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Daily report on the situation of Palestinian refugees in Syria



"Anti-Occupation Militant among 2 Palestinian Refugees Tortured to Death in Syrian Dungeons"

- Russian Police Enter AlMuzeireeb South of Syria
- Power Crisis Rocks AlHusainiya Camp
- Displaced Palestinian Families South of Damascus Struggling for Survival
- Turkish Embassy in Lebanon Suspending Visas for Palestinians from Syria

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Victims

Palestinian refugee Abdul Salam Khaled Abdul Al was killed under tortured in Syrian government jails. He was kidnapped by the government forces some three years ago and kept in custody ever since, before he was pronounced dead on Wednesday.

Activists said Abdul Al fought alongside Palestinian revolutionaries in Sur during the Palestinian insurgency that flared up in South Lebanon. Aged 18 at the time, Abdul Al had been held captive in AlAnsar military camp by the Israeli occupation forces.

Palestinian refugee Hamid Ahmed Sweid, a resident of Rukn AlDeen neighborhood in Damascus, also died under torture in Syrian government penitentiaries. He had been kept behind prison bars for nearly five years. His identity documents and death certificate were handed over to his family.



AGPS documented the death of 523 Palestinians under torture in Syrian government jails.



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Latest Developments

Russian cops entered AlMuzeireeb town on Wednesday following an agreement with the opposition outfits.

Recently, Syrian government forces and their war partners struck AlMuzeireeb and Daraa Camp, among other populated zones, forcing thousands of Palestinians to seek shelter elsewhere.



Meanwhile, residents of AlHusainiya Camp denounced the power blackouts and the acute dearth in drinking-water supplies in the area.

Reporting from the camp, a Facebook page slammed the apathy maintained by the concerned authorities as regards the residents' appeals for help.

“Appeals simply go unheeded”, a shared post read.

The underprivileged residents lashed out at the local municipality for the below-standard services and poor-quality infrastructure in the area.



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They further spoke out against the problems caused by poor sanitation services.

At the same time, hundreds of displaced Palestinian families seeking refuge in Yalda, Babila, and Beit Sahem, south of Damascus, have launched cries for help over the abject living conditions they have been made to endure in the area due to the price hike, high unemployment rates, steep rental fees and the decline in civilians' purchasing power.



A Palestinian refugee spoke out against the increase in rental fees following the retreat of the opposition battalions from the area. He said residents used to pay 25,000 SP before the retreat of the opposition outfits, down from an actual average of 50,000 SP for furnished houses. Rental fees for unfurnished homes have hit 30,000 SP.

Quoting a displaced refugee in Yalda, AGPS correspondent said residents have been forced out of their rented homes under various pretexts by the house owners whose sole purpose has been to increase rental fees.



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In the meantime, the Turkish Embassy in Lebanon continues to prevent Palestinian refugees from Syria in Lebanon from obtaining visas. As a result, hundreds of Palestinians from Syria have embarked on life-threatening journeys via illegal immigration roads to reach Turkey, fleeing war-tattered Syria.

Palestinians from Syria in Lebanon have been facing dire living conditions due to the lack of financial resources and restrictions on their access to the labor market. Several families were forced to return to Syria while others fled to Turkey in an attempt to set sail toward the European Continent.