"84% of Palestinians from Syria Killed during 1st Half of 2019 Civilians"

- Civilians’ Life Threatened by Motorbike Riders in Jaramana Camp for Palestinian Refugees
- Refugees Seeking Shelter in Greek Island Launch Cry for Help
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- Meat Portions Distributed to Displaced Palestinian Families North of Syria
Latest Developments

84.44% of Palestinians from Syria pronounced dead during the first half of 2019 are identified as civilians (38 victims, down from 101 in 2018), AGPS has found out in its newly-released report.

Gunmen make up 13,56% of the death toll recorded during the same period (7 victims, down from 65 in 2018).

Meanwhile, residents of Jaramana Camp for Palestinian refugees continue to rail against the uncontrolled use of motorcycles, a phenomenon they said poses serious threats to the lives of their children.

The residents said several horrific accidents took place due to inappropriate speed and infringement of road safety rules across residential alleyways.

They called on the concerned authorities and popular committees to take urgent steps in response to such a life-threatening phenomenon.
In the meantime, 300 Palestinian refugees from Syria who have sought refuge in the Greek island of Crete have been subjected to a dire humanitarian situation as the Greek government suspended granting social insurance cards (AMKA) to the refugees, preventing them from social welfare services and healthcare.

On July 11, 2019, Greece’s Labor and Social Affair Minister, Nikos Vroutsis, has cancelled a ministerial decision regarding the issuing of social security number (AMKA) to migrants, refugees, asylum seekers, unaccompanied refugee children and non-EU nationals.

Sometime earlier, the government of Greece sent notifications to 900 asylum-seekers who were granted “refugee status” to evacuate their European-funded shelters by the end of March and ruled for suspending their allowances.

Migrants stranded in Greece continue to denounce the absence of vital services and the spread of poisonous reptiles outside of their poorly-equipped tents.

The Greek authorities continue to drag their feet over the refugees’ calls to have their legal status worked out and to provide them with safe shelters.

AGPS has kept record of the death of dozens of refugees onboard Greece-bound ships. Several others have been arrested by Turkish coast guards.

Activists estimate that around 4,000 Palestinian refugees from Syria are seeking refuge in Greece.
Along the same line, thousands of Palestinians from Syria have spent the holy occasion of Eid AlAdhha (Feast of Sacrifice) away from their homes and families.

Happy childhood memories for Palestinian children from Syria have ended when one or both of their parents were killed in the warfare.

Torn from the nourishment of home and warmth of family, Palestinians have been scattered across several destinations and striving for livelihoods to feed their starved children and retrieve their smiles.

Hundreds of families have become internally displaced across and outside of the Syrian territories.

Instead of being a time of joy, the arrival of Eid AlIdha, the holiday marking the beginning of the sacred pillar of Islam –AlHajj (Greater Pilgrimage), is a sad reminder for many Palestinian children of what they have lost.

Meanwhile, The Relief Commission of Palestinians of Syria handed over meat portions to Palestinian families displaced from southern Damascus, Yarmouk Camp, and Khan Eshieh Camp to Idlib, in northern Syria.

The families continue to slam UNRWA for failing to hand them over much-needed cash aids, medical items, and relief services on account that opposition-held zones fall outside of its map of field operations.
Palestinian refugees sheltered north of Syria have been enduring a tragic situation. Most of them have been crammed in under-equipped tents and denied their rights to vital services.