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Daily report on the situation of Palestinian refugees in Syria



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"Palestinian Conscripts Subjected to Human Rights Violations in Syria"

- Palestinian Group Fights Alongside Syrian Gov't North of Syria
- Palestinian Refugee Wadi' Shakosh Secretly Held in Syrian Gov't Jail for 4th Year
- Displaced Palestinian Families Gather for Eid Celebrations South of Turkey

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Latest Developments

Palestinian refugees who joined the Palestine Liberation Army (PLA), affiliated with the Syrian government, have been enduring serious crackdowns and abuses.

According to informed sources, a number of Palestinian youths have been summoned to questioning by government officers and subjected to psycho-physical torture to force confession.



The recruits also said they have been forced to carry out exhausting personal chores for government officers against their will and under threat of punishment. Even those who have had their security files worked out have been involved in forced labor.

Recently, the Syrian government forces stepped up crackdowns and abduction sweeps against former opposition affiliates who signed reconciliation deals with the incumbent regime, forcing them to fight alongside the government forces in northern Syria.

In another development, the Free Palestine Movement, affiliated with the Syrian government, said on Facebook that it has been involved in fierce shootouts while fighting alongside the



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government battalions in Hama's suburbs, as appears in a live footage released by the brigade.

Sometime earlier, the armed group said it dispatched gunmen to fight alongside the Syrian government in Deir AlZor, north of Syria, among other tension-stricken zones.

Shortly after the outburst of the deadly warfare, the Syrian government forced Palestinian refugees aged 18 and above to join affiliated militias for periods of at least one year and a half.

Those who refuse conscription are subjected to crackdowns, abductions and even executions. As a result, thousands fled the tension-stricken country in the hunt for a safer shelter.

Meanwhile, Palestinian refugee Wadi' Raji Shakosh has been enduring a mysterious fate in Syrian government prisons, where he has been locked up since 2015.



His condition and whereabouts remain unknown. Other members of the Palestinian Shakosh family, sheltered in Khan Eshieh Camp, in Rif Dimashq, have been enduring a similar fate.



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AGPS kept record of the secret incarceration of 1,758 Palestinian refugees in Syrian government jails, among them 108 women and girls.

In the meantime, Palestinian families seeking refuge in Reyhanli, south of Turkey, exchanged Eid greetings as part of a gathering held by Khayra Ummah Organization and the Turkish Association to Support Palestine (FIDAR).

Around 300 Palestinian refugees, including children, were in attendance. Children received gifts and took part in games and competitions held as part of the event.

Some 8,000 Palestinians from Syria have sought refuge in the Turkish territories, where they have been enduring abject living conditions as a result of the lack of access to the labor market and low wages offered by Turkish employers.

