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"Explosive Barrels Targeted Khan al-Sheih Camp at Night Causing Casualties"



- A movement of immigration by Palestinian families from Qudsya in Damascus countryside.
- ISIS whips three young men in the besieged Yarmouk.
- A Syrian presidential decree calls to raise the price of travel documents for Palestinian refugees.
- Syrian security releases one of Al Aedein camp refugees' in Homs.
- PRS are protesting in front of "The Red Cross" center in Lebanon.
- "Furkan" keeps providing its medical and relief services to PRS in Ain Al Hilweh camp.

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Recent Updates

Russian and Syrian helicopters dropped four explosive barrels on Khan Al-Sheih at Wednesday night targeting the old market and causing a number of casualties.

AGPS reporter in Damascus countryside stated that Khan Al-Shieh was being shelled with artillery by members of the 137 Regiment, a pro-regime army, the most targeted spots were the eastern and western lanes, Saeed St. and Al Huda mosque and its surroundings', which led to intermediate injuries of a woman and a young man.



Yesterday, Syrian regime bombed different places in the camp. One of them was Bersheeba School, one of UNRWA institutions', with two mortars which led to a number of injuries among students and staff. Moreover, the Russian and Syrian aircrafts targeted civilian houses around Al Huda mosque with one missile. Consequently, there was a number of casualties among civilians including a woman and a child, massive destruction in properties and a widespread panic among civilians especially children.



It's worth noting that aircrafts have recently increased its raids on the camp, which receives hundreds of displaced families. As a result, the number of victims and casualties will rapidly increase followed by the number of destroyed buildings.



In the meantime, AGPS reporter confirmed that Qusya has recently witnessed an active movement of exodus by the residents of the camp. Due to the escalation of insecurity, shelling and serious clashes between the Syrian regime forces vs. the pro- opposition armed groups.

Palestinian families from Qudsya call both parties of the conflict to secure a path for them. They also demanded UNRWA, PLO and Palestinian parties to take the full responsibility towards Palestinians to return them back to their camps.

Trapped people in general and Palestinians in specific are living in a suffocating siege for more than a year. Syrian regime is imposing a cordon around the town in addition to the bombing, snipping in different places of the town and preventing people from getting in or out the camp except with specific conditions. All those procedures frighten the 6000



Palestinian families who live in Qudsya to witness the same scenario of siege which Yarmouk had lived.

In the south of Damascus, some news reported that ISIS whipped three young men in front of civilians in charge of smoking in public. It also published some photos while ISIS members were whipping someone in charge of adultery.

On Friday 9 September 2016, ISIS whipped on its barrier in Ouroba St. two girls in charge of taking off the veils that cover their faces. In addition, it also whipped a man because of drugs deduction. ISIS has clearly announced that whoever disobeys its orders will be punished.

It comes amid the arbitrary actions. For instance, imposing its own agendas on trapped people, continuing the siege imposed by the Syrian army, cutting power and water and preventing refugees from returning to their camps.

On Wednesday, Syrian presidential has issued a new legislative decree orders to raise the price of getting travel documents for Palestinian refugees. The legislative decree No. (20) for 2016 amends the articles (10) and (12) No. (18), which were issued on 2 November 2014 and related to put a price for Palestinian passport.

According to SANA (Syrian Arab News Agency), the new decree amends article No. (10) of law No. (18), which was issued on 2 November 2014, to be like: article No. (10) which puts prices for Palestinian passports, travel documents and traffic tickets.



In more details, 10,000 LS is to be paid for each passport or travel ticket or traffic passport if the applicant has enough time to wait in the line. But if he/she was in a hurry 25000 LS should be paid to get the needed documents expeditiously.

Amendments have been made on article No. (12) of law No. (18) to be like this:" anyone loses his/her passport should pay a fine of 25000 LS unless the loss was out of hands like disasters and so on"

In a different context, Syrian regime released on Wednesday 28/9 "Madian Sobhi Sarhan" a Palestinian refugee from "Al-Shajara" village in his fifth decade was arrested before one month and a half on the barrier of Homs- Tartous road by pro-Syrian army members. He was arrested on 12 August 2016 while he was driving some passengers to Tartous although he was one of PFGC members.

Civil Work Committees

Palestinian civil committees and a number of Palestinian-Syrian refugees have shared in the sit-in, which was held on 29 September 2016 in front of Red Cross center in Ain Al-Hilweh camp in Lebanon. They were protesting against Red Cross administration's random selection of the neediest families ignoring the rest of Palestinian ones who were displaced from Syria to Lebanon.

Protestors demanded to live in justice, to be included in their statistics and to stop favoritism and restricting Palestinian- Syrians. They raised slogans like, "No for favoritism", "No for restricting displaced people"



and " It's our right to live in dignity". They were wondering about the mechanism of choosing the needy families out of a large number of displaced families that live miserably.



They also highlighted in the warrant, which they handed it to the Red Cross manager, on reconsidering and making their aids include all the displaced families'.

Red Cross has announced before several days that it will help the neediest Palestinian -Syrian families with 1000\$ for four months.

In the same context, Al Furkan association for charity work keeps providing its aids for Palestinian – Syrians and displaced Syrians to Ain Al-Hilweh in the south of Lebanon. It has also paid money for the hospitalization requests', which were submitted in August 2016.

During the seventh month of this year (July), Al Furkan has paid the bills of hospitalization requests for some displaced families from Syria. It has distributed food packages, blankets, bed sheets and so on to new families who were recently arrived. Moreover, it opened its doors for a family who lost its house in a fire in Arab Al -Ghuwair area.



It's bear noting that according to UNRWA, PRS numbers' in Lebanon had reached 42,500 in 2015 while some unofficial resources pointed to the decline of the number to 33000 refugees. (726) families living in Ain Al-Helwih out of 12000 families. Since most of the families fled to Lebanon fearing of the ongoing war in Syria.

Palestinians of Syria; Numbers and Statistics until 29/9/2016

- *(15500) Palestinian Syrian refugees are in Jordan.*
- *(42,500) Palestinian Syrian refugees are in Lebanon.*
- *(6000) Palestinian Syrian refugees are in Egypt, according to the UNRWA statistics till July 2015.*
- *(8000) Palestinian Syrian refugees are in Turkey.*
- *(1000) Palestinian Syrian refugees are in Gaza.*
- *More than (79,000) Palestinian Syrian refugees have reached Europe till mid-2016.*
- *Yarmouk Camp: siege, imposed by the Regular Army and PFGC groups, continued for (1199) consecutive days. Power cut continued for more than (1260) days. water was cut for (750) days respectively. The number of siege victims is (187).*
- *Sabina Camp: Regular Army is still forbidding the residents of the camp to return back to their houses for (1052) days respectively.*
- *Handarat Camp: - All Residents have left the camp for about (1244) days after the Syrian Opposition Groups controlled it.*
- *Daraa Camp: - It is now almost (902) days without water and almost 70% of its buildings were totally destroyed.*

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- *Jarmana, AL Sayeda -Zeinab, Al Raml, Al Aedein Camps in Homs and Hama: 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.*