



## التقرير اليومي الخاص بأوضاع اللاجئين الفلسطينيين في سورية

Daily report on the situation of Palestinian refugees in Syria

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### "Shelling Targets Deraa Al Balad and Tareeq Al Sad amid State of Panic among Palestinian Refugees"



- A Resident from Nairab Camp was Injured while Fighting alongside al-Quds Brigade in the Vicinity of Handarat Camp
- The Syrian Security Releases 4 Refugees from Al Aedein Camp in Homs
- Italy Rescues 4500 Migrants on Sea in One Day

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### Recent Updates

*News reported that the regular army targeted the neighborhoods of Deraa and Tareeq Al Sad near Deraa camp south of Syria, which resulted in damages in civilians' houses and panic among residents, especially women and children. No news about deaths or injuries among civilians.*

*Many Palestinian families who were displaced from Deraa camp live at Al Balad area and the adjacent neighborhood of Tareeq Al Sad. Refugees south of Syria suffer of difficult living and security conditions, while the remaining refugees in Deraa camp are suffering of very serious humanitarian situation, especially regarding health and living aspects. Water is still cut for 820 days, while frequent shelling and clashes resulted in the destruction of almost 70 % of the camp's buildings, in addition to a number of deaths, according to unofficial statistics.*



*The AGPS documented 343 victims among the Palestinian refugees from Deraa camp who died since the beginning of war events. The AGPS confirmed that more than 10% of the Palestinian victims in Syria died in Deraa city south of Syria. This came within a human rights report about the conditions of the Palestinian refugees in Deraa camp. The report*



*entitled as "Palestinian Refugees in Deraa Bitter Reality and Difficult Choices."*

*Meanwhile, the AGPS correspondent in Aleppo reported that the Palestinian refugee, Fareed Al Rifi, from Nairab camp in Aleppo, was injured while fighting alongside the pro-regime al-Quds brigades in the vicinity of Handarat camp. He was hit by shrapnel of a mortar shell during battles in Handarat camp at Talat Al Madafa. He is still receiving treatment in the military hospital in Aleppo.*



*It is noteworthy that al-Quds Brigade includes Palestinian refugees from Neirab and fighters from Hnadarat, the city of Aleppo, and its western and northern suburb, al-Shabah al-Aswad brigade, and al-Qumsan al-Soud. The brigade's headquarter is at Nairab camp, while another branch was opened at Al Raml camp in Lathakia. Maj. Gen. Commander tried opening military branches in the Palestinian camps in Damascus, but the presence of pro- Syrian regime Palestinian groups in Damascus prevented this.*

*On the other hand, the AGPS correspondent reported that the Syrian security forces released four Palestinian refugees in Al Aedein camp in*



*Homs. The released detainees are: Mukhtar of Al Aedein camp "Dirar Asaad Hadeed - Abu-Assad, Ibrahim Majd al-Asadi, and Hisham Atta Hassoun. The three refugees were arrested after conflicts between the security branches and the candidates for the position of Mkhatar in the camp. The refugee Moataz Abbas, one of the displaced people from the Yarmouk refugee camp to Al Aedein camp was also released after being detained for ten days.*

*Residents of Al Aedein camp in Homs suffer from harassments practiced by members of the Syrian security detachment, in addition to raids and arrest campaigns every now and then, as they check the IDs of passers-by and impose royalties, forcing residents to migrate outside the country. The AGPS documented 186 Palestinian detainees from Al Aedein camp in the prisons of the Syrian regime.*

### *Italy*

*The Italian coast guards managed to rescue about 4500 migrants, who were on rubber and wooden boats in the Mediterranean Sea on Tuesday 5-7-2016. International Organization for Migration said that more than 67,000 immigrants arrived in Italy by sea this year, and this number represents a decrease compared to the same period last year in 2015, while the number of deaths increased in the same period. The Organization added that most boats of migrants set off from Libya, then Egypt.*

*The UNHCR reported last month that more than 10,000 migrants drowned at sea since 2014, including more than 2,800 migrants died so far this year.*



*It is noteworthy that Libya has returned to the top of the migration destination for refugees wishing to immigrate to Europe, especially after the Turkish European agreement. Smuggling of migrants increased despite the tightening of EU security procedures on the coasts. Thousands of Palestinian and Syrian immigrants came out from Libya through risky sea trips; some of them arrived and some others drowned. .*

**Palestinians of Syria; Numbers and Statistics till 6/07/2016:**

- 15500 Palestinian Syrian refugees are in Jordan
- 42.500 Palestinian Syrian refugees are in Lebanon
- 6000 Palestinian Syrian refugees are in Egypt, according to the UNRWA statistics till July 2015
- 8000 Palestinian Syrian refugees are in Turkey
- 1000 Palestinian Syrian refugees are in Gaza
- More than 71.2 thousand Palestinian Syrian refugees have reached Europe till the End of December 2015
- **The Yarmouk Camp:** siege, imposed by the Regular Army and PFGC groups, continued for 1114 consecutive days. Power cut continued for more than 1176 days, water was cut for 665 days respectively. The number of siege victims is 18V.
- **Al Sbeina Camp:** - Regular Army is still preventing the residents of the camp to return back to their houses for 968 days respectively.
- **Handarat Camp:** - All Residents have left the camp for about 1 '60 days after the Syrian Opposition Groups controlled it.
- **Dara'a Camp:** - It is now almost 821 days without water and almost 70% of its buildings were demolished.
- **Jermana, AL Saieda ZAINab, Al Raml, Al Aedein Camps in Homs and Hamma:** - A relatively quiet situation in light of the economic crises.

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- ***Khan Al Sheih Camp:*** - Roads linking the camp to the city center are still closed except for Zakia- Khan Al Sheih road.