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### *"Mortar Shells Target Yarmouk while Some Students Exit to Damascus"*



- A Resident of Yarmouk Dies due to Wounds he Attained by a Previous Shelling
- A PFGC Member Dies during Clashes in Yarmouk
- The Syrian Security Forces Prevent Residents of Husseneia to Open their Stores under the Pretext of not Obtaining a Security Approval
- Explosive Barrels Target the Vicinity of Khan Al Shieh Camp in Damasucs Suburb
- Unemployment and High Cost of Living are the Most Prominent Suffering at Jaramana
- Vidar Discusses the Legal Situation of te Palestinians of Syria with the Palestinian Ambassador in Turkey

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### *Victims*

*The young man Ahmed Mohammed Issa Al Rayyan, from the Yarmouk camp and a resident of Al-Magharba street, died due to wounds he attained after the bombing targeted Palestine square area the day before yesterday, where the young man was injured in addition to other two young men.*



*Meanwhile, Nasr Hamed, a member of the PFGC, died during clashes that broke out the day before yesterday on the axis of Al-Thalathein Street and the vicinity of the Yarmouk court between the regular army and the Palestinian factions on the one hand, and ISIS alongside Al-Nusra Front on the one hand other.*





*It is noteworthy that the Yarmouk camp south of the Syrian capital Damascus is exposed to mortar shelling, coinciding with the outbreak of sporadic clashes.*

### ***Recent Updates***

*Mortar shells targeted the Yarmouk camp south of the capital Damascus yesterday, and resulted in a state of panic among the besieged residents, in addition to material damages at their homes. The shelling coincided with the exit of high school students through the Yarmouk municipality checkpoint in order to perform the general information test in the capital Damascus.*



*Residents of Husseneia camp in Damascus suburb are complaining of domination by the Syrian security military detachment after closing most of the stores in charges of lack of license, and the need to obtain the security approval before opening any store.*





*According to activists, the security detachment made decisions that will restrict the movement of residents and control their lives, such as:*

- Any family proved to have an armed member is expelled from the area and its property is confiscated by the checkpoint.*
- In case a provider of a family is not present is expelled and its property is confiscated*
- The rented shops are not allowed to be re-opened.*
- Shops owners are allowed to open their store provided that they buy their products from traders assigned by the head of checkpoints in the area in order to control prices and prevent the entry of goods from outside the region.*

*For his part, a residents commented mocking the behavior of the Syrian security forces in the camp, saying: "Of course Husseinia is a city in the middle of the capital, Damascus, and contains an archaeological castle and an important tourist market, so the process of opening stores must be licensed and security studied, and anyone says that this argument in order to get more money is a liar".*

*It is noteworthy that people of Husseneia returned after about three years of departure, and after great efforts made by them and Reconciliation Commission to the Syrian authorities to intervene with the Syrian army and security to open the way for the return of residents to their homes.*

*On the other hand, Syrian warplanes dropped four explosive barrels at the vicinity of Khan Al Shieh in Al Rida Street at the adjacent areas, as artillery shells targeted Al Madanein road at Nestle Street.*



*Residents of the camp live in a permanent state of anxiety due to the targeting of their camp with explosive barrels, which led to many victims and injuries, in addition to massive damage on property and buildings, as well as the outage of landlines and ADSL for all parts of the camp.*



*Turning to Jaramana camp, where the Palestinian families are suffering of dire living conditions due to the economic crisis because of the continued war in Syria, where they complain of rising rents and high prices of foodstuffs.*

*Jaramana camp receives nearly 5,000 displaced families, especially from the Yarmouk camp, Husseinia, Sayeda Zeinab, Sabina, and Altheiabeya camps, which increased unemployment and poverty among residents.*

*Jaramana camp did not engage the ongoing events in Syria directly as a result of its geographical location, but its vicinity is targeted with shells intermittently as a result of its proximity to Damascus International Airport and Ghouta area.*



### **Turkey**

*During a meeting with Palestinian Ambassador in Turkey Dr. "Fayed Mustafa," President of the Turkish Association for Solidarity with Palestine (Vidar), "Mohammed Msheneish," stressed on the need to regulate the legal status of Palestinian refugees coming from Syria to Turkey, and improve the humanitarian and legal status.*

*Mr.Msheneish called for concerted efforts to serve the Palestinians in Turkey, and coordination with the Turkish official authorities to allow Palestinian refugees to obtain a regular visa rather than risk themselves through smuggling, and to facilitate the procedures of obtaining free authority passports for refugees.*



*For his part, the Palestinian ambassador stressed the importance of following up the suffering of the Palestinian refugees in Turkey, as he visited the refugees in southern Turkey, while they issued 500 free authority passports for refugees.*



*The Ambassador spoke about his meeting with Turkish President Recep Tayyip Erdogan, reviewing with him the Palestinian situation in Turkey from various aspects.*

*At the conclusion of the meeting, the two sides stressed the need for communication and cooperation that would serve the Palestinian refugees in Turkey in the best way.*

### ***Numbers and Statistics till 15/10/2015***

- *15,500 Palestinian Syrian refugees in Jordan, 45,000 Palestinian Syrian refugees in Lebanon, and 6,000 refugees in Egypt, according to the UNRWA's statistics till July 2015.*
- *At least 36,000 Palestinian Syrian refugees have reached Europe during the last 4 years.*
- *The Yarmouk Camp: - Siege, imposed by the Regular Army and PFGC, continued for 836 days respectively. In addition, power cuts continued for more than 906 days, water was cut for 396 days respectively. The number of victims due to the siege has reached to 182 victims.*
- *Al Sbeina Camp: - Regular Army is still preventing the residents of the camp to return back to their houses for 697 days respectively.*
- *Handarat Camp: - Residents have left the camp for 898 days after the Syrian Opposition Groups controlled it.*
- *Dara'a Camp: - It is now almost 542 days without water and 70% of its buildings were demolished.*



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- *Jarmana, 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 Shieh road.*