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Daily report on the situation of Palestinian refugees in Syria



"NEW Turk Post: Turkey Intends to Rescind Travel Documents of Palestinians from Syria"

- Palestinian Refugee Bashir AlShaabi Jailed in Syria for 5th Year
- Palestinian Volunteers Engaged in Relief Mission in Deir Ballout Camp



Latest Developments

The Turkish Immigration and Passports Office issued a new decision to deactivate travel documents of Palestinian refugees from Syria, the New Turk Post has reported.

The Turkish Immigration Office also stipulated that only passports signed by Palestinian-Authority (PA) will be recognized by authorities.



Unofficial statistics indicate that 8,000 Palestinians from Syria have sought shelter in Turkey, where they have been facing dire socio-economic conditions and denied access to the local labor market.

Turkish embassies continue to prevent Palestinian refugees from Syria from obtaining visas. As a result, hundreds of Palestinians have embarked on life-threatening journeys via illegal immigration roads to reach Turkey, fleeing war-tattered Syria, among other war-stricken zones.



Meanwhile, Palestinian refugee from Syria Bashir Mohamed AlShaabi has been held in Syrian state prisons for five consecutive years. His fate and condition remain mysterious.



Bashir, a resident of the Homs-based AlAyedeen Camp for Palestinian refugees, was kidnapped on February 23, 2014, on his way to Mesfat neighborhood, in Homs city.

AGPS documented the incarceration of 1,736 Palestinian refugees in Syrian government jails, among them 107 women and girls.

Meanwhile, members of the Bab AlShams volunteer group in northern Syria have been engaged in the cleaning campaign kickstarted some three months earlier in Deir Ballout Camp, where dozens of families displaced from Yarmouk Camp and other southern Damascus zones have sought shelter.

Psychological support activities and leisure events have also been occasionally held by the group in an attempt to assuage the calamitous conditions endured by displaced families and children north of Syria.



Since November 2018, a group of Palestinian youths volunteered for the relief mission.

AGPS has frequently sounded the alarm over the situation of the Palestinian refugees deported to northern Syria and the abject living conditions they have been enduring in an area deemed as the most tension-stricken region across the Syrian territories.

The displaced families continue, meanwhile, to lash out at the apathy maintained by UNRWA, the Syrian authorities, and the Palestine Liberation Organization, among other concerned bodies, regarding the tragic situation wrought on the area.

AGPS calls for serious measures by all concerned parties in order to secure the displaced families' right to physical and moral protection and provide them with much-needed humanitarian aids.

