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Daily report on the situation of Palestinian refugees in Syria



"5 Palestinian Refugees Assassinated South of Syria in 2020"

- Pro-Regime Squad in Syria Imposes Overnight Curfew on Palestinian Refugee Camp
- Khan Eshieh Camp for Palestinian Refugees Gripped with Fuel Crisis
- Residents of AlSabina Camp Denounce Poor-Quality Bread



Latest Developments

Palestinian refugees taking shelter in AlMuzeireeb continue to sound alarm bells over the security situation due to increasing assassination attempts in the area.

In 2020 alone, five Palestinian refugees were fatally gunned down in AlMuzeireeb town.

The victims are Husain Amin AlLuheibi, born in 1995, and the two Palestinian brothers Abdullah Abdul Kader Jaber and Malek Abdul Kader Jaber, along with Mohamed Bassam AlMutleq, and Yassin Awad.

Activists have accused pro-government militias of assassinating opposition affiliates south of Syria in violation of the reconciliation accords struck between the two sides.

A resident said dozens of assassination operations have targeted Palestinian refugees in the area, warning of the increase of such attempts.

AGPS has documented the death of dozens of Palestinian refugees in AlMuzeireeb town, home to 1,700 Palestinian families displaced from Daraa Camp.

Meanwhile, Liwaa AlQuds battalion, affiliated with the Syrian regime, imposed an overnight curfew on AlNeirab Camp for Palestinian refugees due to increasing property-theft reports.



In a statement posted on social media networks, Liwaa AlQuds said the residents who will violate the curfew will be subjected to penalties and legal accountability. Security forces will be patrolling the camp to impeach law breakers.

Over recent years, overnight property-theft and burglary attempts targeting civilian homes have increasingly been reported in the camp.

AlNeirab camp is the largest official camp in Syria and is 13km east of the city of Aleppo near the Aleppo airport.

Before the start of the conflict in Syria, Neirab camp was home to more than 20,000 Palestine refugees. Like other Palestine refugee camps in Syria, a large number of families, young people, have travelled abroad. The camp has also seen a large influx of more than 900 families from the nearby Ein el Tal camp, which has been mostly destroyed.

With nearly 18,000 registered refugees, Neirab camp is among the most densely populated camps. The camp suffers from overcrowding and a lack of privacy. Like other areas in Syria, displacement, unemployment, inflation, protection and security risks are among the main concerns shared by Palestine refugees and Syrians alike.

The location of the camp near the military airport means the area was exposed to hazards including mortars and shelling between the start of 2013 and the end of 2018.



Poor shelters and poor construction of the barracks result in scorching temperatures in summer and freezing conditions in winter. Water leakage and rodent infestation also remain a problem for the refugees.

Along similar lines, residents of Khan Eshieh camp for Palestinian refugees, in Rif Dimashq, said they have not received fuel supplies urgently-needed with the advent of winter.

A liter of fuel is sold by the government at 200 Syrian pounds. However, the price has hit 1,100 in the black market.

Palestinian refugee families taking shelter in the area continue to sound distress signals over the poor infrastructure, water and power outages, along with the absence of health care and transportation services. The swift price leap along with the high rates of unemployment and poverty have made the situation far worse.

Meanwhile, residents of AlSabina Camp for Palestinian refugees, in Rif Dimashq, spoke out against the insufficient quantities and poor quality of bread sold in the area.

They further lashed out at the poor and unfair distribution mechanisms implemented by government-run distributers.

Civilians said a bread bundle costs between 100 and 200 Syrian Pounds, overburdening even further the cash-stripped families.

The residents added that their appeals to the supply authorities have gone unheeded.



Located some 14 kilometers away from southern Damascus, AlSabina Camp has been gripped with an abject situation owing to the absence of humanitarian assistance, relief aids, proper infrastructure, and vital facilities. Frequent water and power outages have made the situation far worse.