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Daily report on the situation of Palestinian refugees in Syria



"3 PLA Fighters Killed, Others Injured South of Syria"

- Activists: Yarmouk Residents Allowed to Validate Property Ownership
- PLO Opens Application Process for Displaced Palestinians Seeking to Return to Syria
- Migrant Family Sinks off Evros River



Victims

Three Palestinians from the Palestine Liberation Army (PLA) were killed as they fought alongside the Syrian government forces against ISIS militias in Yarmouk Basin, south of Syria.

Residents of AlHusainiya Camp Ahmed Tayseer Ibrahim and Sharaf Majd Abdul Fatah Abu Sweid, along with Ahmed Zoheir



Ahmed Zoheir Abd Alah

Abd Alah a resident of AlAsayeda Zeinab, in Rif Dimashq.

3 other PLA fighters—Hasan Ali, Mohamed AlNatour, and Mohamed Kheir Khalil—were left injured.

AGPS documented the death of 258 Palestinians affiliated with the PLA in war-torn Syria, mostly in Rif Dimashq.

Latest Developments

Palestinian activists said pro-government bodies ruled that Yarmouk residents are allowed to endorse proofs of property ownership until the end of September.

The activists quoted a number of families who recently entered the camp as stating that municipal authorities notified them about the time-span allotted to the residents to apply to protect their ownership rights. No official instructions were, however, issued by



the Syrian government, Palestinian factions, the Palestine Liberation Organization, or the reconciliation committees to that end.

Speaking with AGPS, an eye-witness said dozens of Yarmouk residents handed over their property ownership documents to security offices at the main entrance to the camp.



70% of civilian structures and buildings in Yarmouk have been destroyed in the Syrian warfare. Scores of families lost their identity and ownership documents under the mounds of debris piled up in the rampant shelling.

Meanwhile, PLO's Department of Refugee Affairs announced the launch of the application processes in Lebanon and Gaza for displaced Palestinians in Lebanon and the Gaza Strip who wish to return to Syria.

In a Friday statement the department called on the Palestinian families who were deported from Syria-based refugee camps to Lebanon to sign up at the offices of popular committees in refugee camps in Lebanon pending coordination with the Palestine Embassy in Lebanon to work out their situation and make arrangements for their safe return to Syria.



Palestinians from Syria in the blockaded Gaza Strip are also entitled to benefit from the move. Concerned refugees should register their personal data and hand over identity documents to the office of the Refugee Affairs Department in Gaza as of Monday, July 23 until Thursday, July 26.

Registration mechanisms are expected to be set by the department to allow Palestinian refugees in Arab countries to return to Syria.

The move was adopted shortly after a PLO delegation popped in Damascus and received pledges from the concerned authorities to ease Palestinians' return to their refugee camps and reconstruct destroyed homes.

Massive destruction has been wrought by Syrian and Russian onslaughts on Palestinian refugee camps in Syria, leaving hundreds of Palestinian and Syrian families without roofs over their heads.

In the meantime, a woman and her three children sunk off the Turkish side of the Evros River, trying to reach Greece. The family's nationality has not yet been identified.

Turkish coast guards stumbled upon the dead bodies after they were swept away by water currents.





The family went missing after their boat capsized in the Evros River early Thursday.

Over recent years, Evros River served as a launch destination for thousands of illegal migrants wishing to disembark in Greece, fleeing Turkey and nearby conflict zones.