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### *"Distress Calls by the Besieged Yarmouk Residents for Ending Arbitrary Shelling after Targeting the Camp with Rockets and Explosive Barrels"*



- **UN and UNRWA Teams Enter the Yarmouk Neighboring Towns**
- **Explosive Barrels Target Adjacent Areas and Farms of Khan Al Shieh Camp**
- **Residents of Al Raml Camp in Latakia are Still Suffering**
- **The Palestinian House in Netherlands Submits a Memorandum to the Dutch Parliament Demanding to Provide International Protection for Palestinians of Syria**

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### ***Recent Updates***

*The besieged residents of Yarmouk launched distress calls yesterday to end the arbitrary shelling that target the camp by the Syrian warplanes with explosive barrels and artillery shells. The residents of Yarmouk appealed the UN and the Palestinian and International organizations to intervene in order to stop the heavy shelling that target the camp. Meanwhile, 14 explosive barrels targeted the vicinity of Yarmouk court, Al Rija square, Ein Ghazal neighborhood, and the Yarmouk main street.*

*The AGPS correspondent reported that the shelling that targeted Yarmouk yesterday was the most violent, as it resulted in severe injuries among civilians, as well as some families were rescued from under the rubbles. Activists accused the Syrian regime and the GC groups by following scorched earth and systematic destruction policy, especially the area between Rijh Square and Al Waseim project.*



***Old man pulled out of the rubble***

*The group correspondent described the situation as catastrophic in light of the loss of any medical equipment due to the siege imposed by the Syrian Army and the GC which prevents the entry of medical and relief aid to the camp's residents.*



*It is mentioned that almost 18,000 person were besieged inside the camp; hundreds of them fled to the neighboring towns following ISIS breaking into the camp on 1st of April. The remaining residents suffer of dire conditions due to the siege imposed by the Syrian army and GC groups for r671 days respectively, power cut for more than 741 days, and water cut for 231 consecutive days, in addition to the increased number of siege victims which reached 176 victims.*

*In a related context, a team of United Nations and UNRWA entered yesterday to the towns of Yalda, Babbila, and beit sahem to inspect the humanitarian situation and the conditions of displaced Palestinians of the besieged Yarmouk refugee camp. The number of displaced people from the Yarmouk refugee camp to neighboring towns estimated with hundreds, who are suffering from living difficulties in light of the absence of financial resources and unemployment. They also suffer of continuous displacement from their homes since the beginning of this month, following ISIS breaking into the camp.*



***The United Nations and UNRWA team***

*The Syrian warplanes targeted Khan AL Shieh camp in Damascus suburb with number of explosive barrels and resulted in a state of panic among*



*the residents. In the meantime, violent clashes broke out between the Syrian Army and groups of armed opposition at the axes of Drousha town adjacent to Khan Al Shieh camp. In terms of living aspect, the residents are still suffering of lack of nutrition and fuel as a result of the frequent closure of all roads linking the camp with the neighboring areas, while the only way, "Zakia-Khan Alshieh," was targeted by shelling and sniping.*

*A state of calm prevailed Al Raml camp North of Syria amid the continuing economic suffering of high prices of food supplies, in addition to the high cost of homes rent, in addition to the continuation of the Syrian security services to arrest residents with increased anxiety after the leaked images of the victims of torture in Syrian prisons. Meanwhile, pro-Syrian Palestinian groups raided civilian homes once in a while and size it as headquarters, while youth of the camp also suffers from the prosecution of the Syrian security services to PLA obligatory military service forced many of them to escape out of the country.*

*The suffering of Al Aedein camp in Hama is manifested on security and economic sides, while youth of the camp live a state of anxiety and fear of arrest because of the spread of many of the regular army checkpoints inside and outside the camp, prompting many young people to leave the camp, especially those who are obliged to perform the compulsory military service. In terms of economic level, the residents are complaining of unemployment spread among them due to the tense security situation, which cast a shadow over the residents who were mostly lose work and became completely dependent on relief aid that is distributed between now and then.*





### *Netherlands*

*"Palestinian house in the Netherlands" submitted a memorandum to the Foreign Affairs Committee of the Dutch Parliament during the second meeting this year includes four demands, namely:*

*To secure a safe humanitarian corridor to enter food and medical aid into the Yarmouk refugee camp.*

*To secure international protection for the remaining Palestinian refugees and neutralizing them of the conflict in Syria*

*To know the fate of Palestinian detainees held by all parties of the conflict in Syria.*

*To demand accepting asylum applications submitted by Palestinians in Gaza and to treat them similarly as to the Palestinians of Syria.*



*It is noteworthy that the Palestinian house in the Netherlands constitutes an umbrella that gathered all Palestinians in the Netherlands and all spectrums and directions of the Palestinian people. The Palestinian house*



was announced to be formed at the Dutch city of Rotterdam in June 2011, and is trying through its activities and meetings to support and assist the Palestinian refugees in the diaspora.

### ***Numbers and Statistics till 28/4/2015***

- *At least 27933 Palestinian Syrian refugees have reached Europe during the last 4 years.*
- ***The Yarmouk Camp:** - Siege, imposed by the Regular Army and PFGC, continued for 661 days respectively. In addition, power cuts continued for more than 741 days, water was cut for 231 days respectively. The number of victims due to the siege has reached to 176 victims.*
- *80,000 Palestinian Syrian refugees escaped from Syria to the neighboring towns, including 10,687 refugees in Jordan, 51,300 in Lebanon and 6,000 refugees in Egypt, according to UNRWA statistics till February 2015.*
- ***Al Husayneyya Camp:** - Regular Army is still preventing the residents of the camp to return back to their houses for 561 days respectively.*
- ***Al Sbeina Camp:** - Regular Army is still preventing the residents of the camp to return back to their houses for 532 days respectively.*
- ***Handarat Camp:** - Residents have left the camp for 734 days after the Syrian Opposition Groups controlled it.*
- ***Dara'a Camp:** - It is now almost 377 days without water and 70% of its buildings were demolished.*

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- *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.*