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"After Neglecting Thousands of Palestinian and Hundreds of Children Victims, Palestine Embassy in Damascus Denounces the Killing of Abdullah Issa who is Affiliated with the Syrian Regime"



- Shelling Targets the Outskirts of Khan Al Shieh Camp
- PRC Urged UNRWA to Immediately Intervene and Allow the Entry of Humanitarian Aid to Khan Al Shieh Camp
- "Detainees' Trade," An additional Way to Blackmail Families of Palestinian Detainees in the Prisons of the Syrian Regime

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Recent Updates

After neglecting the death of more than (3291) Palestinian refugees in Syria, including 209 children, and after ignoring a number of massacres that was committed against Palestinian refugees in following Syria bombing, blockade, and the direct targeting of Palestinian camps in Syria, the embassy Palestinian in Syria issued press statement yesterday.



The statement condemned the crime committed by "Nour al-Din Al-Zanki movement" affiliated with the Syrian armed opposition, as they slaughtered Abdullah Issa, where the statement contradicted with the information published by the Syrian regime talking about Alissa is a 12-year- orphan Palestinian child, which was denied by multiple sources yesterday.

The Syrian opposition published photographs of Abdullah Issa yesterday, while he appeared in military uniform, in addition to the military identity card bearing his name and image and shows that he is 19 years old.

The AGPS confirmed that crimes of slaughtering and extrajudicial killings are condemned and contrary to the international and humanitarian law, regardless of nationality or age of the victim.



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Activists accused the Palestinian embassy in Syria of politicizing the issue of the victim, "Abdullah Issa," and investing the incident to please the Syrian government in Damascus, and to support it. Activists said that the ignorance of the Palestinian embassy about the death of (3291) Palestinian refugees, the arrest of 1,100 others, and not condemning the death of more than (446) victims who died due to torture, confirms that the Palestinian embassy is seeking to invest the blood of the victim, "Abdullah al-Issa" in political goals.

The Palestinians of Syria had appealed the Palestinian embassy in Damascus tens of times to intervene for the release of the Palestinian detainees who are held by the Syrian regime, to end the siege of the Yarmouk refugee camp, and to stop the frequent shelling that targeted the Palestinian refugee camps in Syria, especially air strikes and explosive barrels, especially at Khan Al Shieh camp.

Meanwhile, Palestinian activists confirmed that the Palestinian embassy did not response in practical terms with any of those appeals.

In the meantime, news from Khan Al Shieh camp in western suburb of Damascus reported that the Syrian aircrafts dropped three explosive barrels yesterday evening on the outskirts of Al-Saeed Street near the camp.

Artillery shelling targeted the surrounding farms in conjunction with intensive hovering of aircrafts, sparking a state of panic and fear among people of the camp, especially children and women.

It is noteworthy that the warplanes had stepped up their raids on the camp since the end of last month that resulted in dozens of casualties and



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injuries as well as a large mass in the homes of civilians. The AGPS documented (178) victims from Khan Al Shieh camp who died since the start of war events in Syria.



In the same context, Palestinian Return Centre _London urged UNRWA to immediately intervene and save the situation from further deterioration within Khan Al Shieh camp in Damascus western suburb, and to avoid the camp the same fate of the Yarmouk camp south of the capital Damascus.

In a letter that was addressed on Friday 22/07/2016 by PRC to UNRWA Commissioner-General Pierre Krenpol about the humanitarian situation in Khan Al Shieh camp, demanding UNRWA to facilitate the entry of humanitarian aid, to exercise its powers as holder of mandate on the Palestinian refugees, networking with other international organizations and facilitate the entry of aid, led by the Office of the UN Coordination of humanitarian Affairs.

The center also stressed, in his speech, the need to increase the operational capacity of the UNRWA clinic in Khan Al Shieh camp, and to



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open mini operations and aid room to receive patients and wounded and to provide them with medicines, noting that the camp has about 3000 children and 12,000 civilians in need of medical care and first aid, as well as humanitarian aid.



The letter stressed on the important of delivering financial aid of UNRWA inside Khan Al Shieh camp, and to avoid the residents the danger of arrest and killing while heading to the capital Damascus during receiving aid.

The AGPS issued a statement demanding the Syrian government to break the siege imposed on the camp, to open all roads, to immediately allow the entry of medical teams in order to rescue the injured and to provide aid and medical services ambulance necessary and called on the international medical services. The AGPS called the international community to commit to its role of keeping international peace and security, and to put pressure on the conflict parties in Syria to neutralize the Palestinian camps and to provide protection for Palestinian refugees for being refugee camps recognized by the UNRWA.



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The Syrian warplanes intensified strikes since the beginning of last month which resulted in dozens of victims and injuries, in addition to sever destruction of civilians' houses.

The AGPS documented 178 victims among the residents of Khan Al Shieh camp who died since the beginning of war events in Syria.



Furthermore, families of more than (1089) Palestinian Syrian detainees in the regime's prisons are suffering from absence of any information about the fate of their children, without mentioning places or reasons for their arrest or any information about their health status.

The so-called "detainees dealers" who are often officers and security officials in the Syrian security branches or close to them are extorting families of detainees in exchange for some information about them and their situation.

The price of information differs from "dealer" to another, where the price of the information may reaches (\$ 2,000) in some cases.

Some of the officials, who were described by detainees' families as "VIP," are paid sums of money up to (\$ 10,000) for the release of some detainees.



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The families added to the AGPS that most of those who are doing such business are "frauds" that take money and provide false information about the detainees, or disagree with the families and stop communicating with them after taking money.

Palestinians of Syria; Numbers and Statistics till 22\07\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 71.2 thousand Palestinian Syrian refugees have reached
 Europe till the End of December 2015
- The Yarmouk Camp: siege, imposed by the Regular Army and PFGC groups, continued for 1130 consecutive days. Power cut continued for more than 1192 days, water was cut for 681 days respectively. The number of siege victims is 187.
- Al Sbeina Camp: Regular Army is still preventing the residents of the camp to return back to their houses for 984 days respectively.
- Handarat Camp: All Residents have left the camp for about 1 176 days after the Syrian Opposition Groups controlled it.
- Dara'a Camp: It is now almost 837 days without water and almost 70% of its buildings were demolished.



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- Jermana, AL Saieda ZAinab, Al Raml, Al Aedein Camps in Homs and Hamma: 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.