



## التقرير اليومي الخاص بأوضاع اللاجئين الفلسطينيين في سورية

Daily report on the situation of Palestinian refugees in Syria

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### *"Gov't Forces Blow Up Home in Khan AlSheih Camp, Block Delivery of Relief Items to Displaced Families in Idlib"*



- **Palestinian Resident of Khan AlSheih Camp Raslan Tawfiq Raja Released from Gov't Lock-Up**
- **Over 300 Palestinian Refugees Missing since Outbreak of Syrian Warfare**
- **30 Palestinians from Syria Killed since Start of 2017**
- **Palestine Charity in Southern Damascus Wraps Up "2017 Warm Winter" Campaign**

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### *Latest Developments*

*Reporting from Khan AlSheih Camp in Damascus western outskirts, AGPS news correspondent said that a couple of days ago the Syrian government forces blew up civilian homes in the shelter and ravaged others without prior notifications.*

*The Fourth Division, in cooperation with the Palestine Liberation Army (PLA), broke into a civilian home in the camp on claims of searching for arms.*



*A basement sheltering a homeless family and their children sustained damage after it had been blow up by the government troops.*

*The Fourth Division unit and PLA fighters, along with members of the Military Branch 220, misappropriated the furniture and civilian belongings.*

*AGPS correspondent added that the regime troops wreaked havoc on another civilian home and summoned several residents to questioning.*



*At the same time, the Syrian government squads prevented the distribution of aids to the families displaced from Khan AlSheih to Idlib following the reconciliation deal struck with the opposition outfits in early December 2016.*

*The General Commission for Arab Palestinian Refugees in Syria, in partnership with UNICEF, handed over winter clothes and shoes to the residents of Khan AlSheih, except for the families and children deported to Idlib.*

*At least 220 persons deported to Idlib figure on a list that was handed over by Khan AlSheih Committee, chaired by Ismail Nawfel, to the government military division.*

*Over 2,000 civilians, including activists, journalists, and relief volunteers, retreated from Khan AlSheih Camp to Idlib town following a reconciliation agreement between the Syrian government and the opposition outfits.*

*Meanwhile, Palestinian refugee Raslan Tawfiq Raja, a resident of Khan AlSheih Camp, was recently released from a government jail.*

*The newly-released detainee was kidnapped on November 8, 2017 at the regime-run AlEin checkpoint.*

*AGPS kept account of the incarceration of 1,164 Palestinian refugees in Syrian government penitentiaries, among whom women and toddlers.*

*In the meantime, 301 Palestinian refugees have gone missing since the outburst of the Syrian conflict, among whom 38 female refugees.*



*Over half of the missing refugees have been identified as residents of Yarmouk Camp in southern Damascus.*

*Local activists condemned the abrupt abduction sweeps and manhunts launched by the regime forces under the security pretext. They further denounced the blackmail attempts perpetrated by the regime militias in the hunt for money, turning civilians' freedom into a bargaining chip.*

*Several other Palestinians have had mysterious fates in Syrian penal complexes, according to affidavits by ex-detainees.*

*Speaking on condition of anonymity, an ex-captive said he met the Palestinian minor Omar Mohamed Seyam, aged 16, in a government lock-up.*

*Seyam, a resident of Yarmouk, has gone missing since 21, November 2012 and was later spotted in a Syrian detention center in Damascus.*

*Along the same line, AGPS kept record of the death of 30 Palestinian refugees in Syria since the start of 2017 due to war-related incidents.*

*Nine Palestinian refugees died in January alone. Four refugees were fatally gunned down while two others died under shelling. Two more refugees were killed by sniper bullets and another drowned at sea. Until February 16, 21 Palestinians were killed, 14 among whom under shelling, three by gun shooting, and two by sniper bullets. Two others were tortured to death in government prisons.*

*The overall death toll of the Syrian warfare among the Palestinians of Syria has hit 3,443.*



### ***Civil Action Commissions***

*The Palestine Charity Commission announced the end of its “Warm Winter 3” campaign for 2017.*

*During the campaign, the commission distributed firewood to Palestinians sheltered in southern Damascus, including cancer-stricken refugees, medics at the Palestine Hospital, instructors at AlQuds School, relief staff members, and students.*

*Several families, mostly in southern Damascus, have been forced to fetch firewood from evacuated homes and structures to keep warm as they have run out of firewood, among other much-needed supplies.*



### ***Palestinians of Syria: February 16, 2017 Statistics:***

- *At least 3,443 Palestinians, including 455 women, were killed in war-torn Syria.*
- *1,164 Palestinian refugees, including 83 women, are incarcerated in Syrian government lock-ups.*



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- *Yarmouk refugee camp has been blockaded by the Syrian regime army and Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine - General Command (PFLP-GC) for 1,337 days in a row.*
- *190 Palestinians died of undernourishment and medical neglect in the blockaded Yarmouk Camp.*
- *Water supplies cut off in Deraa and Yarmouk camps respectively for 1,041 and 848 days.*
- *Residents of Handarat Camp, in Aleppo, denied access to their homes for 1,388 days. Government battalions have been holding sway over the camp for more than 119 days.*
- *Government troops ban residents of Al-Sbiena Camp from returning to their homes for 1,190 days running.*
- *Over 79,000 Palestinian Syrian refugees fled to Europe until mid 2016.*
- *31,000 Palestinians from Syria are housed in Lebanon.*
- *17 Palestinians from Syria are taking refuge in Jordan.*
- *6,000 Palestinian-Syrian refugees are sheltered in Egypt.*
- *8,000 Palestinian-Syrian refugees are taking shelter in Turkey.*
- *1,000 Palestinian-Syrian refugees are sheltered in the blockaded Gaza Strip.*