1
Type of Targeted Establishments

Type	Number
Residential houses	117
Residential Tents	11
Residential Barracks	4
Agricultural Rooms	13
Water wells, Pipes Networks, and Containers	3
Terraces and Walls	3
Cars Wash Garage	1
Commercial Establishments	13
Livestock Sheds and Barracks	25
Agricultural Barrack	1
Agricultural Pergola	10
Stone Terraces	1
Coffee Shop	1
Greenhouses	1
Archeological Site	1
Natural Reserve	1
Total	206

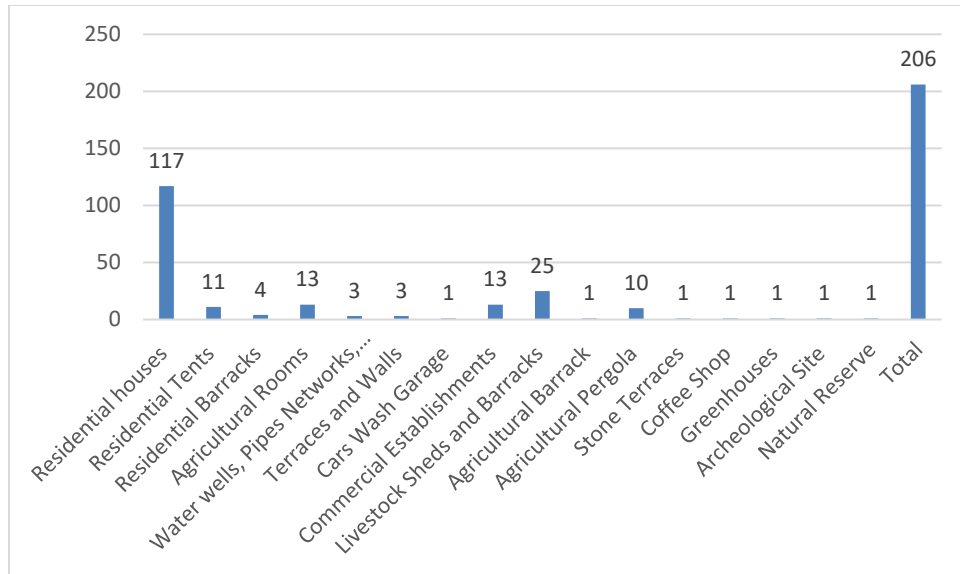


Table 2

The Distribution of the Demolished Establishments based on Type

Type	Number
Residential Houses	14
Residential Tents	1
Agricultural Rooms	4
Water wells, Pipes Networks, and Containers	3
Terraces and Walls	1
Car Wash Garage	1
Livestock Sheds and Barracks	2
Commercial Establishments	13
Coffee Shop	1
Agricultural Barracks	1
Agricultural Pergolas	10
Stones Terraces	1
Total	52

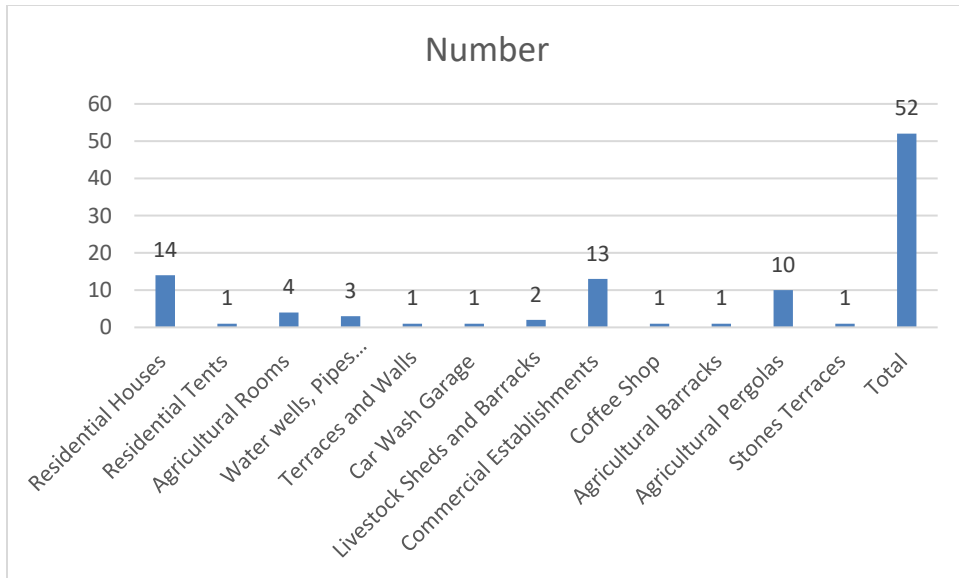
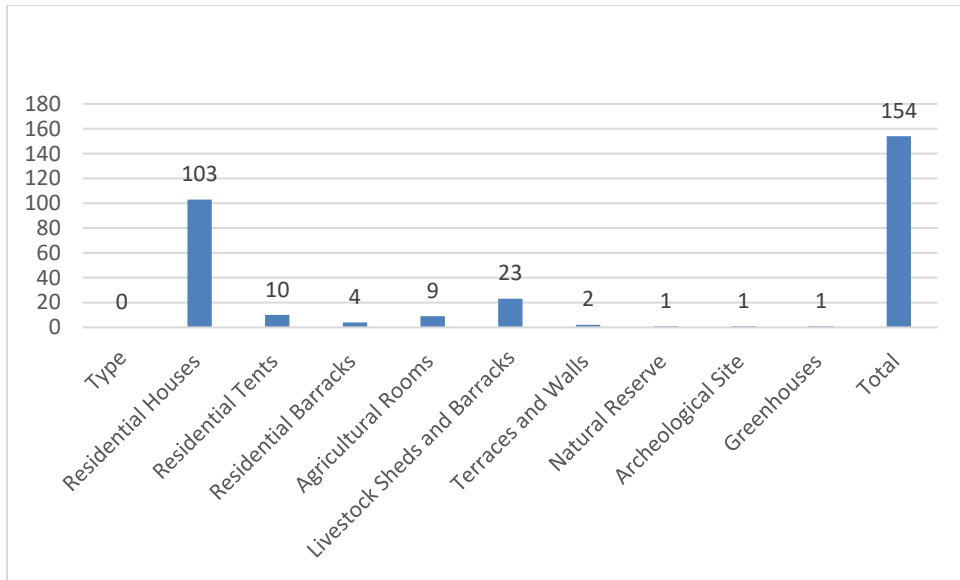


Table 3

The Distribution of the Notified Establishment based on Type

Type	Number
Residential Houses	103
Residential Tents	10
Residential Barracks	4
Agricultural Rooms	9
Livestock Sheds and Barracks	23
Terraces and Walls	2
Natural Reserve	1
Archeological Site	1
Greenhouses	1
Total	154



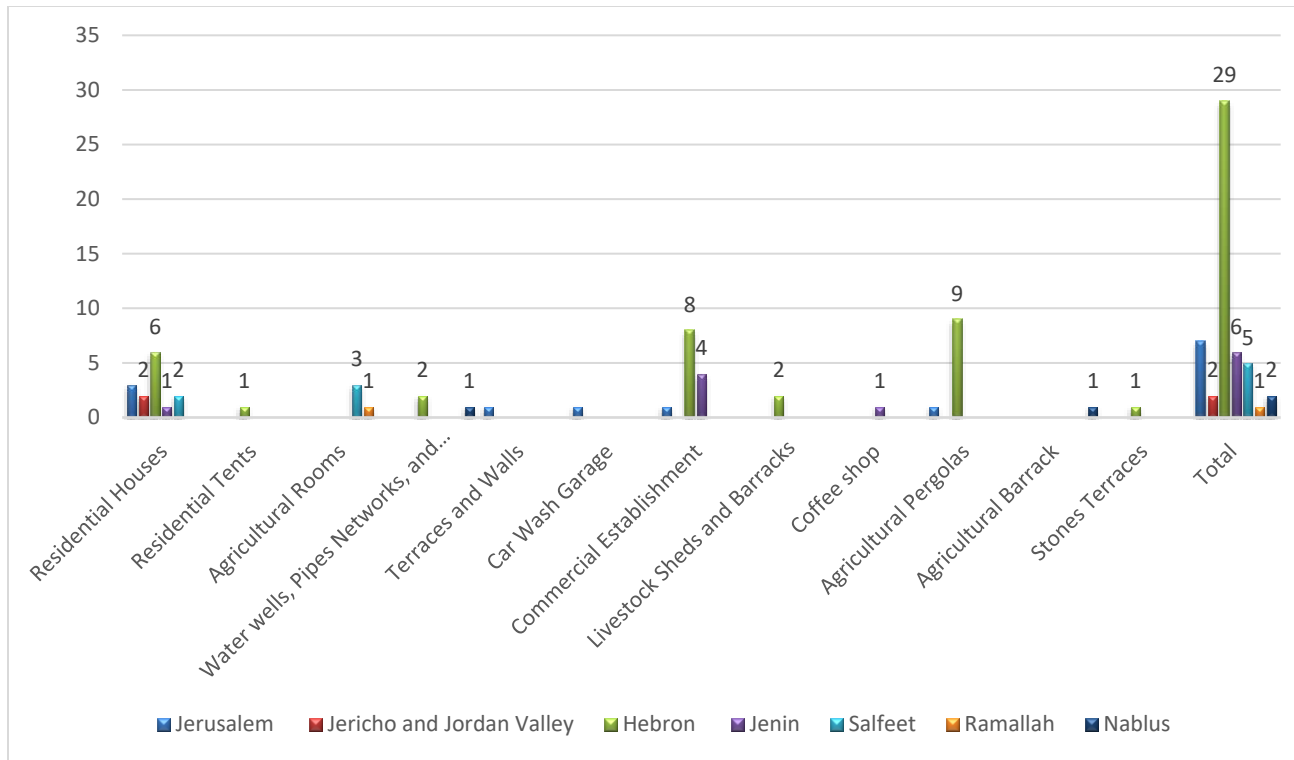
Geographical Distribution of the Targeted Establishments

- Demolished Establishments:** The majority of the demolished establishments during July, was in Hebron as 29 establishments were demolished while 7 establishments in Jerusalem were demolished. The following table highlights the geographical distribution of the demolished establishments

Table 4:

Geographical Distribution of the Demolished Establishments

Governorate	Residential Houses	Residential Tents	Agricultural Rooms	Containers	Water wells, Pipes Networks, and	Terraces and Walls	Car Wash Garage	Commercial Establishment	Livestock Sheds and Barracks	Coffee shop	Agricultural Pergolas	Agricultural Barrack	Stones Terraces	Total
Jerusalem	3				1	1	1				1			7
Jericho and Jordan Valley	2													2
Hebron	6	1		2				8	2		9		1	29
Jenin	1							4		1				6
Salfeet	2		3											5
Ramallah			1											1
Nablus				1								1		2



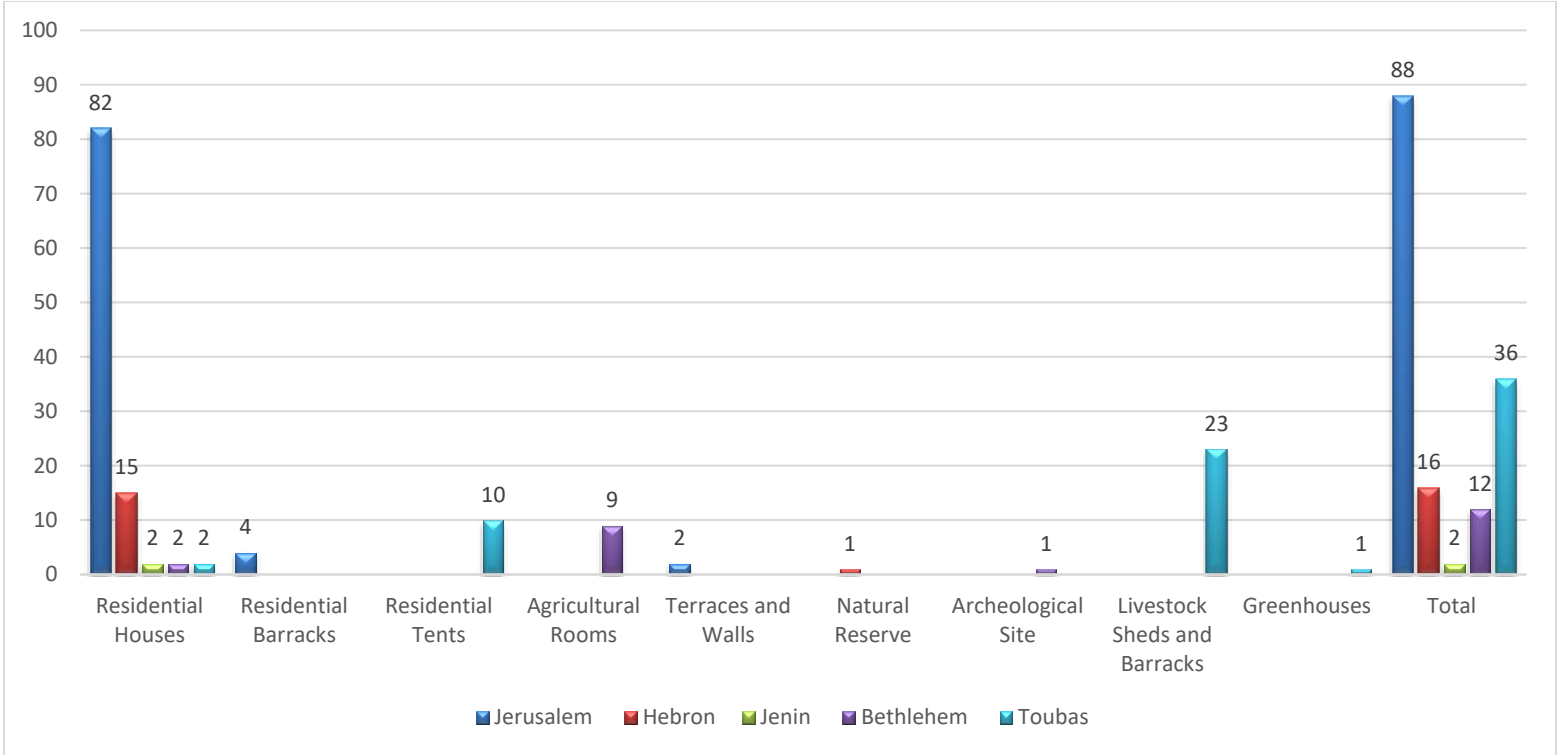
Geographical Distribution of the notified establishments

Regarding notified establishments (demolishing, stop construction, or confiscation), which deprive Palestinians from their right to benefit from their establishments, these notifications highlight the future targeting. In this regard, 88 establishments were notified in Jerusalem while 36 in Toubas, meaning that those two governorates will be targeted the most in the near future.

Table 5:

Geographical Distribution of the notified establishments

Governorate	Residential Houses	Residential Barracks	Residential Tents	Agricultural Rooms	Terraces and Walls	Natural Reserve	Archeological Site	Livestock Sheds and Barracks	Greenhouses	Total
Jerusalem	82	4			2					88
Hebron	15					1				16
Jenin	2									2
Bethlehem	2			9			1			12
Toubas	2		10					23	1	36



Demolishing and Notifying of Demolishing for Security Reasons

The Israeli Authorities apply the policy demolishing houses as a collective punishment against those involved in resisting the occupation as a tool to deter Palestinians from being involved in the national resistance. In this regard, the Israeli authorities demolished two houses and notified another two houses with demolishing orders, as stated in the following Table:

Table 6:

Demolishing and notifying of demolishing as collective punishment

#	Violation	Locality	Governorate	Date	Description
1	Notification	Rumana Village	Jenin	7/7/2022	The Israeli authorities notified the family of prisoner Asad Yousef er- Refaei with an order to demolish the family's house
2	Notification	Rumana Village	Jenin	18/7/2022	The Israeli Supreme Court confirmed the decision of demolishing the house of prisoner Subhi Imad Sbeihat. The house consists of four floors and officially owned by the grandfather. The Israeli court confirmed demolishing three floors and half a floor, where the targeted half floor is owned by the prisoner's uncle
3	Demolishing	Qarawa Hassan	Bani Salfeet	26/7/2022	During invasion of the village, the Israeli authorities demolished two houses (exploded) owned by the families of the prisoners Yahia Muhammad Awad Mari and Yousef Sameeh Assi. The two houses are inhabited by 18 persons including 10 kids and 2 women

Targeted Population:

As all the targeted establishments are owned by Palestinians, then 78 persons were affected by the crimes of the occupation during July including 14 children and 4 women at least (according to the information that the field team managed to collect)

Justifications for Targeting the Palestinian Establishments:

As for the justifications proposed by Israel (Occupying Power) to legalize its crimes against Palestinians, 40 demolished establishments, out of 52, during July, were under the justification of unlicensed building in (c) areas. 2 establishments were demolished under the justification that they are close to Israeli military checkpoints where this is an attempt to push Palestinians far from the checkpoints and confiscate the land close to the Israeli

military barriers. Another two establishments were demolished within the collective punishment policy applied against those involve in resisting the occupation. 8 establishments were demolished for the sake of expanding the illegal Israeli settlements built on the Palestinian land.

As for the notified establishments, 148 establishments out of 154 notified were under the justification of unlicensed building in (c) areas while two establishment as collective punishment against Palestinians involved in the national resistance. 4 establishments were notified under the justification of being built on an archeological site.

Detailed Violations against Palestinian Establishments During July

#	Description	Date	Location	Targeted Citizens
1	In Sama Areeha- Jericho, the Israeli authorities demolished a house under the justification of unlicensed building	27/7/2022	Sama Areeha- Jericho	Rida Zelbani
2	In Um er- Rihan Village- Jenin, the Israeli authorities demolished a house (under construction) justifying that by being built without license	26/7/2022	Um er- Rihan Village- Jenin	Qusai Jihad Zeid el- Kilani
3	In Hardash Mountain in Tarqoumia- Hebron, the Israeli authorities demolished 9 agricultural pergolas owned by Palestinian farmers in order to evict them from the area	26/7/2022	Tarqoumia- Hebron	
4	In Irak et- Tal, Qussein- Nablus, the Israeli authorities demolished an agricultural barrack under the justification of unlicensed building	26/7/2022	Qussein- Nablus	Raad Usama el- Baz
5	The Israeli authorities demolished two commercial establishments on the sides of the roads that leads to el- Jalama Checkpoint- Jenin within the process to push	26/7/2022	Close to el- Jalama Checkpoint- Jenin	Ali Issam Lahlouh and Momen Amer abu- Farha

	people far from the checkpoint area and confiscate Palestinian properties.			
6	Close to Yaabad Junction and Kfeeret Village, the Israeli authorities demolished kiosk, supermarket, coffee shop, and butchery under the justification of unlicensed building	26/7/2022	Yaabad- Jenin	Issam Hamed Attatra and Rawhi Ahmad Ali Attatra
7	During an invasion of Qarawa Bani Hassan Village- Salfeet, the Israeli authorities exploded two houses owned by the families of the prisoners Yahia Muhammad Mari and Yousef Sameeh Assi where the two houses are inhabited by 18 members, including 10 kids and 2 women	25/7/2022	Qarawa Bani Hassan Village- Salfeet	The families of the prisoners Yahia Muhammad Mari and Yousef Sameeh Assi
8	In Wadi el- Awar in Bireen Village, close to Bani Niem Town- Hebron, the Israeli authorities demolished a rain water harvesting pool and stones terraces under the justification of unlicensed building.	25/7/2022	Bani Niem Town- Hebron	
9	In Wadi el- Awar in Bireen Village, close to Bani Niem Town- Hebron, the Israeli authorities demolished a 70 squared meters house under the justification of unlicensed building	25/7/2022	Bani Niem Town- Hebron	Hatem Taha es- Salaima
10	In Bweid area, east of Yatta- Hebron, the Israeli authorities demolished and confiscated a residential tent under the justification of unlicensed building	25/7/2022	Yatta- Hebron	Muhammad Hassan Daoud
11	In Um Qassa Gathering- Yatta- Hebron, the Israeli authorities demolished a house inhabited by 6 persons	25/7/2022	Um Qassa Gathering- Yatta- Hebron	Najeh Teimatt

	including 3 kids and one woman, under the justification of unlicensed building			
12	In Jwaya Gathering to the east of Yatta- Hebron, the Israeli authorities demolished and confiscated livestock shed	19/7/2022	Jwaya Gathering- Yatta- Hebron	Mamdouh abu Tabeikh and Mahmoud es- Sawi Ideis
13	In Jwaya Gathering to the east of Yatta- Hebron, the Israeli authorities demolished a house inhabited by 3 persons including a woman and a child	19/7/2022	Jwaya Gathering- Yatta- Hebron	Zaidan Jebreel en- Nawajaa
14	The Israeli authorities demolished a house close to Aqbat Jaber Refugee Camp- Jericho (under construction with an area of 120 squared meters) under the justification of unlicensed building.	19/7/2022	Aqbat Jaber Refugee Camp- Jericho	Ali Kreishan
15	In en- Najma area- Anata- Jerusalem, the Israeli authorities demolished a huge stones terrace close to ez- Ziem- Anata Street that leads to the southern eastern quarters of Jerusalem.	19/7/2022	Anata- Jerusalem	
16	In Mughayyer Village- Ramallah, the Israeli authorities demolished an agricultural room under the justification of unlicensed building	14/7/2022	Mughayyer Village- Ramallah	Adey Abdul- Ghafour abu- Alia
17	In Kufur ed- Deek- Salfeet, the Israeli authorities demolished 3 agricultural rooms under the justification of unlicensed building	7/7/2022	Kufur ed- Deek- Salfeet	Muhammed Afeef Ali Ahmad, Basheers Thaher Ali Ahmad, Najeya Mahmoud Ahmad (woman)

18	In Nabi Samuel Village- Jerusalem, the Israeli authorities demolished car wash garage under the justification of unlicensed building	7/7/2022	Nabi Samuel Village- Jerusalem	Anas Obeid
19	In the Old City of Hebron, the Israeli authorities demolished 8 commercial establishments in the old vegetables market in order to expand the settlement spot named Abraham Abenio, which is built in the old vegetables market in Hebron	6/7/2022	Old City- Hebron	
20	In Douma Village- Nablus, the Israeli authorities demolished a Water Spring under the justification of unlicensed building, where the owners were notified earlier to stop construction	5/7/2022	Douma Village- Nablus	
21	In Bweib Village- Yatta- Hebron, the Israeli authorities demolished rain water harvesting pool and the basement of a house under construction, under the justification of unlicensed building	4/7/2022	Bweib Village- Yatta- Hebron	Jbour Family
22	The Israeli authorities demolished a house under construction in Khoshm ed- Daraj- Yatta- Hebron, under the justification of unlicensed building	4/7/2022	Khoshm ed- Daraj- Yatta- Hebron	Muhammad Ibrahim el- Caabna
23	In Um- Qassa area- Zwedin Hamlet- Yatta- Hebron, the Israeli authorities demolished a house inhabited by 15 persons, under the justification of unlicensed building.	4/7/2022	Um- Qassa area- Zwedin village- Yatta- Hebron	Nayef Ali Salama Caabna
24	In Issaweya- Jerusalem, the Israeli authorities demolished a commercial establishment under the justification of unlicensed building	4/7/2022	Issaweya- Jerusalem	Muhammas Shaaban Obeid

25	In ez- Ziem Village- Jerusalem, the Israeli authorities demolished an agricultural transplanted under the justification of unlicensed building	4/7/2022	ez- Ziem Village- Jerusalem	Rafat Tareq el- Issawi
26	In Jabal el- Mukabber- Jerusalem, the Israeli authorities demolished three- floors house (under construction) under the justification of unlicensed building	4/7/2022	Jabal el- Mukabber- Jerusalem	Omar Fahid Jaafra

Notification of Demolishing, Stopping Construction, or Confiscating for July 2022

#	Description	Date	Location	Targeted Citizens
1	In Deirat Village- Hebron, the Israeli authorities notified the owners of 6 houses to stop construction under the justification of unlicensed building	26/7/2022	Deirat Village- Hebron	Muhammad Ali Muhammad el- Adra, Mousa Ismaeil el- Adra, Hmza Kamel el- Adra, Qaher es- Saree, Khader Mahmoud el- Adra, and Ali Muhammad Ouda
2	The Israeli authorities notified Sabastia Municipality- Nablus, to stop construction in an archeological site under the justification of being in an area classified as (c)	25/7/2022	Sabastia Municipality- Nablus	
3	In Qurnet Dumos area- Nahalleen- Bethlehem, the Israeli authorities notified Palestinian citizen to stop construction in 9 agricultural rooms, demolishing a basement of a house, and stop construction in a house under the justification of unlicensed building	25/7/2022	Nahalleen- Bethlehem	Muhammad Yousef Awad, Ibrahim Yousef Awad, Ahmad Jameel Awad, Fayez Bader Deeb Najajra, Salem Mahmoud Salem Najajra, Mazen Yousef Awad, Subhi Muhammad Ahmad Salama,

				Muhammad Jamal Zeidan, and Ahmad Mahmoud Isaq Najajra.
4	In abu en- Nuwar Beduin Gathering- Jerusalem, the Israeli authorities notified Palestinians with a decision to demolish 4 residential barracks	21/7/2022	abu en- Nuwar Beduin Gathering- Jerusalem	
5	The Israeli Occupation Municipality in Jerusalem, notified the owner of a house in Sour Baher- Jerusalem, to stop construction under the justification of unlicensed building. Additionally, notified other citizens with a decision to demolish walls in Waarat Atta in the village under the same justification	20/7/2022	Sour Baher- Jerusalem	
6	In Ahmed Shawqi Quarter in Shufaat- Jerusalem, the Israeli authorities notified the owners to stop construction in two residential units under the justification of unlicensed building	20/7/2022	Shufaat- Jerusalem	
7	The owners of 43 establishments in Jerusalem were notified to stop construction and return the situation to the case it was as well as show up in the municipality to explain why are they using the buildings	20/7/2022	Jerusalem	
8	The Israeli Occupation Municipality of Jerusalem and the Israeli police put signs notifying to demolish gates and entrances of 3 big buildings in Beit Hanina- Jerusalem where one of the buildings consists of 6 apartments in	20/7/2022	Beit Hanina- Jerusalem	

	(el- Ashqariya Quarter) and another consists of 18 housing units in Wadi ed- Damm Quarter			
9	In Massafer Yatta- Hebron, the Israeli authorities notified the owners of 6 houses from Najada Family to stop construction (some of the houses are already inhabited while others are under construction) in addition to demolish a natural reserve	18/7/2022	Massafer Yatta- Hebron	Ali Abed Muhammad, Muhammad Abed, Muhammad Ali Suliman, Abed Ali, Ibrahim Muhammad, and Suliman Nasser
10	In Yarza Village- Toubas, the Israeli authorities notified the owner of 30 squared meters residential unit to be demolished and to stop construction in livestock sheds under the justification of being built on an archeological site	18/7/2022	Yarza Village- Toubas	Hafez Naeem Masaeed and Rami Naeem Masaeed
11	The Israeli authorities notified, verbally, the owners of greenhouses in Qardala Village- Jericho with a demolishing order. The greenhouses are built on an area of 4 Donums	18/7/2022	Qardala Village- Jericho	Muhammad Ali Fuqaha
12	The Israeli so- called Supreme Court, confirmed the military order to demolish the house of prisoner Subhi Imad Sbeihat in Rumana Village- Jenin, where the house is owned by the grandfather and consists of four floors and inhabited by 7 persons	18/7/2022	Rumana Village- Jenin	Prisoner Subhi Imad Sbeihat family
13	In Attouf Village- Toubas, the Israeli authorities notified the owner of a house under construction, to stop	18/7/2022	Attouf Village- Toubas	

	working where the house was sieged and the workers were blocked inside it for a while.			
14	The Israeli authorities notified the family of prisoner Asaad Yousef er- Rifaei from Rumanna Village- Jenin, with an order to demolish the family's house; the house is one- floor 100 squared meters and inhabited by 7 persons.	7/7/2022	Rumanna Village- Jenin	The family of prisoner Asaad Yousef er- Rifaei
15	In Hummussa Tahta Hamlet in northern Jordan Valley, the Israeli notified the owners to stop construction in 30 establishments including 10 residential tents and livestock sheds under the justification of unlicensed building.	4/7/2022	Hummussa Tahta Hamlet	Toubas
16	In Kharoua area- Yatta, the Israeli authorities notified a family to stop construction in a house under the justification of unlicensed building	4/7/2022	Yatta- Hebron	Khalil Iteimatt el- Caabna
17	In the Bedwin area- Yatta- Hebron, the Israeli authorities notified the owners to stop construction in two houses under the justification of unlicensed building. One of the two houses is located in Abadiya area, 100 squared meters area, and inhabited by 10 persons while the other is 140 squared meters in el- Kharroua area and inhabited also by 10 persons	3/7/2022	Yatta- Hebron	Ahmad Nayef Ali Caabna and Muhammad Yousef Khalil Caabna