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“AGPS: The Starving and Terrorizing Practices toward the Palestinian Refugees at the Yarmouk Camp a Crime against Humanity”



- A Palestinian Syrian Refugee Died in Macedonia.
- Violent Clashes Broke out at the Conflict Areas at the Yarmouk Camp.
- Cold and Siege Force the Residents of the Yarmouk Camp to Smash their Furniture for heating.
- ISIS Releases "Bahaa Al Amein" a member of Fatah at the Yarmouk Camp.
- Heavy Machine Guns Target the End of the Road between Khan al Sheih Camp and the City Center.
- Syrian Security Forces Arrest Two Refugees and Release another at Damascus Suburb.
- At Least 56 Palestinian Syrian Refugees Still Detained at the Egyptian Prisons.
- Palestinians of Syria Committee in Lebanon Look Over the Shelter Centers at Ain Al Hilwa Camp.
- "Painful Snow" the Title of the Poetic Campaign in Solidarity with the Palestinian Syrian Refugees.

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Victims

The Palestinian refugee "Mohammed Khair Ahmed Jad Msheniesh", from the Yarmouk camp, died due to a painful accident while trying to reach Europe through Macedonia by land, as the connection with him was lost since 24th of last November.



Mohammed Khair Ahmed Jad Msheniesh

Recent updates

The AGPS demanded, in a statement was published at its website yesterday, all conflict parties inside Syria, especially the Syrian authorities, considering it as a host country, to move urgently to end the siege of the Yarmouk camp and to find a solution that will avoid the camp hostilities similarly to the rest of adjacent camps that implemented the reconciliation.

The statement also called the Palestinian authority, the PLO, and the Arab League to intervene immediately between the concerned parties of the conflicting order to provide the required protection for the Palestinians, considering them as refugees waiting to return to their homes.

The AGPS also appealed, in its statement, the international community, represented by UNRWA, international governmental and non-governmental organizations, and Human Rights Council to seriously and effectively work to end the Yarmouk siege, and to secure a safe



environment so as to allow the entry of relief supplies to the residents and to facilitate the return of the displaced people to their houses.

Moreover, the AGPS considered that the ongoing practices inside the Yarmouk camp; such as starving and terrorizing acts towards the Palestinian refugees a crime against the humanity that requires urgent and serious actions to save what can be saved and do what is necessary to preserve the lives of civilians.

Confirming the need to end the Yarmouk siege and to allow the entry of fuel, heating materials, food and medical supplies, to allow the return of the displaced people to their houses, to get the patients out of the camp, and to open the road, in addition to implement the initiatives that call to neutralize the camp.

However the statement indicated that the continuous siege imposed on the Yarmouk camp for more than 550 days, the water cuts for more than 120 days, the power cuts for almost two years, and the dire living and humanitarian conditions, that coincide with the spread of diseases and the loss of basic necessary materials, in addition to the repeated assassinations and arrest campaigns, as well as the reoccurring hostilities, clashes, and shelling that led to the death of almost 1011 victims from the Yarmouk camp residents.

See the full statement through this link:

<http://www.actionpal.org.uk/en/post.php?id=198>

In a related context, violent clashes broke out at the Yarmouk camp south of the Syrian capital since early morning, at a number of conflict areas, at Rama Street in the entrance of the camp, and the Yarmouk municipality at Palestine Street between groups affiliated to the armed Syrian opposition and the regular army alongside with the Palestinian factions loyal to it.

This comes in light of the deep low temperature that affected Syria and the surrounding countries several days ago, which worsen the suffering of the besieged Palestinian refugees, who suffer of the loss of fuel and the water and power cut, forcing many of them to smash their wooden furniture for heating in an attempt to alleviate the consequences of the bitter cold.



Meanwhile, some activists shared, at the social network, some photos that show the residents of the Yarmouk camp while they break their wooden bedrooms and furniture for heating, as the regular army and the Palestinian factions loyal to it, especially the groups of PFGC are still imposing their strict siege for 552 days respectively, as their checkpoints prevent the entry of any fuel or food and medical supplies.



On the other hand, ISIS released "Bahaa Al Amin" a member of Fatah Movement at the Yarmouk camp and the official of Bisan sport club, after being arrested for a day from Al Zain neighborhood, that was controlled by ISIS for more than two weeks, south of the Yarmouk camp,



Bahaa Al Amin



In Damascus suburb, heavy machine guns, which is centered at 137 regiment of the regular army, targeted Zakia-Khan AL Shieh road, the only road that left for the residents of Khan AL Shieh camp in Damascus suburb to reach the capital Damascus.

It was mentioned that this was not the first time for Zakia road to be targeted, as it repeatedly targeted, unless, the residents are still go through it, since the other roads were closed by the Syrian regular army.

The roads closure has led to the loss of many food kinds and medicine, in addition to the lack of bread.



Khan AL Shieh camp

The members of Kawkab checkpoint arrested each of, Khalid Shamsy and Mohammed Yahia Al Hamid, while ZahirAjjaj was released after being detained for about 6 months.

In Egypt, the Egyptian authorities still detain at least 56 Palestinian refugees after arresting them while trying to reach Italy launching from the Turkish shores on 25th of last October, who were victims of a scam by the smugglers who left them in an island off the Egyptian shores, where they were arrested.

It is mentioned that the Egyptian security released all Syrian detainees while kept detaining 56 Palestinians after all surrounding countries refused to receive them, and they were asked to choose either to return back to Syria or to stay in prison.



Meanwhile, the detainees renewed their appeals to all international human rights organizations to immediately and urgently intervene to release them and to alleviate their suffering.

In Lebanon, Palestinians of Syria Committee in Lebanon carried out an inspection round to look over the Palestinian Syrian refugees, who are in the shelter centers" Al Bahaa kindergarten, Al Kifah school, Al Bader kindergarten, and Al Kheiam compound at Ain Al Hilwa camp, amid the snow storm "Zeina" that affected Lebanon and the middle east.

The committee pointed out that the rain water was leaked inside the camps and the officials of the camp transferred the refugees immediately to a safe place. It is mentioned that Ain Al Hilwa camp is inhabited with more than 20,000 Palestinian Syrian refugees.



One of the shelters in Ain Al Hilwa camp

On the other hand, "Palestine House for Poetry" announced the launching of " Pure Painful Snow" campaign, which is a poetic campaign for solidarity with the Palestinian Syrian refugees, who died because of cold during the last low temperature.

"Saied Mohammed Salih", from the Yarmouk camp; the father of an eight- years girl, who died frozen while he was hugging his daughter trying to protect her of the cold while they were passing through a forest in Greece trying to reach Nordic escaping from the ongoing war in Syria.

The poet "Samir Ateya", manager of Palestine house for poetry, said that," this electronic campaign comes within the poetic campaigns



launched by Palestine house for poetry to provoke the poets and argue them to do their role creatively and humanly in these stations.

It is worth mentioning that Palestine house for poetry launched two campaigns about the tragedy of the death boats and the aggression at the Gaza strip.

The Palestinian Camps in Syria, Numbers and Statistics till 6/1/2015

- *At least 27933 Palestinian Syrian refugees have reached Europe during the last 4 years.*
- *2598 Palestinian refugees were documented by the AGPS including 157 women, 286 were killed due to torture, 267 were killed by sniper shot, 84 refugees were field executed, and 985 refugees were killed due to bombing.*
- ***The Yarmouk Camp:** - Siege, imposed by the Regular Army and PFGC, continued for 552 days respectively. In addition, power cuts continued for more than 632 days, water was cut for 122 days respectively. The number of victims due to the siege has reached 159 victims.*
- *80,000 Palestinian Syrian refugees escaped from Syria to the neighboring towns, including 14348 refugees in Jordan, 42,000 in Lebanon, according to UNRWA statistics till November 2014.*
- ***Al Husayneyya Camp:** - Regular Army is still preventing the residents of the camp to return back to their houses for 454 days respectively.*
- ***Al Sbeina Camp:** - Regular Army is still preventing the residents of the camp to return back to their houses for 424 days respectively.*
- ***Handarat Camp:** - Residents have left the camp for 625 days after the Syrian Opposition Groups controlled it.*
- ***Dara'a Camp:** - It is now almost 269 days without water and 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.*
- ***Khan Al Sheih Camp:** - Roads linking the camp to the city center are still closed except for Zakia- Khan Al Sheih road.*