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## الخاص بأوضاع اللاجئين الفلسطينيين في سورية

Daily report on the situation of Palestinian refugees in Syria



"AGPS, PRC Hold Seminar in Geneva to Speak Up for Palestinian Detainees in Syria"

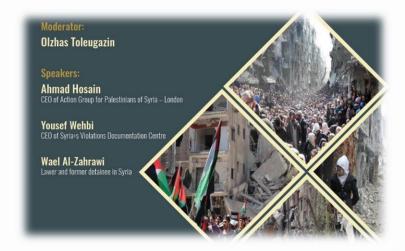
- Palestinian Girl Released by Lebanese Authorities
- Graduates Honored in AlAyedeen Camp in Hama
- UNRWA Spokesman Urges Regular Contributions by Arab States



## **Latest Developments**

A seminar is expected to be held on Monday by the Palestinian Return Centre (PRC), in partnership with AGPS, on the sidelines of the 39th session of the UN Human Rights Council in Geneva.

The one-hour seminar, slated to kick off at 02:30 p.m., makes part of underway efforts by AGPS and PRC to spotlight the situation of Palestinians from Syria and the violations they have been made to endure all the way through the seven-year warfare, including arbitrary detention, forced deportation, and fatal torture.



Intensive data will figure in a presentation to be delivered by AGPS Executive Director, Ahmad Husain, about the situation of Palestinians from Syria both inside and outside of the Syrian territories.

Activist Wael AlZahrawi, who had been locked up in Syrian government jails, will also deliver an affidavit about the tragic experience and appalling conditions endured by hundreds of Palestinian detainees in Syrian dungeons.



Executive Director of the Violations Documentation Center in Syria, Youssef Wahba, will also tackle the issue from within the lens of international humanitarian laws.

AGPS documented the death of 3,873 Palestinians from Syria due to war-related incidents and the detention of 1,695 refugees. 556 Palestinians have been tortured to death in Syrian government lockups.

Meanwhile, the Lebanese authorities released the Palestinian girl Manar Abu Seyam, aged 14, after they detained her for days in AlGhbeiri detention center.

Over recent days, Abu Seyam's detention stirred seething anger among the Palestinian refugee community.



The girl was arrested at a hospital, to which she had been admitted following a horrific traffic accident in Lebanon.

The Lebanese authorities claimed the girl entered Lebanon via illegal routes.

Palestinian refugees from Syria have been subjected to a precarious legal status in Lebanon, where they are often treated as foreigners rather than legitimate asylum-seekers.



Hundreds of Palestinians formerly sheltered in Syria have fled the war-torn country in the hunt for a safe shelter to take provisional refuge in.

In the meantime, a ceremony was held in AlAyedeen Camp for Palestinian refugees in Hama to honor laureates and university graduates.

Speakers at the event sounded the alarm over underway schemes to dampen Palestinians' spirits and liquidate their legitimate cause.

A show was performed by the Ashbal and AlZahrat Foundation. Awards were handed over to the nominees shortly after.



Scores of Palestinians taking shelter AlAyedeen camp have been tortured to death in Syrian government prisons. Dozens more have been forcibly recruited by pro-government battalions.

In another development, UNRWA spokesman Sami Mashasha said an Arab League summit held last week makes part of underway efforts to boost regular fundraising for UNRWA so as to enable the agency to keep up its services for Palestine refugees.



Speaking with Sputnick news agency, Mashasha said the US suspended the \$365 million it used to contribute in aid for UNRWA on an annual basis.

UNRWA is left with a deficit of \$186 million, down from \$365 million earlier this year, added Mashasha.

He said a meeting will be held on the sidelines of the UN General Assembly session under the auspices of Jordan, Saudi Arabia, Turkey, Japan, and the EU to urge more funds to the agency.

Addressing the international community and the Palestine refugee community UNRWA Commissioner-General Pierre Krähenbühl has vowed that the agency will uphold its vital services despite Washington's simmering crackdowns and ad hominem campaigns waged over recent months.