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Daily report on the situation of Palestinian refugees in Syria



"Member of "Al-Saiqa" Forces killed and Palestinian factions affiliated to the Syrian regime continue to recruit refugees for fighting"

- Severe lack of medical services in Deraa camp and Muzayrib gathering in south Syria
- Civilian gathering announced for Palestinian refugees in south Damascus
- "Rady Saleh" under Syrian security detention for fourth consecutive year

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Latest Developments:

Sources close to the Syrian regime in Al-Sayeda Zeinab camp announced the death of “Feras Ahmed Eissa,” a resident of the camp and member of Al Saiqa Forces. He was killed while fighting alongside the Syrian regime forces, however the location of his death has not been determined.

In the same context, local sources in the Palestinian camps in Syria said that a number of Palestinian factions in several Syrian cities recruit the refugees staying in Palestinian camps and their gatherings, to fight the armed opposition groups alongside the Syrian regime forces and send groups of them away from their camps.



Meanwhile, activists stated that the Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine – the General Command comes on top of these factions, in addition to Fatah Movement - Al-Intifada, Al-Saiqa, Free Palestine Movement, Al-Nedal and Al-Awda battalions.



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Groups of these factions are deployed on the border of the besieged Yarmouk, Khan Danon, Al-Sayeda Zeinab, Al-Husseiniyah and Jaramana camps, in addition to the camps under the Syrian regime's control such as Al-Aedin camp in Homs, Hama and Neirab camps in Hama and Al-Raml Camp in Lattakia.

Residents of these camps have blamed many members of these factions and groups for dealing with the Syrian Intelligence and providing information about the Syrian youth as well as helping the security to arrest the wanted youth, under the pretext of their failure to perform the compulsory service, or cooperating with the opposition groups and opposing the regime.

A number of refugees spoke about the pro-regime Palestinian groups and their exploitation of the deteriorated economic situation, the lack of financial resources for Palestinian families and the spread of unemployment, amid the continuing war in Syria and the displacement of thousands of Palestinian refugees from their camps, and the persuasion of young people financially, every month.

Dozens of Palestinian refugees have died while fighting alongside the regime. AGPS has recorded the deaths of 936 refugees with gunshot wounds since the outbreak of war in Syria.

In the meantime, residents of Deraa camp and Muzayrib gathering for Palestinian refugees in south Syria are suffering a severe lack of medical supplies and first aid necessities. Many clinics and medical points have stopped working since being continuously targeted by bombardments.



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According to our correspondent, residents are finding great difficulties in obtaining first aid materials and medications to treat the victims of the bombardments that target the camp and surrounding neighborhoods, especially amid the road cuts and continuous fighting around the camp. Deraa was bombarded over the past few days.



In south Damascus, Palestinian activists announced the formation of a civilian gathering under the name “Independent Palestinian Gathering.” The gathering said in its statement that it is meant for the people’s conditions and includes all social categories, assuring that it is not affiliated to any faction or political agendas.

This comes amid a state of fear lived by the Palestinian people over the fate of the south of the Syrian capital Damascus and their prevention from leaving the camp and returning to their homes due to ISIS’s control of it.

In another context, Syrian security continues to detain “Rady Muhammed Saleh” aged 52 for the fourth consecutive year. He was



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arrested by the Syrian security members on August 8th, 2013 in Sa'sa', in the Damascus suburbs, and was taken to an unknown location. Until today his location and fate remain hidden. He was a resident of Khan Al-Sheih camp in the suburb of Damascus.

AGPS receives many letters and information about Palestinian detainees and records them despite the difficulties of documentation due to the Syrian regime's concealing of their names, fates and places of detention. The Action Group has documented the detention of 1369 Palestinian refugees in the Syrian regime prisons, of which 105 are women.



Palestinians of Syria: October 6, 2017 Statistics:

- The total number of victims documented by the Action Group is 3595, including 462 women
- 1639 Palestinians are locked up behind Syrian government's bars, 105 of which are women
- Yarmouk refugee camp is under the Syrian regime army and Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine's siege for 1,542 days in a row



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- 199 refugees, mainly in Yarmouk Camp, have died due to lack of medical care and malnutrition
- Water supplies have been cut off Deraa Camp for 1279 days, and 1119 days in Yarmouk Camp
- Residents of Handarat Camp, in Aleppo have been banned from their homes for 1,615 days. Government troops have taken over the camp for more than 366 days.
- Approximately 85 thousand Palestinian-Syrian refugees fled to Europe by the end of 2016
- 31 thousand refugees are located in Lebanon
- 17 thousand refugees are sheltered in Jordan
- 6 thousand refugees are in Egypt
- 8 thousand refugees are staying in Turkey
- One thousand refugees are present in Gaza