



HUMAN RIGHTS DEVELOPMENTS IN A WEEK

21 July - 27 July 2025



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LEBANON

Monday
21 July 2025

One citizen killed in Israeli airstrike on Al-Tairy

An Israeli drone targeted a motorcycle in the town of Al-Tairy, killing the driver on Monday, July 21.

Simultaneously, two Israeli vehicles infiltrated the outskirts of [Aitaroun](#) from the Israeli forces' newly established position in Jabal al-Bat and Jal al-Deir, according to the National News Agency.

Employee kills his colleague in Amchit; dies later after fight with the Army

An employee in a company in Amchit, Jbeil district, opened fire on his colleague and killed him on Monday, July 21.

The killer [died](#) by return fire from Lebanese army personnel, after he opened fire on the army while they raided his location.

Economic Service in the South issues a warning against butchers and restaurants

A butcher shop that was sealing unlabeled meat, and a restaurant that presented expired raw materials, received a citation by inspectors from the Economic Service in the South on Monday, July 21.

Wanted citizen opens fire on Lebanese Army raid

Statement issued by The Army Command - Directorate of Orientation on Monday, July 21:

Following a dispute that occurred on July 21, 2025, during which a citizen opened fire on another citizen, resulting in the latter's death, an army unit, supported by a patrol from the Intelligence Directorate, raided the location of the shooter in the Amsheet-Jbeil area.

During the raid, the wanted individual opened fire on army personnel, who responded to the source of the fire. Upon entering the scene, it was discovered that he had died.

Tuesday
22 July 2025

Israeli forces carry out bulldozing operations in Aitaroun

Three Israeli vehicles infiltrated the outskirts of the town of Aitaroun from their newly established position in Jabal al-Bat and conducted bulldozing operations on Tuesday, July 22.

Simultaneously, Israeli forces carried out an explosion on the outskirts of Aita al-Shaab and an airstrike attacked a car in Tebnin.

Illegal bulldozing by a beach club in Batroun

Activists and citizens documented bulldozing work carried out by the Butlers Beach Club on Batroun's beach on Tuesday, July 22. This action is not permitted by the Ministry of Public Works as it alters the nature of the land and prevents access to it.

Seven wounded in clashes in Wadi al-Jamous

Clashes over municipal elections broke out in Wadi al-Jamous, Akkar district, on Tuesday, July 22, and wounded seven by gunfire, some of which are in critical condition.

Wednesday
23 July 2025

Israeli forces advance towards Abbassieh and interrogate Lebanese citizens

Approximately 20 Israeli soldiers advanced at dawn from Abbasiyeh toward the Mari Plain and searched several inhabited and abandoned homes on Wednesday, July 23. During their search, soldiers interrogated Lebanese and Syrian people before leaving.

Lebanese Army dismantled an Israeli spy device and removed earth mounds

A Lebanese Army special unit dismantled an Israeli spy device "equipped with a camera" and "placed in a farm in Bastra, Hasbaya" on Wednesday, July 23.

Simultaneously, a Lebanese Army military force removed earthen barriers placed by Israeli forces in al al-Zaqqaq area in Aitaroun.

Thursday
24 July 2025

Two citizens killed in their house in Ghazir

A husband and wife were found murdered in their apartment in Maameltein, Ghazir on Thursday, July 24, after robbers broke into their house and ransacked its contents.

One killed in Israeli airstrike on Aita al-Shaab

An Israeli airstrike targeted a Pick-Up vehicle in the town of Aita al-Shaab, killing the driver on Thursday, July 24.

Simultaneously, Israeli forces penetrated border town Houla at dawn on Thursday, July 24, and conducted an explosion that destroyed a room used for livestock opposite the Abbad site.

Friday
25 July 2025

Tens of Israeli airstrikes and missiles in border villages

Various Israeli airstrikes targeted the area between Midoun and Al-Sarirah, the heights of Rayhan, Zarariyeh, and Ansar, and a belt of fire enveloped several villages in [Nabatieh](#) on Thursday, July 24.

Simultaneously, two Israeli missiles [targeted](#) a wooded area on the outskirts of Beit Leef, with half an hour between each missile to “prevent firefighting teams from controlling the fire”, according to the National News Agency.

Lebanese Army arrests citizens supporting ISIS

Statement issued by The Army Command - Directorate of Orientation on Thursday, July 24:

As part of its security monitoring and prosecution of terrorist organizations, the Intelligence Directorate carried out a series of security operations, resulting in the arrest of three citizens for forming a cell supporting the terrorist organization ISIS. Initial investigations revealed that the cell was planning to carry out security operations against the army under the direction of leaders in the organization outside the country. The arrest of the remaining members of the cell is underway.

The detainees have been investigated under the supervision of the competent judiciary.

One killed and another injured in airstrike on Barashit

One citizen was killed and another was [injured](#) in an Israeli raid on a Rapid vehicle on the outskirts of Barashit, Bint Jbeil on Friday, July 25. Al-Dhahirah Municipality member Bassam Sweid was also heavily [injured](#) after Israeli forces shot him.

Simultaneously, an Israeli drone dropped a [soundbomb](#) over the Al-Dabaka neighborhood in Mays al-Jabal and no injuries were reported.

Economic Service in the South closed contaminated water treatments in Saida

Two water treatment and bottling plants in Saida were [closed](#) by the Economic Department in the South on Friday, July 25, after test results proved that their water was contaminated with bacteria.

Civil Defense forces warns of multiple fires around Lebanon

Statement issued by The Media and Public Relations Department of the General Directorate of Civil Defense on Friday, July 25:

[...] In the town of Aita al-Fakhar, a large fire broke out in a rugged, wooded area. Civil Defense teams intervened with the support of Lebanese Army Air Force helicopters, which contributed significantly to containing and controlling the fire. In Akkar District, teams faced significant challenges in extinguishing two massive fires in the towns of Hasniyeh and Barqayel. A large-scale fire also broke out yesterday in the town of Kefraya, and a fire broke out this morning in the towns of Kfarqatra and Metla in the Chouf District.

The Directorate General of Civil Defense strongly warns against the danger of negligence in setting fires in nature and affirms that it will not hesitate, in coordination with the judiciary and security forces, to take strict legal action against anyone proven to be involved in setting fires intentionally or through negligence. It also reiterates its call on citizens to refrain from setting fires in nature, in order to preserve public safety and forest resources.

Three people killed in Israeli airstrike on Dbaal and Tweri

An Israeli raid with two missiles targeted a house and killed two people and injured others in the town of Dbaal, Tyre district on Saturday, July 26. Another person was killed in an Israeli airstrike on a car in [Tweri](#), Srifa road.

Simultaneously, the Lebanese Army [detected](#) the crash of an Israeli drone carrying a hand grenade in Mays al-Jabal and detonated it, while flash bombs were noticed in the airspace of [Naqoura](#).

Syrian woman rescued after being kidnapped

A Syrian woman and her 3-month-old daughter were [kidnapped](#) in Kfar Zabad town in the eastern mountain range on Saturday, July 26.

The woman was rescued after a force from the Bekaa Intelligence Directorate clashed with the kidnapper, while her daughter remains with the kidnapper that had not yet been arrested.

State Security seals two water treatment plants in Saida for violating requirements

Statement issued by the General Directorate of State Security – Media, Guidance, and Public Relations Department on Saturday, July 26:

As part of its ongoing efforts to protect public health, a patrol from the Southern Regional Directorate – Sidon Office, on July 25, 2025, sealed two water treatment and bottling plants in Sidon with red wax, with the assistance of representatives from the Consumer Protection Directorate.

Laboratory tests revealed that the water produced at the two plants was bacterially contaminated. Reports were filed against the violators, based on the instructions of the competent judiciary.

Israeli incendiary bombs dropped on Hamoul and Yater

Israeli incendiary bombs dropped by a drone on Hamoul, Tyre district, and Wadi Maryamin, [Yater](#), causing a fire in both locations on Sunday, July 27. As a result, cluster bombs exploded in Wadi Maryamin.

At dawn, an Israeli force crossed the borders and penetrated [Kfarkila](#), blowing up a neighborhood.

REPORTING A VIOLATION OF HUMAN RIGHTS TO CLDH

If you wish to report an incident that may potentially constitute a violation of human rights, kindly send an email to the following address: [**violations@cldh-lebanon.org**](mailto:violations@cldh-lebanon.org)

You can also report an incident anonymously through our [**website**](#).

When making a report, please ensure to include the following information:

- **WHERE:** City/village, governorate, additional details (e.g. what prison)
- **WHAT:** Nature of the violation
- **HOW:** A narrative description of what happened
- **WHEN:** Date of the episode (at least the year, if day and month are unknown)
- **TO WHOM:** Information regarding the victim (name, nationality, gender, date of birth, city of origin, phone number). Only share this information with the consent of the person.
- **WHO** is the person reporting (name, phone number) and how were they identified (e.g., victim him/herself, family member, eyewitness, journalist, humanitarian worker...)

The information referred will remain completely private. It will be fact-checked and registered into CLDH's internal system. No action will be undertaken without the explicit and written consent of the reporter.



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