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Daily report on the situation of Palestinian refugees in Syria



"India Deports Palestinian Family, Other Countries Refuse to Let Them in"

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Latest Developments

A couple of days earlier, India deported a four-member Palestinian family to Jordan. The Jordanian authorities also expelled the family to Oman hours after they detained them.

Speaking with AGPS, a source close to the family said Palestinian refugee from Syria Fahd Odeh, a resident of Yarmouk Camp, was banished with his wife and three children from India after he overstayed his visa.

According to the same source, Fahd left Syria before 2010 to pursue his studies, before he got married. He stayed in India fleeing the war in Syria. He could not renew his visa in India.



Fahd obtained a Palestinian passport from the Palestine Embassy after his Syrian travel document expired. He was later deported to Jordan, where he had been detained at the Queen Alia International Airport in Amman. His wife, a holder of a foreign passport, refused to stay in Jordan after the Jordanian authorities green-lighted her entry.



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Fahd was also detained in Oman, to which he was deported from Jordan. He has gone homeless as India forced him back and, later, refused to let him in.



Activists expressed concern over his fate and slammed Arab countries for refusing to grant Fahd's family, along with other Palestinians from Syria, asylum.

In May 2011, Jordan's Policies Council, chaired by King Abdullah II, issued a decision to bar Palestinian refugees from Syria from entering Jordan.

Thousands of Palestinian refugees fled their refugee camps in war-torn Syria and have sought asylum in neighboring countries. Thousands headed for Europe, risking their lives onboard the so-called "death boats" as they rummaged around for safe shelters.

Meanwhile, the AlShamiya Front, north of Syria, has kept the Palestinian refugee Atiyeh Mohamed Mahmoud in custody for nearly one month. His fate and location remain unidentified.

In letters emailed to AGPS, Mahmoud's family said they have been taking refuge in Qalaat al-Madiq after they were deported from Eastern Ghouta.



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Atiyeh was kidnapped by AlJabha AlShamia gunmen from a friend's home in Afrin on July 26, 2018.

The family said their son has been subjected to enforced disappearance, holding the opposition groups north of Syria responsible for his fate.

Born in 1994 and raised in Rif Dimashq, Atiyeh was deported along with his family to northern Syria in March.

Other refugees have been held captive by opposition groups in Syria. Palestinian refugee Husam AlDeen Hasan Abdullah Hasan had been detained by Tahrir AlSham battalion for three weeks.

In another development, the Charity Commission for the Relief of the Palestinian People distributed meat portions to displaced families in Deir Ballout and AlMuhamadiya refugee camps, north of Syria.

Hundreds of displaced Palestinian families, formerly sheltered in Yarmouk, have been enduring dire living conditions north of Syria.

At the same time, an event has been staged by the Palestinian Red Crescent Society to entertain Palestinian children in ALAyedeen refugee camp in Hums.





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Children with special needs joined the event, which was held in partnership with the Danish Red Cross.