





# Unclassified status of authorizations for entry of Palestinians into Israel, for their passage from Judea and Samaria into the Gaza Strip, and for their departure abroad

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# General

- A. Under the Order Concerning Closed Areas (West Bank Area) (Amendment) (No. 34), 1967, the area of Judea and Samaria is a closed military area and not to be entered or exited without a permit issued on behalf of the military commander.
- B. Entry of Gaza Strip residents into Israel is conditional on a permit from the Coordination and Liaison Administration (CLA) for Gaza, in accordance with qualification under the Entry to Israel order (Exemption of Gaza Strip residents) 5765-2005 as well as the prerogatives of the Area Commander under the Citizenship and Entry into Israel Law (Temporary Order) 5763-2003.
- C. The departure of an Israeli, including an Israeli resident and a foreign national granted a residency permit in Israel, requires a permit issued by the head of the Southern Command and Gaza CLA on the Israeli's behalf, as authorized by article 24 of the Disengagement Plan Implementation Law 5765-2005.
- D. In keeping with the authority assigned to COGAT offices, with the decisions at the political level, and with the security risks arising from actions by terror organizations that exploit the movements of people, there is no separating the implementation, shaping, and definition of policy regarding the movement of people between Israel, Judea and Samaria, and the Gaza Strip on the one hand from the changing political and security situation on the other hand. Accordingly, with respect to the movement of people, the authorized offices frequently review the criteria and revise them according to that situation.
- E. Besides needing to be covered by currently valid authorizations, requests for entry are also evaluated according to the necessary individual security checks that the security services and Israel Police need and according to the political, security, and strategic interests of the State of Israel with respect to the requests. The requests must pass administrative and procedural examinations as required by all the relevant administrative authorities. Also checked is the veracity of the support documents accompanying the request, as is the need for presenting further documents as support.
- F. It bears remembering that a Palestinian resident has no vested right of entry into Israel and an Israeli has no vested right to exit into the Gaza Strip.

- G. Lest any doubt remain, let us clarify that wherever the term "first-degree relative" appears in this document, or in any other documents issued or authorized by COGAT and touching on the movement of people between the State of Israel, the Gaza Strip, and the Judea and Samaria area, it refers exclusively to the mother, father, brothers, sisters, children, and spouse, unless explicitly stated otherwise with reference to a certain individual criterion in a current document. For the exit of Israelis into the Gaza Strip, note that with respect to attending a wedding, funeral, or other exceptional occasions, grandparents are considered first-degree relatives.
- H. Attached to this document, at the end, are "Tables of Permits" that apply to the Palestinian population of Judea, Samaria, and the Gaza Strip. The content of the tables is intended to supplement and complete, where necessary, the criteria listed in the body of the document. Each criterion, as it appears in the body of the document, should be read together with the corresponding line of the tables.

# 2. Purpose of the document

A. Defining the authorizations for entry of Palestinians into Israel, including entry for the purpose of travel between the Judea and Samaria area and the Gaza Strip and travel for the purpose of going abroad.

# **Section A**

# Status of authorizations for the Palestinian population in the Judea and Samaria area.

# 3. Health needs

Entry into Israel is granted on the basis of five primary purposes for the permit:

- A. <u>Medical needs:</u> Entry into Israel for patients with a variety of diseases, hospital appointments, and chronic conditions.
- B. <u>Accompanying a patient:</u> Entry into Israel in order to accompany a hospitalized family member, a patient in need of assistance, or chronic patients in Israel.
- C. <u>Visiting the sick:</u> Entry into Israel in order to visit an ailing Palestinian relative or ailing Israeli relative.
- D. <u>Physician:</u> Physicians employed at hospitals in Israel.
- E. <u>Senior medical staff:</u> Permits to drive in Israel, for senior medical staff (who are not physicians).

# 4. <u>Legal needs</u>

Entry into Israel is granted on the basis of 2 primary purposes for the permit:

A. <u>An attorney in Israel:</u> Work of a Palestinian attorney, in Israel, with Palestinian detainees, for the purpose (inter alia) of consultation and preparing for hearings.

# B. <u>Legal needs:</u>

- 1. Participation in court hearings (testifying or being present).
- 2. Medical examinations required for the purpose of legal proceedings, subject to the existence of either an order instructing that the examination be performed, or alternatively a physician's opinion that the examination is essential to the legal process.

## 5. Educational needs

Entry into Israel is granted on the basis of six primary purposes for the permit:

- A. <u>Singular needs of a school employee:</u> Teachers working in schools of East Jerusalem; other employees of schools in East Jerusalem.
- B. <u>Singular needs of schoolchildren:</u> Schoolchildren studying in East Jerusalem.

- C. <u>Academic studies:</u> Academic studies in Israel, provided that there is no practical alternative other than Israel. Preference is given to doctoral studies, to masters studies if slots remain, and to study programs that are special in their focus on cooperation, coexistence, and regional peace.
- D. <u>Singular needs medical convention:</u> Participation at a medical conference.
- E. <u>Supplementary medical training:</u> Entry for the purpose of supplementary medical training in Israel.
  - 1) **Permit for supplemental training in hi-tech:** Entry for supplemental training in hi-tech.
- 6. **Employment** (Licenses and permits given by head of the Employment Unit).
  - A. <u>Employment in Israel:</u> Entry of Palestinians for work in Israel is granted by issuance of a permit, through head of the Employment Unit for work-related entry into Israel, and it is subject to the criteria and procedures of the Israeli Employment Service, to the employer's possession of an employment permit, to a security evaluation, and to the other defined criteria.
  - B. <u>Seasonal agriculture:</u> COGAT is authorized to administer a quota of 10,500 permits for seasonal agriculture. The quotas may be changed in accordance with a request, including the rationale for the change, received from the Ministry of Agriculture and passed to the Civil Department. Each change requires separate approval from head of COGAT.
  - C. Employment in industrial zones and in Judean and Samarian settlements:

    Approved subject to the instructions of the Central Command and on authority of the Civil Administration (head of the Employment Unit): Within the Seam Zone

     from age 22 and up, with no quota. In the Judea and Samaria area but outside the Seam Zone from age 18 and up, with no quota and with no restriction regarding personal status.
  - D. <u>Laborers for the Hevra Kadisha (burial society):</u> Exit of Palestinian laborers from Judea and Samaria to work for the Hevra Kadisha in Israel. Entry into Israel is contingent on employment permits. Their entry is approved even during a time of closure (a population exempt from closure). Under authority of the Civil Administration Employment.

## 7. **Economy:**

A. **BMC:** Senior Palestinian businesspeople.

- B. <u>Assistant to BMC:</u> May be given, on the occasion of a BMC permit, to three of the BMC's assistants who will be representing the businessperson to Israeli companies.
- C. <u>Commerce:</u> Entry of Palestinian merchants into Israel.
- D. <u>Employee of international organization:</u> Entry into Israel of Palestinians employed by international organizations.
- E. <u>Church worker:</u> Those employed by churches in Israel.
- F. Religious worker: Religious workers (priests) in Jerusalem.
- G. <u>JDECO worker:</u> Employees of the Jerusalem District Electricity Company (JDECO), supplier of electricity to East Jerusalem.
- H. <u>Temple Mount employee of the Waqf:</u> Those who work for the Waqf on the Temple Mount. To the Israel Police on the Temple Mount, the Waqf passes employee lists which are then passed, after examination, to the Jerusalem Envelope DCL.
- I. <u>Singular needs Work-related meeting:</u> Entry of Palestinians for work-related meetings in Israel.
- J. <u>Singular needs Jobhunting</u> Entry of Palestinians into Israel to seek work.
- K. **Tour guide:** Guides for tours in Israel.
- L. <u>Tourism worker:</u> Those who work for the tourism sector in Israel.
- M. <u>Emergency medical team:</u> Applies to all the hospitals in East Jerusalem and to Red Crescent medical teams.
- N. <u>Installation procedure:</u> Those who work in the settlements and are required to leave Judea and Samaria with their employers in order to install the product at the customer's home.

## 8. Worship needs

Family visits in Israel will be permitted as part of the special civil measures taken during the Muslim holidays: Eid al-Adha (the Festival of the Sacrifice), Ramadan, and the Christian holidays. The measures are announced in special orders.

Entry of Palestinians into Israel for worship is granted on the basis of five purposes for the permit:

A. <u>Christian holiday:</u> Entry by Christian Palestinians into Israel on Christian holidays.

- B. <u>Worship on the Temple Mount, Fridays only</u> Entry of Palestinian worshippers onto the Temple Mount for prayers of Fridays only.
- C. <u>Family visit:</u> Visits to relatives in Israel.
- D. <u>Family visit for holiday</u>: Approved in the context of special civil measures for the holiday periods (as described above).
- E. <u>Family visit for Eid al-Adha:</u> Entry for a visit to relatives during holidays of the Muslim community.

## 9. **VIP**

Entry of senior figures into Israel is granted on the basis of 2 purposes for the permit:

## A. **VIP-1**:

- 1. Intended for holders of senior positions in the Palestinian Authority and for others close to the Chairman of the Palestinian Authority (as detailed in the procedure for obtaining VIP status).
- 2. Authorizes travel (including overnight lodging) between the Judea and Samaria area, the Gaza Strip, and Israel, or between Israel and abroad without a security check (other than at Ben Gurion Airport).
- 3. Only the Chairman and Prime Minister of the Palestinian Authority may ride across the Allenby Bridge.
- 4. First-degree relatives who are travelling with a figure of this status are to enjoy a similar status to that figure's for the purpose of the passage (VIP1 status).
- 5. Figures of this status are entitled to request (by prior coordination) to come to the Allenby Crossing with a vehicle and chauffeur, but the vehicle and chauffeur will not travel abroad.
- 6. Quota: 120.

# B. <u>VIP-2:</u>

- 1. Intended for those filling various senior positions in the Palestinian Authority (as detailed in the procedure for obtaining VIP status).
- 2. The holder of the documentation is entitled to a lighter examination while passing through security at the Allenby Bridge, including a luggage screener and magnetometer but no Millimeter Wave Scanner and/or Multi-Mode Threat Detector.
- 3. Authorized to pass through Israeli crossings at internal crossings (from Judea and Samaria into Israel).

- 4. Allows for travel from Judea, Samaria, and Gaza to Israel and back (24 hours a day).
- 5. Figures of this status are entitled to request (by prior coordination) to come to the Allenby Crossing in a bridge taxi (arriving in the taxi at the VIP room of the crossing, or meeting the taxi at the crossing into Judea and Samaria).
- 6. Quota: 240.

# C. VIP - 3:

- 1. Entry into Israel for senior office-holders of the Palestinian Authority, specifically deputy executive directors, mayors, commanders of security apparatuses, heads of Palestinian Coordination Offices, and other senior officials at the Area Commander's discretion.
- 2. Permit for a one-year term.
- 3. Entitlement to passage at Ben Gurion Airport (including first-degree relatives at the same time as the senior official).
- 4. Authority: The Civil Administration
- 5. Permits for first-degree relatives will be issued for a three-month term.
- 6. Quota: 360 (10% with vehicle permits).

#### D. Further instructions and points of emphasis:

- 1. Vehicular passage into Israel will be allowed only for holders of documentation, only with Israeli drivers, and subject to coordination with the crossing's authorities.
- 2. First-degree relatives of holders of VIP1 documentation are authorized to enter and exit under the no-checking protocol (during times of calm and in the absence of palpable suspicion) at the Allenby Bridge border crossing.
- 3. All senior figures will undergo a full check at Ben Gurion Airport.

## 10. Travel for various needs:

Entry of Palestinians into Israel is granted for various additional purposes on the basis of 17 purposes for the permit:

- A. <u>Family reunification:</u> Family reunification in Israel for Palestinians (as approved by the Ministry of Interior).
- B. <u>Singular touring needs:</u> Tours inside Israel for Palestinian groups.
- C. **Singular welfare needs:** To meet welfare-related needs inside Israel.
- D. <u>Singular wedding needs:</u> Participation at a wedding in Israel.

- E. <u>Singular funerary needs:</u> Participation at a funeral in Israel.
- F. <u>Singular needs of an embassy interview:</u> Entry of Palestinians into Israel for interviews at consulates/embassies.
- G. <u>Veterinarians:</u> Departure of certified veterinarians from Judea and Samaria into the Gaza Strip for the purpose of helping in specific instances, giving training, and giving professional support.
- H. <u>Journalists:</u> Departure of journalists and media personnel into Israel for meetings with the news agencies with which they work.
- I. <u>Travel abroad:</u> Departure of Palestinians for abroad through Ben Gurion Airport.
   (For those with <u>A/5</u> status in Israel, subject to identification of precluded from leaving for abroad).
- J. <u>Visiting a prisoner:</u> Entry of prisoners' families for visits at Israeli prisons, other than visits by families of Hamas prisoners from the Gaza Strip.
- K. <u>Temporary stays in Judea and Samaria</u> Renewable permits for presence in Judea and Samaria for 1,100 Palestinians employed by the Palestinian Authority who are registered at Gaza Strip addresses (having left the Gaza Strip in the wake of the June 2007 Hamas takeover) as well as Palestinian residents of the Gaza Strip who are covered by the non-deportation policy declared by the state in HCJ 4019/10 and Palestinians those entry was authorized under the step-by-step "Procedure for handling applications by Gaza Strip residents for settlement in the Judea and Samaria Area." Renewals are under authority of the Civil Administration. New permits are by COGAT authorization only.
- L. <u>Personal needs:</u> Authorization of entry in exceptional cases that do not meet other criteria and fall within unusual circumstances, by discretion regarding the individual case. Authorized under a quota.
- M. <u>Personal needs Public sector worker:</u> For people of the Palestinian Authority ministries, trade unions/federations, the municipal echelons in various areas, and the command echelon outside the Palestinian Coordination Offices and the security apparatuses.
- N. <u>Personal needs Financial sector worker:</u> For those representing parent corporations with a number of subsidiaries (such as Rawabi, PADICO, etc.) or other large companies.

- O. <u>Singular needs Lodging in Israel:</u> For liaison officers, security apparatuses commanders (with rank of Chief Superintendent or higher), and Palestinian employees of the Civil Administration.
- P. <u>Singular needs Israeli organizations:</u> For Israeli organizations recognized by the Ministry of Justice as nonprofit organizations. The permits will be for the purpose of touring and attending conferences in Israel.
- Q. <u>Singular needs Families of senior Palestinian businesspeople:</u> Only for first-degree relatives of those who hold BMC documentation.
- R. <u>Singular needs Families of VIPs:</u> Only for first-degree relatives of those who hold VIP documentation. In accordance with eligibility as detailed in the VIP procedure.
- S. <u>Aging Palestinians:</u> Authorization for entry of aging Palestinians (men over 55, women over 50) with no need for a printed permit.
- T. <u>The humanitarian arrangement in Jerusalem:</u> Residents of Judea and Samaria who live inside the municipal boundaries of Jerusalem and have been recognized by the Ministry of Interior as eligible for permits under the humanitarian arrangement that applies there.

# 11. Further instructions and points of emphasis

- A. Entry to Eilat: Entry to the city of Eilat and the Arava area may be authorized for the following people: professionals, to attend conferences being held in the city of Eilat and the Arava area; merchants, for business purposes; tourist agencies with a stake in the city; holders of BMC or VIP documentation; trainees at the Arava Institute; and exceptional humanitarian cases. Applications are subject to COGAT approval.
- B. Palestinians on their way abroad through the Allenby Bridge: Authorizations under the following general rules: For residents of Judea and Samaria, departure over the Allenby Bridge toward foreign destinations is approved and requires no prior coordination. Those precluded from leaving for abroad are subject to security approval on a case-by-case basis. Regarding residents of the Gaza Strip who are staying in Judea and Samaria:
  - 1. Those staying on the basis of a renewable permit are authorized to exit with no need for prior coordination.

2. Those staying in Judea and Samaria without a renewable permit require individual coordination with the Coordination and Liaison Administration (CLA) for Gaza, with evaluation as necessary and in keeping with purposes defined and approved according to the policy for Gaza Strip residents' travel. The request will be evaluated on its merits and the applicant will be informed of the decision.

# C. Requests for permits including lodging in Israel-

- 1) The request must include <u>certificates/documents</u> providing verification and support for the approval of a permit that includes lodging. If a request does not provide papers justifying lodging in Israel, <u>it will not be approved.</u>
- 2) Subject to security evaluation (if a security block has been entered).
- 3) Contingent on possession of a smart card.

# **Section B**

# Status of authorizations for the Palestinian population in the Gaza Strip

## 1. **General instructions**

- A. Requests for the entry of Gaza Strip residents into Israel are passed from the Palestinian Civil Committee which is responsible to the Palestinian Authority's Ministry of Civil Affairs in Ramallah to the Coordination and Liaison Administration (CLA) for Gaza. The Civil Committee is responsible for assembling, screening, and prioritizing the requests directed by Palestinians from the Gaza Strip to the Israeli offices, according to its own discretion. In exceptional cases, requests are accepted that come from sources within the international community or from recognized international organizations.
- B. All the forwarded requests shall receive assessment according to the State of Israel's political, security, and strategic considerations, including individualized security checks regarding the requester or the requester's family, the conformance of the request to the criteria set from time to time for entry of Gaza Strip residents into Israel, necessary administrative checks such as the veracity of the documents attached in support of the requests, the need for additional supporting documents, etc. These checks are an integral part of the assessment and approval process for every request.

## 2. Health needs

Entry into Israel is granted on the basis of 5 primary purposes for the permit:

- A. <u>Medical care:</u> Entry into Israel is approved, even if in order to continue into Judea and Samaria or abroad, for the purpose of receiving life-saving medical care or medical care that is crucial to the quality of life. All this is contingent on the unavailability of the requested treatment in the Gaza Strip.
  - 1. Entry is made possible in accordance with a request from the Palestinian health coordinator, who operates under the aegis of the Palestinian Civil Committee and is responsible for prioritizing the requests, classifying them by urgency, and passing them to the Gaza CLA,

- 2. It must be emphasized that payment for the medical care is passed from the Palestinian Authority directly to the hospitals in Israel. For that reason, the Palestinian Authority approval is required well in advance for the patient's entry into Israel.
- 3. Chronic patients (cancer/dialysis) currently receive permits that can serve as "punch cards' for one day at a time according to the frequency of their treatments (departure for treatment, and return on the same day).
- 4. In a case of complicated medical treatment (such as continuous chemotherapy requiring a recovery period), a permit will be approved on an individual basis, after the frequency of treatment is examined along with other factors, covering entry into the Judea and Samaria area or into Israel for a lengthy period (3–6 months), including lodging,
- B. <u>Accompanying parent:</u> A parent accompanying a patient who is under the age of 18 and is receiving medical care in Israel, in Judea and Samaria, or abroad. Entry may be approved as specified in the table, for up to one month as appropriate to the frequency of treatment. The permit must be valid, and the patient must have it at hand. If the accompanying parent is not in the patient's presence, the parent may present a valid certificate of hospitalization.
- C. Other accompanying person: Someone accompanying a patient who is receiving medical care in Israel, in Judea and Samaria, or abroad. Entry may be approved as specified in the table, for up to one month as appropriate to the frequency of treatment. The permit must be valid, and the patient must have it at hand. If the accompanying parent is not in the patient's presence, the parent may present a valid certificate of hospitalization. As a rule, each patient will have one accompanying person approved. Departure of a minor up to age 18 requires an accompanying person.
- D. <u>Supplementary medical training:</u> Entry of medical personnel coming to hospitals or medical centers in Israel or in the Judea and Samaria area for supplemental professional training in medicine and in specialties that can strengthen and improve the medical response provided to residents of the Gaza Strip, with an emphasis on specialties that do not exist in the Gaza Strip.

E. <u>Visiting the sick:</u> Entry of Gaza Strip residents into Israel (including transit into the Judea and Samaria area or abroad) for a visit to a first-degree relative who is under extended hospitalization — including a stay in a recuperation center or athome hospitalization that involves medical monitoring and attendance — or who is seriously ill and whose life is in danger. (In this context, the patient's age is also taken into consideration.)

# 3. Finance and employment

Entry into Israel is granted on the basis of 4 primary purposes for the permit:

- A. <u>Merchants:</u> Travel of Palestinian merchants into Israel, into Judea and Samaria, and abroad. The only requests for entry approved are from senior merchants whose entry stands to contribute to improving the Gaza Strip's economy
- B. <u>BMC</u>: Senior Palestinian businesspeople and merchants.
- C. <u>Person accompanying a BMC</u>: Entry of the spouse and children of a BMC to accompany the BMC at the crossing.
- D. <u>Exceptional permit for employment:</u> Generally, employment of Gaza Strip residents in Israel is not approved. Only an exceptional permit for employment is intended for employees of the Land Crossing Authority in the Ministry of Defense (LCA) whose work is vital to the operation of the land crossings between Israel and the Gaza Strip.

# 4. <u>Foreign nationals and international organizations:</u>

Travel by employees of international organizations is granted on the basis of 3 primary purposes for the permit

A. <u>Employees of international organizations:</u> Palestinians who are employed by international organizations recognized by the Ministry of Welfare, Ministry of Interior, or Foreign Ministry, or employed by diplomatic missions (embassies, consulates, and diplomatic missions to the Palestinian Authority) of countries that maintain diplomatic relations with Israel, and who appear in the list of employees provided by the organizations and missions to the DCL, are permitted to enter Israel but only for purposes of their organization's or mission's activity.

B. <u>Beneficiaries of international organizations:</u> Palestinians who are not employed steadily by an international organization that is recognized by the Ministry of Welfare, Ministry of Interior, or Foreign Ministry, but who are employed temporarily or are participating in projects or programs funded by the organization (such as "contract employees") are permitted to enter Israel but only for purposes of their organization's activity.

# C. <u>Further instructions</u> — <u>Exit of foreigners from Israel into the Gaza Strip through the Erez Crossing</u>:

In accordance with the provisions of the "Procedure for coordinating entry into the Gaza Strip by foreign nationals," and subject to the following categorization and instructions:

- 1. Exit of diplomats into the Gaza Strip:
  - A. Departure of diplomats who represent nations that maintain diplomatic relations with Israel, who are accredited to the State of Israel, and who hold official documentation issued on behalf of the Foreign Ministry.
  - B. Departure of official representatives of foreign nations that maintain diplomatic relations with the State of Israel, for official purposes on behalf of the nations that they represent, once an official request in their names has been received from their official diplomatic mission in Israel, and provided that the nature of their visit in the Gaza Strip (unlike, for example, a meeting with Hamas figures) does not conflict politically or diplomatically with the interests of the State of Israel.
- 2. <u>Departure of foreigners who are employees or representatives of recognized</u> international organizations:
  - A. Departure of foreigners who are employees of recognized international organizations: For foreigners who are employees of international organizations recognized by the State of Israel through the Ministry of Welfare, Ministry of Interior, or Foreign Ministry, who are foreign citizens, and in whose name an official request has been submitted by the international organization's Israeli headquarters, departure is under the authority of the Commander of the Coordination and Liaison Administration (CLA) for Gaza.

- i. Departure of foreigners who are representatives of recognized international organizations: Departure of foreigners who not are employees of recognized international organizations, but in whose name an official request has been submitted by the Israeli headquarters of an international organization recognized in Israel, and whose profession requires skills that are vital to the organization's operation (such as physicians, engineers, and special technicians).
- 3. Exit of foreign journalists into the Gaza Strip: Exit from Israel to the Gaza Strip, and return from there, are granted to those journalists with foreign (non-Israeli) passports only if they possess a certificate and an approval from the Government Press Office (GPO). Subject to individualized evaluation. Under the authority of COGAT.
- 4. <u>Departure for employees of Christian organizations:</u> Departure is permitted for employees of organizations recognized by the Religious Communities Department of the Ministry of Interior.

# 5. Travel for various needs:

Entry of Gaza Strip residents into Israel, Judea, and Samaria is granted for various additional needs on the basis of 13 purposes:

A. <u>Visiting a prisoner:</u> Entry of relatives of prisoners, other than Hamas prisoners who are Gaza Strip residents, in order to visit prisoners confined to Israeli prisons, in accordance with the rules and instructions set by the Prisons Authority with respect to visiting prisoners, including the factors of family relationship, quantity of visitors, and frequency of visits.

- B. <u>Legal needs:</u> Entry of Gaza Strip residents into Israel for the performance of activities necessary for Israeli court proceedings (for example, testimony at court, examination by a court-appointed medical expert, etc.). Requests will be approved only if they meet the provisions of the "Procedure for evaluating entry requests from Palestinian residents of Gaza for the purpose of legal proceedings in Israel," including the consideration that preventing the resident's entry could be destructive to the legal process or could be seriously harmful to the resident; the existence of exceptional humanitarian considerations having to do with the process and its results; and the absence of any particular block on security or criminal grounds.
- C. <u>Family reunification:</u> If Palestinian residents of the Gaza Strip are in the process of "family reunification" in Israel, they may enter Israel and renew their residency, subject to security evaluation on an individual basis from time to time and in keeping with the criteria set by the Ministry of Interior.
- D. Entry into Israel of minors one of whose parents holds an Israeli ID card will be made possible in the following cases and will be limited in time, without consecutive permits:
  - 1. In cases when the Palestinian parent is significantly handicapped in functioning (a serious illness, etc.).
  - 2. In exceptional humanitarian cases when entry into Israel is required under the existing criteria (medical treatment, wedding, funeral, visiting a patient).
  - 3. When a family reunification process requires reporting to the appropriate Population Authority.
- E. <u>Interview at an embassy:</u> Entry of Gaza Strip residents into Israel for an interview at a consulate/embassy, provided that no such interview is available in the Gaza Strip. Gaza Strip residents will be allowed to travel to the American consulate in Jerusalem on dates coordinated in advance with the American consulate.
- F. <u>Journalists:</u> Departure of journalists and media personnel into Israel for meetings with the news agencies with which they work.
- G. <u>Departure abroad:</u> Gaza Strip residents may enter through the Allenby Crossing in order to depart abroad for the following purposes:

- 4. <u>Medical treatment:</u> Medical care that is life-saving or is crucial to the quality of life. In addition, departure will be made possible for the sake of exceptional treatments, at the discretion of the DCL and depending on the treatments' availability in the Gaza Strip.
- 5. <u>Conference</u>: A unique conference in the sphere of medicine, agriculture, energy, water, waste, hi-tech, or finance, for the sake of advancing projects.
- 6. <u>Study:</u> Departure of students for academic study abroad (all degrees) and for certificate studies (practical engineers and technicians).
- 7. Holders of scholarships: Gaza Strip residents with scholarships recognized by a state that maintains diplomatic relations with the State of Israel, or by an international organization recognized by the State of Israel (the Welfare Ministry, Ministry of Interior, or Foreign Ministry), may enter in order to depart by way of Israel, Judea and Samaria, and the Allenby Crossing into Jordan for academic studies abroad. Their departure with spouses and children, but with no others, may be granted upon request. The above is contingent on receiving word directly from the country where the scholarship student is intended to study, or by way of a recognized international organization, and contingent on accompaniment on behalf of the diplomatic mission or international organization.
- 8. Long-term stays abroad: As a rule, any Gaza Strip resident's request to enter Israel and the Judea and Samaria area in order to depart abroad for any of various personal reasons, with a written commitment not to return through Israel and the Judea and Samaria area into the Gaza Strip during at least the next half year, will be granted, subject to individualized security evaluation and to signing a statement of commitment not to return to the Gaza Strip through Israel and the Judea and Samaria area during at least the next half year.
- 9. <u>Supplemental training:</u> For teachers and academics (lecturers).
- 10. Request from a foreign consulate/embassy in Israel: If an official request is received from a foreign consulate and/or embassy in Israel, it must be presented in an official letter on their behalf that includes a photo of a valid passport and the rest of the details required as above. Travel through Israel / the Judea and Samaria area, until the departure abroad, must be with an escort from the appropriate consulate.

- 11.Departure abroad by Palestinian residents shall be through the Allenby Crossing, solely in escorted groups (shuttles). Exceptions are by approval of the COGAT Operations Department. As a rule, Palestinians are not granted departure through Ben Gurion Airport, with the exception of BMC permit holders and extremely exceptional unique humanitarian cases (monthly quota of 20). Following an approved departure through Ben Gurion Airport, the same resident may also return through Ben Gurion Airport.
- H. <u>Attending a funeral or wedding:</u> Entry of Gaza trip residents into Israel (even in transit to the Judea and Samaria area or abroad) in order to attend a wedding or funeral of a first-degree relative. Entry of accompanying children: The minor children (up to 15 years old) of a Gaza Strip resident who has been granted entry into Israel in order to visit a seriously ailing first-degree relative (clause 2.a.5 above), to attend a funeral or wedding (clause 4.a.1), or for some other humanitarian need, at the discretion of the authorized offices.
- I. <u>Prayer on the Temple Mount:</u> Entry of Gaza Strip residents for prayer each Friday on the Temple Mount. Under a quota, restricted by age, and organized exceptionally on the basis of buses rented by the Palestinian Authority, with a representative of the Palestinian Authority as escort. <u>Entry for this purpose is halted until further notice.</u>

# J. <u>Touring:</u>

- 1. Entry of Palestinian pupils residing in the Gaza Strip (up to 15 years old) for tours in Israel or the Judea and Samaria area on weekdays, including teachers as escorts, with one teacher per 15 pupils.
- 2. An organized tour for children who are ailing or have special needs Entry of children who are ailing and who have special needs, for organized tours of a unique and humanitarian nature in Israel or in the Judea and Samaria area. Entry of children with special needs requires the sponsorship of an Israeli NGO.
- K. <u>Personal needs:</u> Authorization of entry in exceptional cases that do not meet other criteria and fall within unusual circumstances, by discretion regarding the individual case. Authorized under a quota.

L. <u>Attending a conference:</u> Entry of Palestinian professionals in the spheres of agriculture, medicine, water, waste, energy, hi-tech, and finance, to attend conferences held in those spheres in the Judea and Samaria area and in Israel. In addition, entry of Gaza Strip residents for conferences and special events of the Palestinian Authority in Judea and Samaria, subject to receipt of a detailed request from Palestinian Authority representatives.

## M. Work-related meetings:

- 1. Entry into Israel or the Judea and Samaria area for senior figures in the area of energy, water, communications, waste, health, or environmental quality, for the purpose of advancing projects in those fields and for work-related meetings at companies and at government offices.
- 2. In addition, entry into Israel or the Judea and Samaria area for senior figures in the economic sector who are not merchants, or in the areas of banking, tourism, insurance, communications, and hi-tech, for the purpose of work-related meetings in those fields.
- 3. Senior Fatah figures, for meetings in Ramallah.
- 4. Employees of the Palestinian Authority, for meetings at the Palestinian Authority offices in Ramallah.
- 5. Entry of sportspeople: All Gaza Strip residents who are members of the national and local sports teams may enter Israel in transit to the Judea and Samaria area or abroad for official activities of the teams. In addition, such entry is permitted for members of the Palestinian Olympic Committee and Palestinian Football Association. Under the authority of COGAT. Requires approval from the head of the Operations Department and coordination with COGAT.
- 6. Entry for conferences and events of the Palestinian Authority: From time to time, contingent on receipt of a detailed request from Palestinian Authority representatives in the Judea and Samaria area, residents of the Gaza Strip may enter the Judea and Samaria area in order to attend conferences or special events sponsored by the Palestinian Authority. Under the authority of COGAT. Requires approval from the head of the Operations Department and coordination with COGAT.

## 6. Senior Palestinian figures

- A. Holders of VIP1 and VIP2 documents, senior Palestinian figures who fill key positions in the Palestinian Authority and appear in lists provided by the Palestinian Authority's Ministry of Civil Affairs, subject to approval from COGAT.
- B. For the new ministers who are Gaza Strip residents, requests to approve travel into the Judea and Samaria area / abroad will be handled by the Operations Branch of COGAT.
- C. For Gaza Strip residents who are members of Fatah or are members (regardless of organizational affiliation) of the Palestinian Legislative Council, requests for entry into Israel and into the Judea and Samaria area will be handled by the Operations Branch of COGAT.
- D. For members of the Electoral Commission from the Gaza Strip and the Judea and Samaria area, travel requests will be handled by the Operations Branch of COGAT.

# 7. Exit of Israelis into the Gaza Strip:

- A. Under authority of the head of the Southern Command, and the Coordination and Liaison Administration (CLA) for Gaza on that officer's behalf, subject to approval by the appropriate offices at the Ministry of Interior and to the necessary security checks.
- B. Currently, in order to temporarily reduce the entry of Israelis into the Gaza Strip in accordance with a directive from the head of the Southern Command, exit of Israelis will not be approved except in humanitarian cases that have been examined in detail and in exceptional, unique, and urgent circumstances only.
- C. Accordingly, the criteria for the exit of Israelis into the Gaza Strip are listed here:

## 1. <u>Departure in a case of exceptional humanitarian need:</u>

- A. Exit of Israelis into the Gaza Strip in order to visit a first-degree relative / grandparent with a serious illness that endangers life or requires lengthy hospitalization.
- B. Exit of Israelis into the Gaza Strip in order to attend a funeral or wedding of first-degree relative, including grandparents.
- C. Exit of accompanying children: Israelis permitted to exit into the Gaza Strip according to the above criteria may be accompanied by their children who are up to 16 years old and no older.

- 2. <u>"Separated families"</u>: Departure of Israelis whose spouses reside in the Gaza Strip ("separated families") for the purpose of union with their spouses and together with their Israeli children up to age 18. If an Israeli parent is unable to exit to the Gaza Strip (but only in cases of serious illness that prevent travel, of death, or of divorce), that parent's children will be allowed to exit into the Gaza Strip for a visit to the Gazan parent.
  - A. Children up to 16 years old may be accompanied by one first-degree or second-degree relative (an elder brother up to 18 years old, a grandparent, or in exceptional cases an Israeli uncle or aunt).
  - B. The approval will be given only to the Israeli relatives (parents/children).
  - C. Departure of children (up to age 18) will be preceded by the Israeli guardian's signature on a declaration waiving personal and security responsibility before the departure into the Gaza Strip.
  - D. Without being accompanied by a parent, children may depart for a period of no more than one week.
- 3. <u>Israelis who reside in East Jerusalem and are employed by international organizations:</u> Departure, from East Jerusalem to the Gaza Strip, of Israelis employed by international organizations that are recognized by the Israeli Ministry of Welfare, Ministry of Interior, or Foreign Ministry, or of employees of diplomatic missions of states that maintain diplomatic relations with the State of Israel, whose expertise or specialty is vital to the functioning of the organization or diplomatic mission in the Gaza Strip.
- 4. <u>Businesspeople and others, but only residents of East Jerusalem:</u> Those aiming to improve and advance the Gaza Strip's economy and humanitarian infrastructure. A quota limits this category to 150 East Jerusalemites at any given time, subject to criteria as stipulated in the procedure.

5. Departure of up to 500 Arab Israeli merchants aiming to improve and advance the Gaza Strip's economy, in accordance with the criteria: Approval for the exit of Israelis into the Gaza Strip depends not only on the above criteria but also on the results of all the necessary security checks, on the changing political/security situation and its possible implications at the Erez Crossing, and on the anticipated risks connected with the travel of Israelis into the Gaza Strip. In addition, permission to exit into the Gaza Strip is conditioned on fulfillment of all the requirements and conditions defined by all the public authorities operating at the Erez Crossing, in accordance with the jurisdiction and rules of each.

# **Section C**

# Status of authorizations for entry of Palestinians into Israel for transit between the Judea and Samaria area and the Gaza Strip

- 1. <u>Judea and Samaria area residents may depart in only the following exceptional cases:</u>
  - A. Entry of Judea and Samaria area residents into the Gaza Strip is approved under the most limited scope, with the emphasis on humanitarian cases only, subject to a request on behalf of the the Palestinian Authority's coordination and liaison offices, the recommendation of the legal advisor for Judea and Samaria as necessary, a security evaluation, and the stand taken by the Gaza CLA. COGAT has authority over exceptions.
  - B. As a rule, the requests evaluated will have been submitted for the following purposes:
    - 1. **Departure in order to visit a seriously ailing relative** Departure of Judea and Samaria area residents into the Gaza Strip to visit a first-degree relative who has a serious illness that is life-threatening or requires lengthy hospitalization.
    - 2. **Departure in order to attend a funeral or wedding:** Departure of Judea and Samaria area residents into the Gaza Strip to attend the wedding or funeral of a first-degree relative.
    - 3. **Departure in order to take up residence in the Gaza Strip** and to transfer the resident's center of living to the Gaza Strip. In accordance with the provisions of the "Procedure for settlement in the Gaza Strip by Judea and Samaria area residents."
    - 4. Entry from Judea and Samaria into Israel of Palestinians whose registered residence is in the Gaza Strip, in order to return to the Gaza Strip: Under the authority of the following DCLs: Jericho, Jerusalem Envelope, Hebron (Representative Office in Tarqumiya), and of the liaison office at the Allenby Bridge with respect to the issuance of return permits into the Gaza Strip for Gaza Strip residents who have been staying in the Judea and Samaria area for up to a year since the day of their departure from the Gaza Strip. The granting of a permit is subject to the hours of operation at the crossings. Regarding Gaza Strip residents who have been staying for more than a year in the Judea and Samaria area, the above DCLs should request approval from the Gaza CLA..

- 5. **Departure of senior Palestinian officials into the Gaza Strip:** Departure of Palestinians who fill key positions in the Palestinian Authority and who appear in the list provided by the PA Chairman's office to COGAT.
- 6. Departure of Palestinian employees of international organizations who reside in Judea and Samaria into the Gaza Strip: Departure into the Gaza Strip of Palestinian residents of Judea and Samaria who work for international organizations recognized by the State of Israel (by the Welfare Ministry, Foreign Ministry, or Ministry of Interior) or employees of the diplomatic missions of countries that maintain diplomatic relations with the State of Israel, whose expertise or specialty is vital to the operations of the organization or mission in the Gaza Strip A long-term stay in the Gaza Strip (more than a week) requires receipt of approval from the Operations Department Head and coordination with COGAT.

# 2. Entry of Gaza Strip residents into the Judea and Samaria area

- A. **For medical treatment** that is life-saving or is crucial to the quality of life. As detailed in Section B (Clause 2.a.1) of this document. Under the authority of the Commander of the Coordination and Liaison Administration (CLA) for Gaza.
- B. Visiting a first-degree relative who is seriously ailing, as detailed in Section B (Clause 2.a.3) of this document. Under the authority of the Commander of the Coordination and Liaison Administration (CLA) for Gaza.
- C. Attending the funeral or wedding of a first-degree relative, as detailed in Section B (Clause 4.a.1) of this document. Under the authority of the Commander of the Coordination and Liaison Administration (CLA) for Gaza.
- D. Departure of Gaza Strip residents to Jordan across the Allenby Bridge approved in exceptional humanitarian cases, according to criteria of the travel policy and subject to security evaluation after coordination between the Gaza CLA and the Civil Administration in Judea and Samaria / Allenby Bridge liaison office.
- E. Gaza Strip residents who have lived for more than a year in the Judea and Samaria area, and/or hold a renewable permit for residency, shall be approved by the Civil Administration for departure from the area into Jordan across the Allenby Bridge, subject to the directives from the security evaluation.

- F. **Sportspeople** As detailed in Section B (Clause 4.b) of this document. Under the authority of COGAT. Requires approval from the head of the Operations Department and coordination with COGAT.
- G. Entry for conferences and events of the Palestinian Authority As detailed in Section B (Clause 4.c) of this document. Under the authority of COGAT. Requires approval from the head of the Operations Department and coordination with COGAT.
- H. Entry from the Gaza Strip into the Judea and Samaria area for Palestinian employees of recognized international organizations As detailed in Section B (Clause 6.a.1) of this document.
- I. Entry into Israel from the Gaza Strip, by Palestinians with a registered address in the Judea and Samaria area, for the purpose of returning to the Judea and Samaria area— At a place where their transit to the Gaza Strip is carried out at the discretion of the State of Israel and in coordination with it, if no restriction applies to their return through Israel to the area.
- J. Entry of Gaza Strip residents for conferences/training in Judea, Samaria, and Israel in connection with rehabilitation of the Gaza Strip—Gaza Strip residents may enter in order to attend professional conferences/training in Judea, Samaria, and Israel on behalf of the Palestinian Authority for the sake of the Gaza Strip's rehabilitation (in the fields of infrastructure and economics). Subject to security evaluation and presentation of a request from the Palestinian Authority.
- K. Arrival to the Gaza Strip Rehabilitation: Officials in roles connected with the rehabilitation of the Gaza Strip (only officials of the Palestinian Authority and other figures directly connected with the rehabilitation work being carried out in coordination with the State of Israel) may pass from Judea and Samaria to the Gaza Strip and vice versa. This criterion does not include transit for merchants. Permission for these officials to pass from Judea and Samaria to the Gaza Strip is under the authority of the Civil Administration in coordination with the Gaza CLA. Permits will be issued to those officials with the Gaza Strip as destination and "Arrival to the Gaza Strip Rehabilitation" as purpose.

- L. In addition, Israeli Arabs may enter the Gaza Strip for the purpose of its rehabilitation. This applies to the economic sector merchants, including Arabs of East Jerusalem. Quota Up to 500 merchants at any given time. Term of the permit Up to one month. Subject to evaluation.
- M. The Gaza CLA has authority to authorize entry into Judea and Samaria of Palestinian Authority officials, including only those filling professional positions in services such as the water authority and electricity authority who are directly connected with the rehabilitation of the Gaza Strip.

# 3. <u>Directives applying to transit both from the Judea and Samaria area to the Gaza Strip and vice versa:</u>

- A. Residents requesting to return to their place of residence shall be handled according to place of residence and not according to their location at the time of the request.
- B. A resident who has executed a change of address / A resident who has been in the other area for more than a year shall be handled by the area where the resident is located at the time of the request and not according to the place of residence (primarily because of security evaluation considerations).
- C. Entry of accompanying children: Minor children (up to age 16) may cross together with a parent residing in the Gaza Strip who has been approved for entry into Judea and Samaria or a parent residing in Judea and Samaria area who has been approved for exit into the Gaza Strip via Israel when the purpose is to visit a first-degree family member who is seriously ailing or to attend the wedding or funeral of a first-degree relative, at the discretion of the DCL. ("First-degree relative" = Parent/sibling/child of the visited resident, as well as grandparent of the visited resident).

# <u>Table of permits — Judea and Samaria</u>

# **Health needs**

Ser. no.	Purpose	Applicability	Quota	Term of permit	Age restri ction		Authority	Remarks
1.	Medical needs	<ol> <li>Patients called to Israel for medical treatment.</li> <li>Cancer and dialysis patients, according to lists from head of the Health Unit.</li> <li>Appointments at the hospitals in Israel, according to spotchecking at the hospital.</li> <li>Chronic patients.</li> </ol>	None.	As required, 24 hours a day.	None	<ol> <li>2.</li> <li>3.</li> </ol>	Items 1+2+4 of "Applicability" under authority of the DCLs. Item 3 - Permits Center. Permission for a permit including lodging in Israel — Under authority of the head of the DCL or head of Documentation and Registration Section.	<ol> <li>Attachment of up-to-date support documents.</li> <li>Not conditioned on smart card.</li> <li>Security evaluation if and as necessary.</li> </ol>
2.	Accomp animent of a patient	<ol> <li>Accompanying a hospitalized relative.</li> <li>Chronic patients.</li> </ol>	None.	As required, 24 hours a day.	None	1. 2. 3.	DCLs. Permits Center. Permission for a permit including lodging in Israel — Under authority of the head of the DCL.	<ol> <li>Preference to first-degree relatives.</li> <li>Attachment of support documents.</li> <li>Not conditioned on smart card.</li> <li>Security evaluation if and as necessary.</li> </ol>

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Ser. no.	Purpose	Applicability	Quota	Term of permit	Age restri ction		Authority	Remarks
3.	Visiting the sick	<ol> <li>Visiting an ailing Palestinian/Israeli relative.</li> <li>Visiting the sick in Gaza — First degree relative only, and when life is in danger (see Section C), subject to the ruling of the head of the Health Unit.</li> </ol>	None.	Up to five days, between 5:00 a.m. and midnight.	None	1. 2. 3.	Authority of the DCLs.  Up to three days, under authority of a shift supervisor.  Permission for a permit including lodging in Israel — Under authority of the head of the DCL.	<ol> <li>Examination of a valid permit for a relative / document of an Israeli staying at the hospital.</li> <li>Conditioned on smart card.</li> <li>Security evaluation if and as necessary.</li> </ol>
4.	Physicia n	<ol> <li>A physician employed at a hospital in Israel.</li> <li>For physicians who are employed in Israel and, for any of the following reasons, do not receive an employment permit:         <ol> <li>Because of a security block.</li> <li>Physicians holding a Family Reunification permit in Israel.</li> </ol> </li> <li>Interns at hospitals in Israel.</li> </ol>	None.	180 days.	None	1.	Authority of the Permits Center — Judea and Samaria.	<ol> <li>Subject to authorization from the Ministry of Health for employment in Israel in coordination with the head of the Health Unit.</li> <li>Subject to security evaluation if necessary.</li> <li>Requires smart card</li> </ol>

Ser.	Purpose	Applicability	Quota	Term of permit	Age restri ction	Authority	Remarks
5.	Senior medical staff	Permit for senior medical staff (non-physicians) to drive in Israel.	50	Up to 180 days. N/A Israel other than Eilat.		Authority — head of the Civil Administration.	<ol> <li>Requires smart card.</li> <li>Requires valid transportation data.</li> </ol>

# Legal needs

Ser. no.	Purpose	Applicability	Quota	Term of permit	Age restri ction	Authority	Remarks
6.	Legal needs	<ol> <li>Appearance in court.</li> <li>Medical examination for legal purposes.</li> </ol>	None.	One-day permit in accordance with the requested hours.	None	<ol> <li>DCLs.</li> <li>Authorization of a permit for lodging in Israel is under authority of the head of the Civil Administration.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Attachment of support documents.</li> <li>Not conditioned on smart card.</li> <li>Security evaluation if and as necessary.</li> <li>In the administrative examination for this purpose, blockage by the Operations Branch is not a disqualification.</li> </ol>
7.	Attorney in Israel	1. Work by Palestinian attorneys with Palestinian detainees in Israel, in order (among other purposes) to confer and prepare for hearings.	None.	Up to 3 months, between 5:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.	None	<ol> <li>Permits Center.</li> <li>Authorization of a permit for lodging in Israel is under authority of the head of the Civil Administration.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Valid law license.</li> <li>Power of attorney from a resident under arrest in Israel.</li> <li>Notification regarding presence of the arrestee at a specific facility</li> <li>Ruling of the legal advisor</li> </ol>

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			5.	Conditioned on smart card.
			6.	Security evaluation if and as
				necessary.

# **Educational needs**

Ser no.	Purpose	Applicability	Quota	Term of permit	Age restri ction	Authority	Remarks
8.	Employees of schools in East Jerusalem.	<ol> <li>Teachers         employed at         schools in East         Jerusalem.</li> <li>Employees of         schools in East         Jerusalem.</li> </ol>	Teachers (Muslim) — 400. Teachers, Christian — 150. Employees — No quota.	During the academic year, between 5:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.	None	<ol> <li>Jerusalem Envelope DCL.</li> <li>Authorization of a permit for lodging in Israel is under authority of the head of the Civil Administration.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Conditional on a request from an educational institution, assessment of that institution's political affiliation, and presentation of suitable evidence.</li> <li>Contingent on possession of a smart card. Security evaluation if and as necessary.</li> </ol>
9.	Singular needs — Schoolchild ren	Intended for pupils studying in East Jerusalem.	None.	During the academic year, between 5:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.	None	<ol> <li>Jerusalem Envelope DCL.</li> <li>Authorization of a permit for lodging in Israel is under authority of the head of the Civil Administration.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Conditional on a request from an educational institution, assessment of that institution's political affiliation, and presentation of suitable evidence.</li> <li>Contingent on possession of a smart card.</li> <li>Security evaluation if and as necessary.</li> </ol>
10.	Academic studies	Academic studies in Israel.	50	Up to half a year, between 5:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.	None	<ol> <li>Operations Branch of COGAT.</li> <li>Authorization of a permit for lodging in</li> </ol>	Master's studies and doctoral studies     Documents from the academic institution /     offices involved in granting the scholarship

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							Israel is under authority of COGAT.	<ol> <li>Contingent on possession of a smart card.</li> <li>Security evaluation if and as necessary.</li> </ol>
11.	Singular needs — Medical convention	Attendance at a medical convention.	None.	Hours as required. Up to 3 months.	None		Permits Center.  Authorization of a permit for lodging in Israel is under authority of the head of the Civil Administration.	<ol> <li>Presentation of official documents attesting to the invitation for supplementary training, the nature of the training, and the dates.</li> <li>Opinion of the head of the Health Unit.</li> <li>Contingent on possession of a smart card for a permit of more than one day.</li> <li>Security evaluation if and as necessary.</li> </ol>
12.	Supplemen tary medical training	Entry into Israel for supplementary medical training.	None.	As necessary.	None	1.	Permits Center.  Authorization of a permit for lodging in Israel is under authority of the head of the Civil Administration.	<ol> <li>Contingent on presentation of documents and on the ruling of the head of the Health Unit.</li> <li>Contingent on possession of a smart card for a permit of more than one day.</li> <li>Subject to security evaluation.</li> </ol>
13.	Supplemen tary profession al training — Hi-tech	Permit for supplemental training in hi-tech	1000	For a half-year period May be for 7 days a week, from 00:00-00:00	22	1.	Permits Center.  Authorization of a permit that includes lodging is under authority of the Area Commander.	<ol> <li>Requests are submitted to the DCL through the hi-tech company or the Palestinian Coordination Office, or alternatively through the hi-tech company to the Economic Branch.</li> <li>A request form, a copy of the ID card, and a document signed by the manager of the Palestinian hi-tech company must be</li> </ol>

				submitted.
			3.	It is not necessary to submit a request from an Israeli hi-tech company.
			4.	Contingent on possession of a smart card.
			5.	Contingent only on the removal of a security block (not approved for individuals blocked for security reasons).
			6.	Exceptions under the authority of COGAT.

### **Employment**

Type of quota	Sector	Quota for sector	Sub-sector	Quota for sub- sector	Criterion	Quota for criterion	Effective term of the quota
	Construction	26,000	_	_	Age 22, married.	26,000	
	Home construction	39,300	_	_	Age 22, married.	39,100	Standing quota
Standing	Industry and services	5,050	_	_	Age 22, married.	5,050	
	Agriculture	6,650	_	_	Age 22, married.	6,650	
	Health, in Israel	270	_	_	Ages 21 and up	270	
	Arrangement of previous allotments	1,700	_	_	Age 22, married.	400	
	Healthcare institutions	1,000	_	_	Ages 21 and up	1,000	
	Hotel industry	1,000	_	_	Age 22,	1,000	

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					married.		
	Restaurant industry	1,500	_	_	Age 22, married.	1,500	
Standing, in special areas	Health in East Jerusalem (for physicians at hospitals in East Jerusalem)	2,680	_	_	Ages 21 and up	2,680	
	Hotel industry in East Jerusalem	300	_	_	Ages 25 and up / 22 if married	300	
	Atarot Industrial Zone	2,800	_	-	Age 22, married.	2,800	
Seasonal	Seasonal agriculture	9,250	Orchards	3,750	Age 22, married.	3,750	All year
			Seasonal fruits and vegetables	2,000	Age 22, married.	2,000	Crop-dependent
			Almond harvest	2,000	Age 22, married.	2,000	
			Citrus harvest	2,500	Age 22, married.	3,000	1 Oct 2018 – 31 May 2019

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## Economic needs (merchants, guides, BMC, employees, etc.)

Ser.	Purpose	Applicability	Quota	Term of permit	Age restriction	Authority	Remarks
14.	ВМС	Intended for senior Palestinian businesspeople.	3,300	For one year, all day.	None.	<ol> <li>Permits Center.</li> <li>Authorization of a permit for lodging in Israel is under authority of the head of the Civil Administration.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Contingent on possession of a smart card.</li> <li>Subject to security evaluation (valid for Ben Gurion Airport as well).</li> </ol>
15.	Assistant to BMC	Given, in conjunction with a BMC permit, for 3 senior assistants of the BMC who serve as his/her representatives to Israeli companies.	3 per BMC. (total 9,000) Possible on a special tab in the Even system.	Three months. 5:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.	22	<ol> <li>DCLs.</li> <li>Exceptions under the authority of the head of the Civil Administration's Operations Branch.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Conditional on returning the smart card.</li> <li>Individuals blocked for security reasons will not be approved.</li> <li>Subject to a valid BMC permit. Up to 3 permits per BMC.</li> </ol>
16.	Commerce	Intended for Palestinian merchants, into Israel.	25,000	For half a year, between 7:00 a.m. and midnight.	Age 25, married, with children.	<ul> <li>DCLs:         <ul> <li>Ages 25–35, married, with children, under authority of the Deputy Civilian Coordination Officer.</li> <li>Ages 25–35, married, without children, under</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Contingent on possession of a smart card.</li> <li>Contingent only on the removal of a security block (not approved for individuals blocked for security</li> </ol>

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						authority of the Civilian Coordination Officer.  • Age over 35, married, under authority of the Deputy Civilian Coordination Officer / Civilian Coordination Officer.  2. Under age 25 — the Permits Center.  3. 50 exceptional permits with authorization from the head of the Civil Administration's Operations Branch.  4. Permission for a permit including lodging in Israel — Under authority of the head of the DCL.
17.	Employee of an int'l organizatio n	Intended for a Palestinian employee of an international organization.	Ages 22– 25: 200. Over 25: 2,000. 2,200 total.	For half a year, between 5:00 a.m. and midnight	Ages 22 and up	<ol> <li>Permits Center: Commander of the Permits Center — Over age 22 Deputy commander of the Permits Center — Over age 25</li> <li>Authorization of a permit for lodging in Israel or for exceptional hours is under authority of the Area Commander.</li> <li>Contingent on possession of a smart card.</li> <li>Subject to a request from the embassy.</li> </ol>

18.	Church employee	Palestinians, for work at churches in Israel.	1,200	For half a year, between 5:00 a.m. and 10:00 p.m.	Ages 25 and up.	2.	DCLs:  Exceptions to the hours and to the overall term are under authority of the Civilian Coordination Officer.  Authorization of a permit for lodging in Israel is under authority of the head of the Civil Administration.	3.	is by approval of the Civilian Coordination Officer. Contingent on possession of a smart card.
19.	Religious worker	Religious workers (priests).	100	For half a year, between 5:00 a.m. and 10:00 p.m.	Ages 25 and up.	1. 2.	DCLs.  Authorization of a permit for lodging in Israel is under authority of the head of the Civil Administration.	3.	Exception, term of a one-year permit, is by approval of the Civilian Coordination Officer.  Contingent on possession of a smart card.  Subject to security evaluation.  In accordance with the procedure for Christians.
20.	Employee of the Jerusalem District Electricity Company (JDECO)	Entry for employees of the Jerusalem District Electricity Company (JDECO).	100	Between midnight and 5:00 a.m.	None.	1.	Permits Center.  Authorization of a permit including lodging in Israel, and the span of hours, are under authority of the head of the Civil Administration.	<ol> <li>1.</li> <li>2.</li> <li>3.</li> </ol>	Official document of the Jerusalem District Electricity Company (JDECO) and recommendation from the Head of Civil Infrastructure Desk. Requires recommendation from the Head of the Electricity Unit. Contingent on possession of a smart

							<ul><li>card.</li><li>4. Subject to security evaluation.</li><li>5. A permit for more than half a year is under the authority of COGAT.</li></ul>
21.	Waqf employee at the Temple Mount	Waqf employees at the Temple Mount in Jerusalem only.	153	For half a year (hours according to job and as required)	None.	<ol> <li>Jerusalem Envelope DCL (Abu Dis Representative Office).</li> <li>Authorization of a permit for lodging in Israel is under authority of the head of the Civil Administration.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Examination of the list of names visa-vis the Jerusalem municipality.</li> <li>Security evaluation for a one-year term.</li> <li>Contingent on possession of a smart card.</li> </ol>
22.	Singular needs — A work- related meeting	Exit for work- related meetings in Israel.	None.	Up to 5 days, all hours.	None.	<ol> <li>DCLs.</li> <li>Permission for a permit including lodging in Israel — Under authority of the head of the DCL.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Contingent on presentation of papers that serve as verification, and documentation that there is indeed an appointment in Israel, and on noncontiguity of continued presence in Israel.</li> <li>The permit will be granted for a maximum of 5 days per month.</li> <li>Contingent on possession of a smart card and on security evaluation.</li> </ol>

		Departure to a work-related meeting in the Gaza Strip — for officials and employees of the Palestinian Authority in Judea and Samaria.	None.	Up to 5 days, all hours.	None.	1. Authority of COGAT.	1. Contingent on presentation of papers that serve as verification, and documentation that there is indeed an appointment in the Gaza Strip, and on non-contiguity of continued presence in Israel.  2. The permit shall be granted for 5 days per month. Exceptions by approval of the Head of Civil Coordination Section at COGAT.  3. Conditioned on possession of a smart card, and on security evaluation.
23.	Singular needs — Jobhunting	Jobhunting in Israel.	None.	5 days + 5 nonconsec utive days per month, 5:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.  ** Conditione d on a hiatus of at least 3 months **	22 and married, with children.	<ol> <li>DCLs (Deputy Civilian Coordination Officer).</li> <li>Authorization of a permit for lodging in Israel is under authority of the head of the Civil Administration.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Contingent on possession of a smart card.</li> <li>Contingent only on the removal of a security block (not approved for individuals blocked for security reasons).</li> <li>The permit will be giving without including Saturdays and Sundays.</li> <li>Exceptions by approval from COGAT.</li> <li>A half-year pilot, at the end of which the extent will be re-examined.</li> </ol>

24.	Tour guide	Tour guides in Israel.	50	For half a year, all day.	None.	<ol> <li>DCLs (Civilian Coordination Officer).</li> <li>Permission for a permit including lodging in Israel — Under authority of the head of the DCL.</li> <li>According to a list of 50 tour guides as received from the Palestinian Ministry of Tourism.</li> <li>Subject to security evaluation.</li> <li>Contingent on possession of a smart card.</li> </ol>
25.	Tourism employee	Tourism employees in Israel.	500	For half a year, between midnight and 5:00 a.m	None.	<ol> <li>DCLs (Deputy Civilian Coordination Officer).</li> <li>Permission for a permit including lodging in Israel — Under authority of the head of the DCL.</li> <li>DCLs (Deputy Civilian card.</li> <li>Contingent on possession of a smart card.</li> <li>Subject to security evaluation.</li> </ol>
26.	Medical emergency team	Medical teams of the Red Crescent.	2,000	For half a year, all day.	None.	<ol> <li>Permits Center.</li> <li>Authorization of a permit for lodging in Israel is under authority of the head of the Civil Administration.</li> <li>Only by request from East Jerusalem hospitals</li> <li>Contingent on possession of a smart card.</li> <li>Security evaluation for all recipients of the documentation</li> </ol>

27.	Installation procedure	Workers at settlements who are required to travel with their employer out from the Judea and Samaria area in order to install their "products" at the customers' homes in Israel.	1,000	For 3 months, between midnight and 5:00 a.m. Without continuity between permits (minimum one month between one permit and the next).	22 and up.	1. 2.	DCLs (commander of DCL).  Authorization of a permit for lodging in Israel is under authority of the head of the Civil Administration.	2.	A document from the employer detailing the nature of the work in Israel.  Contingent on possession of a smart card.  Subject to security evaluation.  Subject to a valid business license in the settlement.
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## Ritual and religious needs

Ser no.	Purpose	Applicability	Quota	Term of permit	Age restriction		Authority		Remarks
28.	Prayers at the Temple Mount, <u>Friday</u> only	Departure of Palestinian worshippers for prayer at the Temple Mount, on Fridays only.	None.	For half a year, between 5:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.	In keeping with the approved measures.	1. 2.	DCLs.  Authorization of a permit for lodging in Israel is under authority of COGAT.	2.	The requests must be submitted on lists transferred through the Palestinian Coordination Office.  Contingent on holding a smart card, up to age 60.  Subject to security evaluation if and as necessary.
29.	Christia n holidays	Entry of Christian Palestinians into Israel on Christian holidays.	None.	In accordance with the order for Christian holidays distributed by the Operations Branch of COGAt the holidays' approach.	None.	1. 2.	DCLs.  Permission for a permit including lodging in Israel  — Under authority of the head of the DCL.	<ol> <li>3.</li> <li>4.</li> </ol>	Lists presented by the Christian Division in the Ministry of Interior.  Contingent only on the removal of a security block (not approved for individuals blocked for security reasons).  Not contingent on possession of a smart card.  Subject to security evaluation if and as necessary.

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30.	Family visit	Entry into Israel for family visits of separated families.	None.	Up to one week, between 5:00 a.m. and 10:00 p.m.	None.	<ol> <li>DCLs.</li> <li>Permission for a permit including lodging in Israel — Under authority of the head of the DCL.</li> <li>First-degree relatives only.</li> <li>Subject to security evaluation if and as necessary.</li> <li>For separated families — Spouses and children.</li> </ol>
31.	Family visit on a holiday	Entry for family visits during holidays of the Muslim community.	In keeping with the approved measures.	In keeping with the approved measures.	In keeping with the approved measures.	<ol> <li>In keeping with the approved measures</li> <li>Permission for a permit including lodging in Israel — Under authority of the head of the DCL.</li> <li>With no printout for holders of valid smart cards.</li> <li>Individuals blocked for security reasons will not be approved.</li> </ol>
32.	Family visit — Eid al- Adha (Festival of the Sacrifice )	Entry for family visits during holidays of the Muslim community.	In accordance with the order for approved measures.	As defined in the approved measures.	In accordance with the order for approved measures.	<ol> <li>As defined in the approved measures.</li> <li>Permission for a permit including lodging in Israel         <ul> <li>Under authority of the head of the DCL.</li> </ul> </li> <li>In accordance with the approved order for measures.</li> <li>Subject to security evaluation if and as necessary.</li> <li>Religious affiliation — Muslim only.</li> </ol>

## **Senior Palestinian figures**

Ser. no.	Purpose	Applicability	Quota	Term of permit	Age restri ction	Autho rity	Remarks
33.	VIP-1	Holders of senior	120	For one year.	None	COGA	1. Subject to security evaluation.
		positions in the Palestinian Authority, and others close to the		Including lodging in Israel.	•	T.	<ol><li>Good for travel without inspection (not including Ben Gurion Airport).</li></ol>
		Chairman of the Palestinian Authority.					3. Permit for driving a Palestinian vehicle, available to 50% of the quota (60 individuals), the quota being under the authority of the Civil Administration's Permits Center.
							4. Good for free movement inside Israel. Between the areas, subject to specific coordination.
							5. Permit for first-degree relations — One year.
34.	VIP- 2	Holders of various positions in the	240	For one year. All day, without lodging in	None	COGA T.	Entitled to a lighter examination while crossing the Allenby     Bridge and accompanied by Laufer VIP service agents.
		Palestinian Authority.		Israel.			2. Entitled to pass through internal Israeli crossings.
							3. Permit for driving a Palestinian vehicle, available to 30% of the quota (72 individuals), the quota being under the authority of the Civil Administration's Permits Center.
							4. Entitled to travel between the Judea and Samaria area and the Gaza Strip, subject to coordination.
							6. Subject to security evaluation.
							7. Permit for first-degree relations — One year.

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35.	VIP-3	Entry into Israel for senior	360	One year, 7:00 a.m.	None	Head	1.	Entitled to pass through internal Israeli crossings.
		office-holders of the		to midnight.		of the	2.	With no easing of security checks.
		Palestinian Authority,				Civil		· ·
		specifically deputy				Admin	3.	Permit for driving a Palestinian vehicle, available to 10% of
		executive directors,				istratio		the quota (36 individuals), the quota being managed under
		mayors, commanders of				n's		the authority of the Civil Administration's Permits Center.
		security apparatuses,				Operat	4.	Requires a smart card, except from members of the
		heads of Palestinian				ions		Palestinian security apparatuses.
		Coordination Offices, and				Branch	5.	Permit for first-degree relatives — for three months.
		other senior officials at						· ·
		the Area Commander's						
		discretion.						

## **Travel for various needs:**

Ser. no.	Purpose	Applicability	Quota	Term of permit	Age restri ction	Authority	Remarks
36.	Family reunificat ion	Reunification of Palestinian families in Israel, including Eilat.	None.	Up to two years, all day.	None None	The Permits Center (under the authority of the shift supervisor, subject to Ministry of Interior's approval in the Residents Information System).	<ol> <li>Contingent on presentation of approval from the Ministry of Interior and a note from the Permits Center approving the family reunification in the Residents Information System. Alternatively, presentation of an A/5 visa for Israel.</li> <li>Contingent on possession of a smart card.</li> <li>Contingent only on the removal of a security block (not approved for individuals blocked for security reasons).</li> <li>Family reunification permits can be issued in across areas (not necessarily pending on the resident's address).</li> </ol>
37.	Driving in Israel	<ol> <li>Entry into Israel of those holding a valid family reunification permit. And in extremely exceptional humanitarian cases.</li> <li>Driving in Israel by senior figures of the</li> </ol>	None. 50	Subject to the validity of the family reunification permit and the documents required according to the procedure (vehicle license, driving license,	None None	1. Head of Civil Branch, Judea and Samaria, in compliance with the driving procedure for family unification in Israel, and in exceptional cases that have been examined and approved.	<ol> <li>Valid family reunification, approval of the head of the Health Unit, Israeli spouse without a driving license.</li> <li>Conditional on a request from the Division for Christian Communities at the Ministry of Interior, valid driving license, permit for presence in Israel, and absence of</li> </ol>

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		<ul> <li>Christian community.</li> <li>3. Driving by a BMC in Israel.</li> <li>4. Palestinian physicians employed at hospitals in Israel.</li> </ul>	260	etc.)Subject to the permit for presence in IsraelSubject to the permit for presence in Israel. Subject to the permit for presence/employment in Israel.	None None	3.	The head of the Civil Administration's Operations Branch, subject to a list approved by COGAT.  Subject to a list of BMCs that the head of COGAT has approved for driving.  Subject to approval of the head of the Health Unit and to the procedure for driving in Israel by physicians.	3.	preclusions.  Working full time for a year, working night shifts, licensed to practice medicine, entry permit, work permit — total 260 for all hospitals, and 10 for Al Makassed Hospital All the above permits are subject to the procedures for handling requests from the respective populations.
38.	Singular needs — Trips	Trips in Israel.	None.	Two-day permit between 8:00 a.m. and midnight.	None	1.	Permits Center, Judea and Samaria.	1.	Contingent on a request from the ministries of the Palestinian Authority (especially schools). The intention is not to approve private trips.
								2.	Not contingent on possession of a smart card.
								1.	Contingent only on the removal of a security block (not approved for individuals blocked for security reasons).
								2.	Fridays and Saturdays are excluded.
39.	Singular needs —	Welfare needs in Israel	None.	As required, 24 hours a day.	None	1.	Permits Center.	1.	Contingent on a request from a welfare organization to the head of the Health
	Welfare			a uay.	•	2.	Permission for a permit including lodging in Israel		Unit (Welfare Sector).

							— Under authority of the head of the DCL.	<ul><li>2.</li><li>3.</li></ul>	Contingent on possession of a smart card.  Subject to security evaluation if and as necessary.
40.	Singular needs — Wedding	Attending a wedding in Israel.	None.	Up to three days, hours as needed.	None		DCLs.  Permit including lodging in Israel, or for a non-relative, under authority of the head of DCL.	<ol> <li>1.</li> <li>2.</li> <li>3.</li> <li>4.</li> </ol>	Relationship within the family.  Contingent only on the removal of a security block (not approved for individuals blocked for security reasons).  Contingent on holding a smart card, up to age 60.  Contingent on invitation.
41.	Singular needs — Funeral	Attending a funeral in Israel.	None.	Up to three days, all day.	None	1.	DCLs (Civilian Coordination Officer).  Permission for a permit including lodging in Israel — Under authority of the head of the DCL.	3.	Relationship within the family.  Subject to security evaluation if and as necessary.  Not contingent on possession of a smart card.  Subject to presentation of a death certificate.
42.	Singular needs — Embassy interview	Departure of a Palestinian into Israel for an interview at a consulate/embassy.	None.	One-day permit in accordance with the scheduled time of the interview.	None	1.	DCLs. (Deputy Civilian Coordination Officer).  Authorization of a permit for lodging in Israel is under authority of the head of the Civil Administration.	<ol> <li>2.</li> <li>3.</li> </ol>	A document from the appropriate consulate.  Subject to security evaluation if and as necessary.  Contingent on possession of a smart card.

43.	Veterinar ians	Veterinarians: Departure of certified veterinarians into the Gaza Strip for the purpose of helping in specific instances, giving training, and giving professional support.	None.	Up to five days, including lodging.	25	1. 2. 3.	Permits Center.	2.	Individuals blocked for security reasons will not be approved.  Contingent on possession of a smart card.  For certified veterinarians only (upon presentation of veterinary license).
44.	Journalist s	Departure of journalists and media professionals into Israel for everyday work at the news agencies that employ them.	450	Up to three month. Between 05:00-00:00	22	1. 2.	No. of permits.  Exceptional hours / lodging  — Head of Operations Branch.	1. 2. 3.	Subject to security evaluation for individuals blocked for security reasons.  Subject to the population's classification in the system.  Subject to presentation of documentation and approval from the Spokesperson's office, once a year, of the journalist's affiliation with a news service.
45.	Departur e abroad	Transit of Palestinians or A/5 visa holders through Israel for abroad via Ben Gurion Airport.  A/5 family reunification in Israel (a temporary status)  — A permit for Ben Gurion Airport, subject to individualized examination;	None.	One day, in accordance with the time of the flight (including across days).  A/5 — Permit given for 3 months, for an unlimited number of flights.	None	<ol> <li>2.</li> <li>3.</li> </ol>	DCLs – Holders of BMC VIP status, and including A/5 status for humanitarian needs.  Permits Center — Other exceptions.  The issuing office is responsible for verifying the existence of a valid	<ol> <li>2.</li> <li>3.</li> <li>4.</li> </ol>	Subject to presentation of documents that justify the departure through Ben Gurion Airport, a flight ticket, and a valid Palestinian passport.  Security evaluation — Only for individuals blocked for security reasons.  Conditioned on possession of a smart card, except in humanitarian cases.  Those permitted to depart abroad

		the permit shall be valid for three months; the request may be submitted directly to the DCL by hand or by email.  Permits for travel through Ben Gurion Airport will be issued to BMC cardholders in accordance with the validity of their BMC permits (up to a year).				4.	Palestinian passport.  Departure abroad of a Palestinian through Ben Gurion Airport is approved by way of a Palestinian passport only, even if there is foreign citizenship. A Palestinian passport takes priority over a foreign passport.		through Ben Gurion Airport are entitled to return to the region the same way.  The permit shall be issued without including lodging in Israel.  A/5:  N. A flight ticket need not be presented.  2. Security evaluation for all.  3. A Palestinian passport is required and must be valid for at least half a year following the expiry of the permit.
46.	Visiting a prisoner	Departure of prisoners' families to visit at prisons in Israel, other than families of Gazan Hamas prisoners	None.	Up to one year, between 5:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.	None	1. 2.	Permits Center.  Authorization of a permit for lodging in Israel is under authority of COGAT.	<ol> <li>2.</li> <li>4.</li> </ol>	security reasons, and for siblings/children between ages 16 and 35 shall be issued for 60 days only — for two entries only.  Not contingent on possession of a smart card.

47.	Tempora ry presence in the Judea and Samaria area	Renewable permits for 1,100 Palestinian employees of the Palestinian Authority originating in the Gaza Strip / residents with permission to settle in Judea and Samaria / renewals for Gazans who received permits in other frameworks.	None.	Up to one year.	None	<ol> <li>1.</li> <li>2.</li> <li>3.</li> </ol>	Renewal of permits for up to one year — The Permits Center.  New Permits — The head of Civil Coordination Department at COGAT.  Authorization of a permit for lodging in Israel is under authority of the head of the Civil Administration.	2.	Operations Branch, COGAT.  Conditional on requests on behalf of the Palestinian Authority / Security Coordination Branch.  Among others, residents to whom a policy of non-deportation applies and residents in a staged process according to the procedure for settling.  Evaluation policy —  a. A Gaza Strip resident who is not blocked for security reasons will be sent for evaluation.  b. Gaza Strip residents who are blocked for security reasons will be sent for evaluation in the area where they resided, provided that
									where they resided, provided that they have been residing there for more than a year. Less than a year — To be evaluated by ISA 890.
48.	Personal needs	Authorization of entry in exceptional cases that do not meet other criteria and fall within unusual circumstances, by discretion regarding the individual case. Authorized under a quota.	Up to 20 permit s per DCL	No more than one month, between 5:00 a.m. and 10:00 p.m. A hiatus of at least a week must be	None	1.	DCLs and the Civil Administration headquarters. Rank of Lieutenant Colonel only. Exceptions by permission	<ol> <li>2.</li> </ol>	Only individual requests will be accepted, not compiled lists.  Conditional on possession of a smart card for more than three days.

	Administration.  2. It is the prerogative of the head of DCL / head of the Civil Administration's Operations Branch to authorize an exception for security apparatuses personnel who are without	<ol> <li>Subject to security evaluation.</li> <li>Responsibilities are not to be delegated to subordinates.</li> <li>Approval of permits is by personal signature and rubber stamp, or by computerized approval from an authorized officer Approvals shall not be issued by phone.</li> <li>When approving a request, the approving officer must detail, on the request form, the considerations that were taken into account.</li> </ol>
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Ser. no.	Purpose	Applicability	Quota	Term of permit	Age restr ictio n	Authority	Remarks
49.	Singular needs — Public sector employees	For people of the Palestinian Authority ministries, trade unions/federations, the municipal echelons in various zones, and the command echelon outside the liaison and the security apparatuses.	1000 for the Civil Administrat ion headquarte rs.	Hours 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.  Granting of a punchcard permit for three months, limited to 50 entries but with no hiatus.	None	<ol> <li>DCLs.</li> <li>Approval of a permit with lodging in Israel         <ul> <li>Head of the Operations</li> <li>Branch.</li> </ul> </li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Exceptions by approval of the head of the Civil Administration (exceptions to hours by approval of the Head of the Civil Administration's Operations Branch).</li> <li>Only individual requests will be accepted, not compiled lists.</li> <li>Conditional on possession of a smart card for more than three days.</li> <li>Subject to security evaluation.</li> <li>Responsibilities are not to be delegated to subordinates.</li> <li>And in accordance with the provisions relating to "personal needs" as purpose.</li> </ol>
50.	Personal needs — Economic sector employees	For representatives of parent corporations with a number of subsidiaries (such as Rawabi, PADICO, etc.) or other large companies.	700 for the Civil Administrat ion headquarte rs.	Hours 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. Granting of half-year punch-card permits limited to 50 entries	None	<ol> <li>DCLs.</li> <li>Approval of a permit with lodging in Israel         <ul> <li>Head of the Operations</li> </ul> </li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Not for merchants, but rather for representatives of companies, in various fields, that have a particularly great need for entry of their representatives into Israel.</li> <li>Exceptions by approval of the head of</li> </ol>

	each.	Branch.	the Civil Administration (exceptions to hours by approval of the Head of the Civil Administration's Operations Branch).
			3. Only individual requests will be accepted, not compiled lists.
			4. Conditional on possession of a smart card for more than three days.
			5. Subject to security evaluation.
			6. Responsibilities are not to be delegated to subordinates.
			7. And in accordance with the provisions relating to "personal needs" as purpose.

Ser. no.	Purpose	Applicability	Quota	Term of permit	Age restric tion	Authority	Remarks
51.	Singular needs — Presence in Israel	Permits will be issued for liaison officers, for employees of the Palestinian Authority at the Civil Administration, and for entry of journalists.  Following is the breakdown into categories for the security apparatuses:	<ul> <li>2,600 total.</li> <li>1. Up to 300 for the DCLs at Ramalla h and Hebron.</li> <li>2. 250 for the other DCLs.</li> <li>3. The Permits Center (includin g Security Coordina tion Branch) — 800.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>The permit may start between 7:30 a.m. and midnight.</li> <li>Half-year punch-card permit, limited to 25 entries.</li> </ol>	None.	<ol> <li>Quota for each DCL, including permission for lodging in the area, under authority of the head of the DCL.</li> <li>Up to 6 months, with approval of the head of the Civil Administration.</li> <li>Exceptions by approval from COGAT.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Only individual requests will be accepted, not compiled lists.</li> <li>Requires a smart card whenever the permit is issued for more than three days. Under authority of the head of the DCL / head of the Civil Administration's Operations Branch.</li> <li>Approval authority — Rank of Lieutenant-Colonel or higher</li> <li>In cases of preclusion, subject to evaluation</li> <li>When approving a request, the approving officer must detail, on the request form, the considerations that were taken into account Approval must be by personal signature and rubber stamp, or by computer. Approvals shall not be issued by phone.</li> <li>Civil Administration employees — Approved on the basis of a list of 100 permanent Civil Administration employees who have approval from the head of the Civil Administration's</li> </ol>

							7.	Operations Branch.  And in accordance with the provisions relating to "personal needs" as purpose.
52.	Singular needs — Israeli organizatio ns	Permits will be issued for Israel organizations recognized by the Ministry of Justice as nonprofit organizations encouraging peace and rapprochement. Permits will be issued for trips and conferences in Israel	2,000	Will receive renewable permits for up to half a year, with a limit of 100 entrances into Israel per half-year by each activist of the organization (a "punch-card permit").	None.	Permits Center. Exceptions, such as permits that include lodging, by approval of the head of the Civil Administration.	1. 2. 3.	The organizations shall submit the requests for the approval of the Permits Center only.  The permits bear no age restriction, since many minors participate in the activities.  And in accordance with the provisions relating to "personal needs" as purpose.
53.	Singular needs — Families of BMCs	For holders of BMC documentation, permits shall be issued covering first-degree relatives only (spouse and children)	None.	The permit shall be issued for a term of no more than three months, with no limitation on hours.	None.	<ol> <li>DCLs and the Permits Center.</li> <li>Permission for a permit including lodging in Israel         <ul> <li>Under authority of the head of the DCL.</li> </ul> </li> </ol>	1.	The permit is not issued automatically but rather in response to a request, from the merchant and the Palestinian Authority, explaining the need.  And in accordance with the provisions relating to "personal needs" as purpose.

54.	Singular needs — Families of VIPs	For VIPs, permits shall be issued covering first-degree relatives only (spouse and children) and in accordance with the entitlement detailed in the VIP procedure.	None.	The permit shall be issued for a term of no more than three months, with no limitation on hours.	None.	<ol> <li>DCLs and the Permits Center.</li> <li>Permission for a permit including lodging in Israel         <ul> <li>Under authority of the head of the DCL.</li> </ul> </li> </ol>	1.	Not contingent on possession of a smart card.  And in accordance with the provisions relating to "personal needs" as purpose.
55.	Elderly	Approval for the Palestinian's entry into Israel with no need for a permit.	None.	Up to half a year, between 7:00 a.m. and 10:00 p.m.	Men aged 55 and up, women 50 and up.	<ol> <li>Automatic.</li> <li>Authorization of a permit for lodging in Israel is under authority of COGAT.</li> </ol>		Automatic permit in the system, with no printout.  Not contingent on possession of a smart card.  Contingent only on the removal of a security block (not approved for individuals blocked for security reasons).
56.	The humanitari an arrangeme nt in Jerusalem	Residents of the Judea and Samaria area who live within the Jerusalem city limits and who are recognized by the Ministry of Interior as entitled to permits under the humanitarian arrangement for that	None.	For two years, all hours.	None.	The Ministry of Interior with the Permits Center, including lodging in Israel.	2.	A list approved by the Ministry of Interior.  Not conditioned on smart card.  Security evaluation if and as necessary.

57.	Singular needs - Return to	Return of Gaza Strip residents, from the Judea and Samaria area to their	None.	One day, in accordance with the operating hours at Erez Crossing.	None.	Under authority of the Permits Center, Judea and Samaria	1. If no new preclusion has been entered for the resident during the half year following the latest
	Gaza	homes in the Gaza Strip.				area; the Gaza CLA, the Allenby Bridge / DCL Jericho; the Tarqumiya representative office/Hebron; and the Jerusalem Envelope DCL.	departure from the Gaza Strip.  2. In accordance with the operating hours at Erez Crossing  3. Authority for the handling: The Permits Center - Judea and Samaria/Gaza, with issuance at the Tarqumiya representative office/Hebron, Allenby Bridge/Jericho, and the Jerusalem Envelope DCL.

## <u>Table of permits — Gaza Strip</u>

# **Health needs**

Ser. no.	Purpose	Applicability	Quota	Term of permit	Age restri ction	Authority	Remarks
1.	Departur e for hospitaliz ation	Entry for receiving lifesaving medical treatment, or treatment crucial to the quality of life, in Israel, in the Judea and Samaria area, or abroad.  Issuance of permits is not allowed for relatives of Hamas activists, unless the treatment is lifesaving or crucial to the quality of life and cannot be received inside the area.	None.	Use of "punch-card" permits according to the frequency of treatment. In a case of complicated medical treatment (such as continuous chemotherapy) requiring a recovery period, a permit will be approved on an individual basis, covering entry into the Judea and Samaria area for a lengthy period (3–6 months), including lodging, after examination of the frequency of treatments.	None	Up to one month — Deputy commander of the Permits Center.  Up to 3 months — Head of Civilian Coordination Department.  Permission for a permit including lodging in Israel — Head of the Gaza CLA.	<ol> <li>Contingent on presentation of a request on behalf of the Health coordinator at the Palestinian Civil Committee.</li> <li>Contingent on presentation of medical documents.</li> <li>Subject to security evaluation.</li> <li>Exceptions by permission of the head of the Gaza CLA.</li> <li>An accompanying person shall receive a "punch-card" permit for up to one month according to the frequency of treatment. The permit must be valid and must accompany the patient. If the accompanying person is not in the patient's presence, a valid certificate of hospitalization must be presented.</li> </ol>

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2.	Suppleme ntary medical training	Passage of medical personnel from the Gaza Strip into the Judea and Samaria area and Israel for supplementary professional training and internships according to conditions to be specified, with an emphasis on fields that do not exist in the Gaza Strip.	150 per month	Supplementary professional training and internships in the Judea and Samaria area and in Israel, up to 3 months.  Those receiving supplementary training on a regular basis in the Judea and Samara area and in Israel — up to 6 months.	None	1.	Permits Center, Gaza CLA.  Approval of a permit including lodging in Israel is under authority of the head of the Operations Branch at the Gaza CLA.	1. 2.	Subject to security evaluation.  Contingent on presentation of the appropriate documents and a recommendation from the Health Coordinator.
3.	Visiting the sick	Visiting a relative who is under lengthy hospitalization or seriously ailing.	Non e.	For one day only (between 5:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.) and up to one week	None	<ol> <li>2.</li> <li>3.</li> </ol>	Permits Center, Gaza CLA.  Exceptions (up to a month, including lodging in Israel) by approval of the head of the Gaza CLA  For longer than one month, by approval of the Civil Administration.	1. 2.	Subject to security evaluation.  Exceptions by approval of the head of the Gaza CLA, in accordance with recommendations from the Health Coordinator.

4.	Accompa nying parent	For a patient aged under 19 receiving medical treatment in Israel / in the Judea and Samaria area / abroad, an accompanying parent.	Non e.	In accordance with the times set for the minor's treatment. Use of "punch-card" permits according to the frequency of treatment. In a case of complicated medical treatment (such as continuous chemotherapy) requiring a recovery period, a permit will be approved on an individual basis, covering entry into the Judea and Samaria area for a lengthy period (3–6 months), including lodging, after examination of the frequency of treatments.	None	<ol> <li>Up to 3 months —         Head of Civilian         Coordination         Department at the         Gaza CLA.</li> <li>Permission for a         permit including         lodging in Israel —         Under authority of         the head of the DCL.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Contingent on presentation of a request on behalf of the Health coordinator at the Palestinian Civil Committee.</li> <li>Contingent on presentation of medical documents.</li> <li>Subject to security evaluation.</li> <li>Exceptions by permission of the head of the Gaza CLA.</li> <li>An accompanying parent shall receive a "punch-card" permit for up to one month according to the frequency of treatment. The permit must be valid and must accompany the patient. If the accompanying parent is not in the patient's presence, a valid certificate of hospitalization must be presented</li> </ol>
5.	Escort for a patient	For a person receiving medical treatment in Israel / in the Judea and Samaria area / abroad, an accompanying person.	Non e.	In accordance with the times set for the treatment Use of "punchcard" permits according to the frequency of treatment. In a case of complicated medical treatment (such as continuous chemotherapy) requiring a recovery period, a permit will be approved on an individual basis for	None	<ol> <li>Up to 3 months, under authority of the head of the Operations Branch at the Gaza CLA.</li> <li>Approval for lodging in Israel is under authority of COGAT.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Contingent on presentation of a request on behalf of the Health coordinator at the Palestinian Civil Committee.</li> <li>Subject to security evaluation.</li> <li>Contingent on presentation of appropriate medical documents</li> <li>Lodging in Israel, and exceptional</li> </ol>

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## **Economic needs**

Ser no.	Purpose	Applicability	Quota	Term of permit	Age restric tion		Authority	Remarks
7.	Merchant  Merchant — Agriculture.  Merchant — Commerce and industry.  Merchant — Transportation.	Palestinian merchants, into Israel, into the Judea and Samaria area, and abroad. In accordance with the conditions that have been set.	7,000	Up to 6 months. Hours as necessary.	25, marrie d.	2.	Deputy commander of the Permits Center, upon recommendation from the head of the appropriate unit.  Approval of a permit with lodging in Israel / the Judea and Samaria area is under authority of the Head of the Operations Branch.	<ol> <li>Subject to security evaluation.</li> <li>Exceptions by permission of the head of the Gaza CLA.</li> <li>Contingent on a request from a representative of the appropriate Civil Committee.</li> </ol>
8.	BMC Gaza	Senior Palestinian businesspeople and merchants.	500	Up to one year, all hours.	25	1.	Deputy commander of the Permits Center.  Approval of a permit with lodging in Israel / the Judea and Samaria area is under authority of the Head of the DCL.	<ol> <li>In compliance with the BMC procedure.</li> <li>Subject to security evaluation.</li> <li>Exceptions by permission of the head of the Gaza CLA.</li> </ol>
9.	People accompanying a BMC	For a BMC who has been granted passage, the spouse and children.	Up to 50 per week.	Up to two weeks, between 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. 30 days.	20	1.	Deputy commander of the Permits Center.  Permission for a permit including lodging in Israel — Head of the	<ol> <li>Subject to security evaluation.</li> <li>Exceptions by permission of the head of the Gaza CLA.</li> </ol>

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Exceptional permit for employment (in the employment ystem, not the permits system).	Employees of the Land Crossings Authority only, for operating the crossings between the Gaza Strip and Israel.	15	Up to half a year.	30	Head of Commerce and Industry at the Gaza CLA	<ol> <li>Subject to security evaluation.</li> <li>Exceptions by permission of the head of the Gaza CLA.</li> <li>Changes of quota are contingent on approval from the Operations Branch of COGAT and from all the relevant authorities in Israel.</li> </ol>

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## **Travel for various needs:**

Ser. no.	Purpose	Applicability	Quota	Term of permit	Age restri ction	Authority	Remarks
14.	Visiting a prisoner	Entry of prisoners' families to visit at prisons in Israel, other than families of Gazan Hamas prisoners.	Up to 50 prisoners a week.	For one day, between 5:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.	None	<ol> <li>Head of Civil         Coordination         Desk at the         Gaza CLA.</li> <li>Authorization         of a permit for         lodging in Israel         is under         authority of         COGAT.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>In accordance with the definitions/rules of the Prison Service.</li> <li>First-degree relatives (parents, spouse, and up to 3 children).</li> <li>Departure once a week.</li> <li>Subject to security evaluation.</li> <li>This permit is not to be issued to the families of Gazans from Hamas who are imprisoned.</li> </ol>
15.	Legal needs	Entry into Israel for activity necessary to the progress of court proceedings in Israel. According to the conditions set out in the appropriate procedure.	None.	One-day permit in accordance with the requested hours but between 5:00 and 7:00 pm only.	None	<ol> <li>Head of Civil         Coordination         Desk at the         Gaza CLA.</li> <li>Authorization         of a permit for         lodging in Israel         is under         authority of         COGAT.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Subject to security evaluation.</li> <li>Exceptions by permission of the head of the Gaza CLA.</li> </ol>

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16.	Journalists	Departure of journalists and media professionals into Israel for everyday work at the news agencies that employ them.	50	Up to one week. Without lodging.	22	<ol> <li>No. of permits.</li> <li>Exceptional hours / lodging         <ul> <li>Head of</li> <li>Operations</li> <li>Branch.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Up to one month — The CLA</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Contingent on security evaluations for all</li> <li>Subject to the population's classification in the system.</li> <li>Subject to presentation of documentation and approval from the Spokesperson's office, once a year, of the journalist's affiliation with a news service.</li> </ol>
17.	Family reunificatio n	Entry into Israel, and renewal of permits for presence in Israel, for Palestinians who are in the process of "family reunification."  Departure abroad through Ben Gurion Airport is conditional on security evaluation.	None.	Up to two years, all hours, including lodging in Israel.	None	Head of Civil Coordination Desk at the Gaza CLA.	<ol> <li>In accordance with instructions and approval from the Ministry of Interior.</li> <li>Subject to security evaluation.</li> </ol>
18.	Singular needs — Embassy interview	Entry of Gaza Strip residents into Israel for interviews at a consulate/embassy, provided that such an interview is not available in the Gaza strip. Restricted to dates coordinated between the consulate and the Gaza CLA.  Gaza Strip residents shall enter for interviews at the American consulate on a shuttle basis, as coordinated in advance, on special dates to be arranged.	None.	Up to two days, including lodging in the Judea and Samaria area.	None	<ol> <li>Head of Civil         Coordination         Desk at the         Gaza CLA.</li> <li>Authorization         of a permit for         lodging in Israel         is under         authority of         COGAT.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>A document from the appropriate consulate.</li> <li>Date coordinated between the American consulate and the CLA, contingent on the shuttle.</li> <li>Subject to security evaluation.</li> <li>As a rule, escorts are not allowed into the consulate. Entry as escorts is permitted only to the accompanying parent of a minor, up to 16 years old,</li> </ol>

19.	Departure abroad	Departure abroad of a Palestinian across the Allenby Bridge for the following purposes:  A. Medical treatment that is life-saving or is crucial to the quality of life. In addition, departure will be made possible for the sake of exceptional	Ben Gurion Airport — 20 per month. Allenby —	For one day. Between 5:00 and 10:00 p.m.	None	<ol> <li>Head of Civil         Coordination         Desk at the         Gaza CLA.</li> <li>Exceptions to         the shuttle by         permission</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>and in exceptional humanitarian cases (escorting a disabled or aged person).</li> <li>1. Valid Palestinian passport.</li> <li>2. Subject to security evaluation regardless of age.</li> <li>3. In groups of escorts (shuttles). Exceptions by approval of the head of the CLA.</li> </ul>
		treatments, at the discretion of the DCL and depending on the treatments' availability in the Gaza Strip.  B. A unique conference in the field of medicine, agriculture, energy, water, waste, communications and journalism, hi-tech, or economic progress.  C. Students for academic study — All degrees. Certificate studies — Practical engineers and technicians.  D. For the purpose of a long-term stay abroad.  E. Supplemental professional training for teachers and academics	Without quota.			from the head of the CLA  3. Authorization of a permit for lodging in Israel is under authority of COGAT.	<ol> <li>Holders of A/5 status — May be permitted to depart through Ben Gurion Airport, subject to presentation of A/5 certification.</li> <li>For the purpose of medical care — Subject to proof of the need</li> <li>For the purpose of a long-term stay — Subject to signing a commitment not to return to the Gaza Strip through Israel or through the Judea and Samaria area for at least half a year abroad</li> <li>For a conference / for supplemental training / for students — Conditional on presenting appropriate documents</li> </ol>
20.	Driving in	Driving in Israel for holders of valid family reunification permit. And in extremely	None.	Conditional on a permit	None	Head of Economics Department at the	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,

Israel	exceptional humanitarian cases.	for presence in Israel.	Gaza CLA, in coordination with the head of the Civilian	required according to the procedure (vehicle license, driving license, etc.).  2Subject to the permit for presence in Israel.
			Coordination Department at the Gaza CLA.	

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21.	Singular needs — Weddin g	Entry of Gaza Strip residents into Israel (including entry for transit to the Judea and Samaria area or abroad) to attend the wedding of a first-degree relative.	None.	Up to three days. Hours as necessary.	None.	<ol> <li>Deputy commander of the Permits Center.</li> <li>Up to a week (including lodging in Israel) under authority of the head of the CLA.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Conditional on first-degree relationship (parents, siblings, children, grandparents of the visitee)</li> <li>Subject to security evaluation.</li> </ol>
22.	Singular needs — Funeral	Entry of Gaza Strip residents into Israel (including entry for transit to the Judea and Samaria area or abroad) to attend the funeral of a first-degree relative.	None.	Up to three days. All hours.	None.	<ol> <li>Deputy commander of the Permits Center.</li> <li>Up to a week (including lodging in Israel) under authority of the head of the CLA.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Conditional on first-degree relationship (parents, siblings, children, grandparents of the deceased).</li> <li>To be granted for seven days from the date of the funeral.</li> <li>Conditional on security evaluation.</li> </ol>
23.	Singular needs	Entry of Palestinian pupils residing in the Gaza Strip and up to 15 years old for tours in Israel or the Judea	None.	1. For one day, between 5:00 a.m. and 7:00	Up to age	One day, under     the authority of     the Head of Civil     Coordination	<ol> <li>Midweek school trips.</li> <li>Teachers — Escorts (ratio of one teacher per</li> </ol>

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	— Trips	and Samaria areas.  And entry of children up to age 15 who are ailing and who have special needs, for organized tours in Israel or in the Judea and Samaria area.		p.m.  2. Permit for two days, under authority of the head of the CLA	15.	Desk at the Gaza CLA.  2. Permit for up to two days — head of the Gaza CLA. Beyond two days — Permission from COGAT.  3. Lodging in Israel / the Judea and Samaria area under authority of the head of the Gaza CLA.		<ol> <li>Subject to security evaluation if and as necessary.</li> <li>Entry into Israel of children with special needs requires sponsorship of an Israeli NGO, and entry into the Judea and Samaria area requires sponsorship of a Palestinian/Israeli NGO.</li> </ol>		
24.	Persona I needs	Authorization of entry in exceptional cases that do not meet other criteria and fall within unusual circumstances, by discretion regarding the individual case. Authorized under a quota.	1	Up to one month, 5:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. (hiatus of one week from permit to permit).	None.	Head of Operations Branch / Head of CLA.		Subject to securit	y evaluation.	
25.	Attendin a conferen e	professionals in agriculture / medici	ne quot	Up to two wee a. between 5:00 and 7:00 p.m. (including, if necessary, lod the Judea and	a.m.	command Center.  2. Up to two lodging in		week — Deputy der of the Permits o weeks, including n Israel, under y of the Head of the	<ol> <li>Subject to security         evaluation if and as         necessary.</li> <li>Conferences and events of         the Palestinian Authority         — Conditional on receipt</li> </ol>	

	their respective fields.  In addition, entry of Gaza Strip residents for conferences and special events of the Palestinian Authority in Judea and Samaria, conditional on receipt of a detailed request from representatives of the Palestinian Authority.		area and in Israel).		Gaza CLA.	of a detailed request from a representative of the Palestinian authority  3. Conferences — Conditional on presentation of appropriate documents and explanation of the need
26. Work-related meetings	<ol> <li>Entry of senior/professional figures in the field of energy, water, communications, waste, health, or environmental quality, for advancement of projects / meetings at companies or at government ministries in Israel or in the Judea and Samaria area.</li> <li>Senior figures in the economic sector who are not businesspeople, in the fields of banking, tourism, insurance companies, communications companies, and hi-tech, in Israel or in the Judea and Samaria area.</li> <li>Senior Fatah figures, for meetings in Ramallah.</li> <li>Employees of the Palestinian Authority, for meetings at the</li> </ol>	100	Quota of 60 — Up to one month.  40 — Up to three months.	20	<ol> <li>Up to a month —         Permits officer / Head         of Civilian Coordination         Department at the Gaza         CLA.</li> <li>Up to 3 months —         Under authority of the         Head of the Operations         Branch Operations         Branch at the Gaza CLA.</li> <li>Exceptions to the age         range — Head of the         Operations Branch at         the Gaza CLA.</li> <li>Lodging and other         exceptions — Under         authority of COGAT.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Subject to security         evaluation if and as         necessary.</li> <li>Conditional on         presentation of         appropriate documents         and explanation of the         need.</li> </ol>

		Palestinian Authority offices in Ramallah.							
27.	Singular needs — Families of VIPs	For VIPs, permits shall be issued covering first-degree relatives only (spouse and children) and in accordance with the entitlement detailed in the VIP procedure.	None.	The permit shall be issued for a term of no more than a year according to the vip permit holder.	None.	<ul><li>3.</li><li>4.</li></ul>	DCLs and the Permits Center.  Permission for a permit including lodging in Israel — Under authority of the head of the DCL.	<ol> <li>3.</li> <li>4.</li> </ol>	Not contingent on possession of a smart card. Subject to security