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Daily report on the situation of Palestinian refugees in Syria

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"A Palestinian Family Detained for a month in Ataturk Airport Appeals for Release"



- **Thefts increase in Khan Dannoun Camp.**
- **A fire breaks out in a camp for Palestinian and Syrian refugees south of Turkey.**

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RECENT UPDATES

Khattab family, a Palestinian four members' family, detained in Ataturk Airport for 27 days, appeals to the Palestinian Embassy in Ankara, PLO, UNHCR as well as to the General Assembly for Palestinians affiliated to Syrian Interim Government, to intervene with the Turkish Authorities to release them out.

The family had arrived to Turkey from Brazil which they couldn't enter because of visas expiry, after the Lebanese authorities refused to let them into the country.



The family members detained in the airport are: “Kamel Hosni Khattab” 69-year-old, “Ibtisam Ibrahim Fallaha” 59-year-old, “Mohammad Kamel Khattab” 27-year-old, and “Ruba Kamel Khattab” 26-year-old.

In a different topic, the residents of Khan Dannoun Camp, in Damascus Countryside, complain about the notable increase of robberies number occurring inside the camp recently, the robberies included water pumps, electric parts of cars, and other kinds of properties.



Residents of the camp linked the robberies to the growing role of the pro-regime so-called “Popular Committees” as witnesses said that most of the incidents happens at night during the work time of such committees, while activists said that the Popular Committees are taking advantage of such incidents to push the displaced families to leave the camp.



In South of Turkey, a fire broke out in Derik Camp for Syrian refugees, which includes around 20 Palestinian families, killed two Syrian children and injured tens, three of them in a critical condition. The fire came on around 26 hangars, which are big warehouses inhabited by refugees, evacuated 80 families at least, while no reports of Palestinian victims or injuries so far.



It is important to say that the Palestinian families in this camp were evacuated, previously, from another refugees' camp in Kilis City after closure.



Palestinians of Syria in numbers and statistics Until 26 March 2016

- *15,000 Palestinian Syrian refugees in Jordan,*
- *6,000 refugees in Egypt, according to the UNRWA's statistics till July 2015.*
- *More than 71,200 Palestinian Syrian refugees have arrived Europe until the end of December 2015.*
- *The Yarmouk Camp: still under siege imposed by the Syrian Regime's Army and PFLP-GC (Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine – General Command), continued for 1015 days respectively. In addition, power cuts continued for more than 1076 days, water cut for 564 days. The number of victims due to the siege has reached to 186 victims.*
- *Al Sbeina Camp: Syrian Regime's Army still preventing the residents from returning back to their houses for 871 days respectively.*
- *Handarat Camp: All of its residents have left the camp for 1062 days after the Syrian Opposition Groups controlled it.*
- *Dara'a Camp: Running water cut continues for 725 days, and 70% of its buildings were destroyed.*
- *Jarmana, AL-Saieda Zainab, Al-Raml, Al-Aedein Homs and Al-AedeinHama: 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 EShieh road.*