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AGENDA

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1. Overall Updates

- Following the regional conflict escalation, the Global Logistics Cluster held a Regional Crisis Global Coordination Call on 3 March. Shipping lead times are expected to increase by 20 to 25 days with higher costs, and potential impacts on fuel prices, and export restrictions of certain commodities to preserve national reserves.
- In Israel, authorities implemented "strict" emergency measures on 28 February. These were eased to a "limited" status on 4 March, however, administrative delays are expected.



- On 28 February, all Gaza crossings were closed. On 3 March, Kerem Shalom/Kerem Abu Salem (KS/KAS) was partially reopened on a limited basis to allow some aid truck offloads, restricted to cargo from Egypt and Ashdod/Israel. Trucks from Israel were authorised as of 4 March.
- A limited resumption of Jordan convoys is tentatively indicated for next week: King Hussein Bridge-Allenby crossing to be open on Monday and Wednesday, with 30 trucks per convoy, and no days yet set for a potential reopening on Sheikh Hussein Bridge - Jordan River.
- All routes from the West Bank to Gaza have remained closed to aid movements since 28 February.
- **Gaza Updates**
 - Cluster collection activities resumed on 4 March. Looting trends remain limited and localised along Al Rasheed Road.
 - Road access constraints are causing transport collection re-routing. Salah al Din remains non-accessible, and the Al Rasheed Road is also constrained, while the Philadelphi corridor and the area around Rafah are affected by military activities.
 - Access limitations to the KS/KAS platform persist hampering the planned physical stock count; the latest confirmed physical inventory was conducted on 26 February.
 - The Cluster provides access to 9,479 square metres of storage capacity through seven warehouses across north and Middle Area. Two additional warehouses are being identified this week. Partners are encouraged to share their storage needs with the Cluster team.
 - The Logistics Cluster has launched the first round of the 2026 Quarterly Gaza Humanitarian Storage Capacity [Survey](#). Partners are encouraged to submit their storage capacity data by the 8 March. The survey results will be used to assess overall storage needs and inform further planning.
- **Jordan Updates**
 - Due to the closure of the Gaza crossings by the Israeli authorities, no convoys were facilitated from Jordan to Gaza in March so far.
 - In February, the Logistics Cluster facilitated 12 Back-to-Back convoys, with a total of 417 trucks offloaded at Gaza crossings.
- **Egypt Updates**
 - Movements from Egypt resumed on 3 March, with varying offloading rates.
 - In addition to the requirement for pre-clearance through the UN2720 Mechanism and Israeli customs clearance for aid entering Gaza from Egypt, partners are still required to follow the Egyptian Red Crescent (ERC) [Standard Operating Procedures](#) and notify ERC of cargo movement through the [15-day](#) or [48-hour](#) forms.
- The Logistics Cluster is refreshing its contact list and reviewing its membership, to ensure the forum's focus on supply chain and logistics operational discussions. A [new contact form](#) has been circulated. All partners are kindly requested to resubmit their contact details.
- **UN/INGO Upstream Truck Overview**
 - Upon the limited reopening of the KS/KAS crossing to aid on 3 March, return rates from Egypt were high, with only around 25 percent of trucks offloaded. This improved to 67 percent offload rate the following day.
 - Overall, the sectoral breakdown remains predominantly food security (70 percent), followed by shelter (21 percent), with the remainder comprising WASH, health, and other items.



- **Fuel Update provided by UNOPS**

- UNOPS continues fuel operations, delivering fuel regularly and responding to partners' needs, including 27,130,143 litres of diesel and 356,720 litres of petrol in February so far.
- Fuel entry was not authorised while the Gaza crossings were closed from 28 February to 2 March. Deliveries resumed on 3 March and are expected to continue, subject to the evolving situation.
- Fuel deliveries are planned for 8, 10, 12 March. Partners are requested to comply with requirements by submitting fuel requests on a weekly or monthly basis, as advised by the UNOPS team, and to clear any outstanding UNOPS fuel invoices from 2025.

2. Association of International Development Agencies (AIDA) Update

- On 22 February 2026, AIDA and 17 INGOs [filed an urgent petition](#) to the Israeli High Court challenging the new INGO registration requirements introduced in March 2025, to avoid irreparable harm to civilians relying on food, water, medical care, and essential services.
- On 27 February 2026, the High Court issued a temporary injunction extending the current interim period while proceedings continue towards a final hearing, and preventing de-registration enforcement measures such as forced exits, office closures, or bank account freezes.
- The implementation of the injunction will depend on the State's interpretation and implementation. There is currently no indication that INGOs will be able to bring goods and rotate international staff into Gaza and the West Bank.

3. AOB

- Depending on access and security conditions on the ground, the Logistics Cluster continues to facilitate both transport and storage services. Organisations are requested to submit a [Service Request Form \(SRF\)](#) minimum 72 hours in advance, to access common logistics services. Once request is accepted, the provided SRF QR code has to be printed and placed on all four sides of the pallets.
- Partners are encouraged to contribute to the consolidated suppliers list, compiled by the Logistics Cluster team. The list may be requested by contacting Palestine.logcluster@wfp.org. The input source will remain confidential as organisation names are removed from the shared file.
- More information on the Logistics Cluster services, updates, guidelines, and related links can be found on the [Palestine operation webpage](#).
- The next coordination meeting will be held exceptionally on Wednesday, due to the Eid al-Fitr celebrations.

The next Palestine Logistics Cluster coordination meeting planned on Wednesday 18 March 2026.

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