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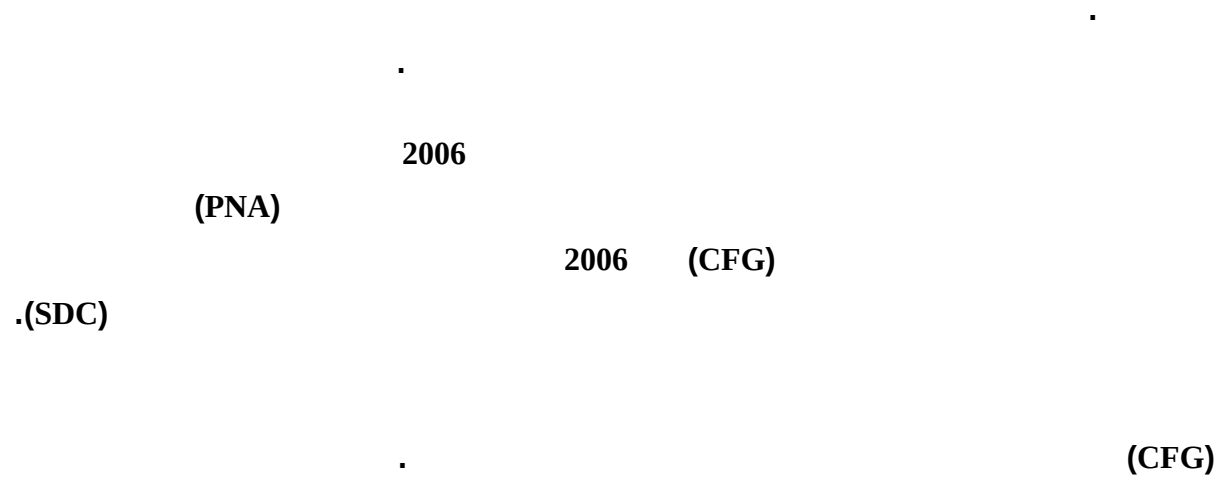
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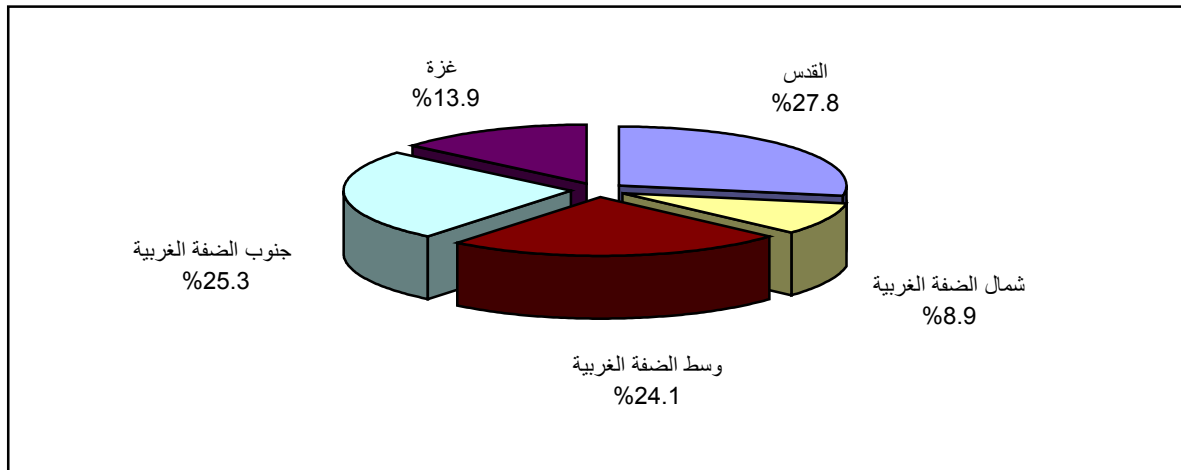
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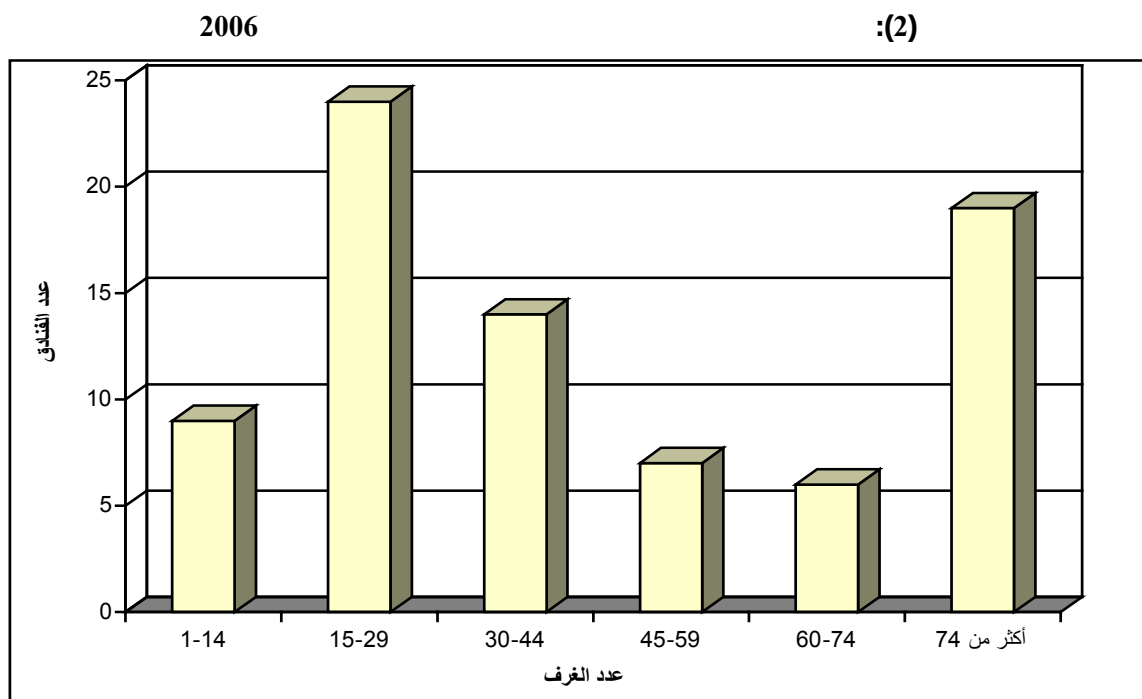
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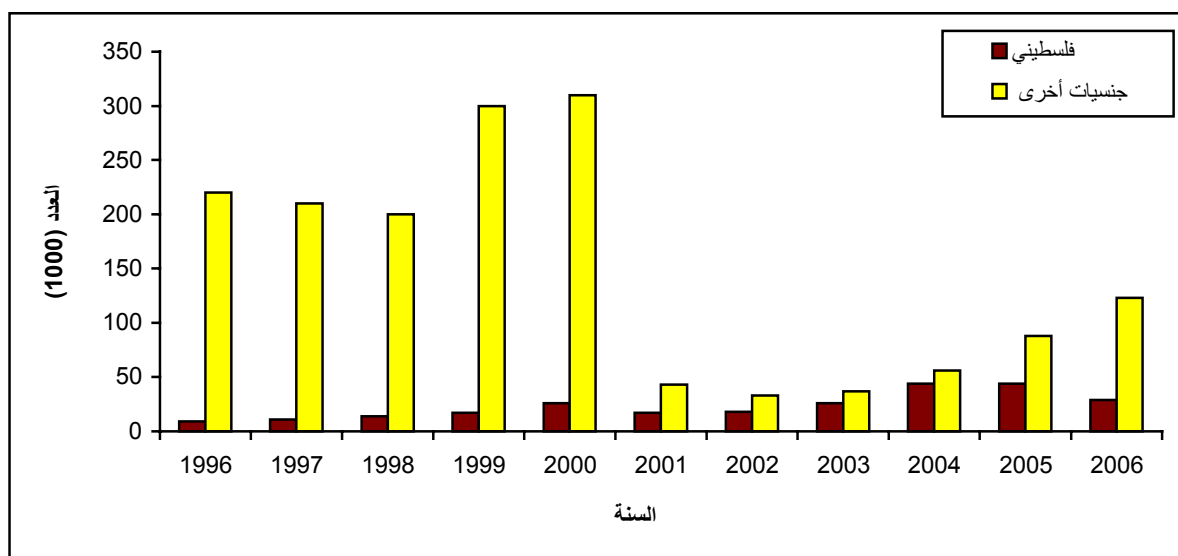
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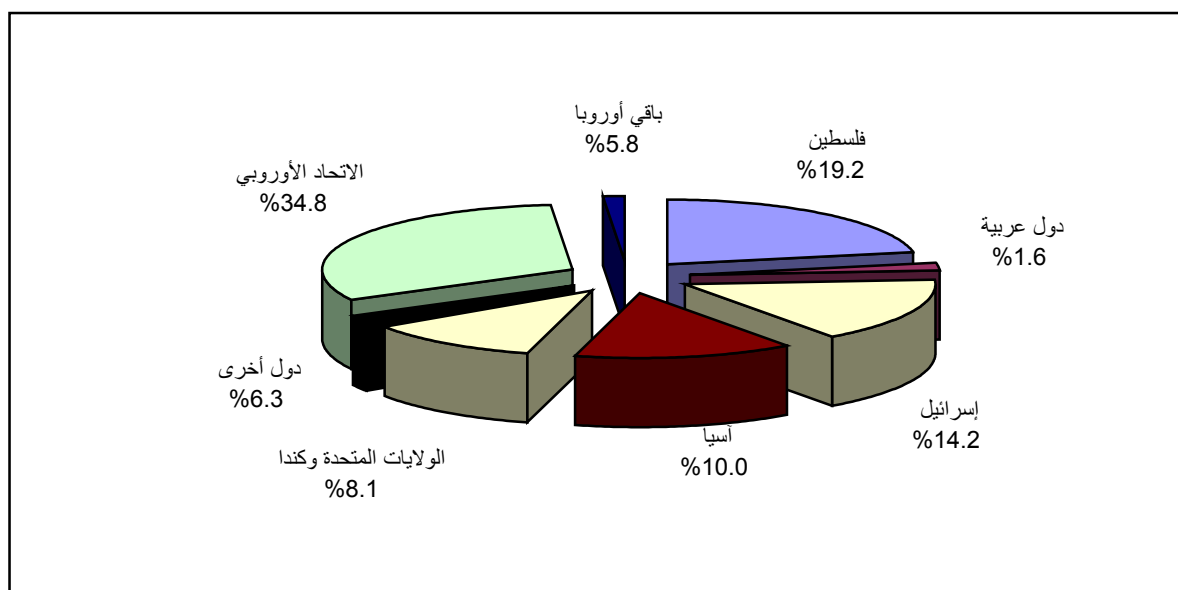
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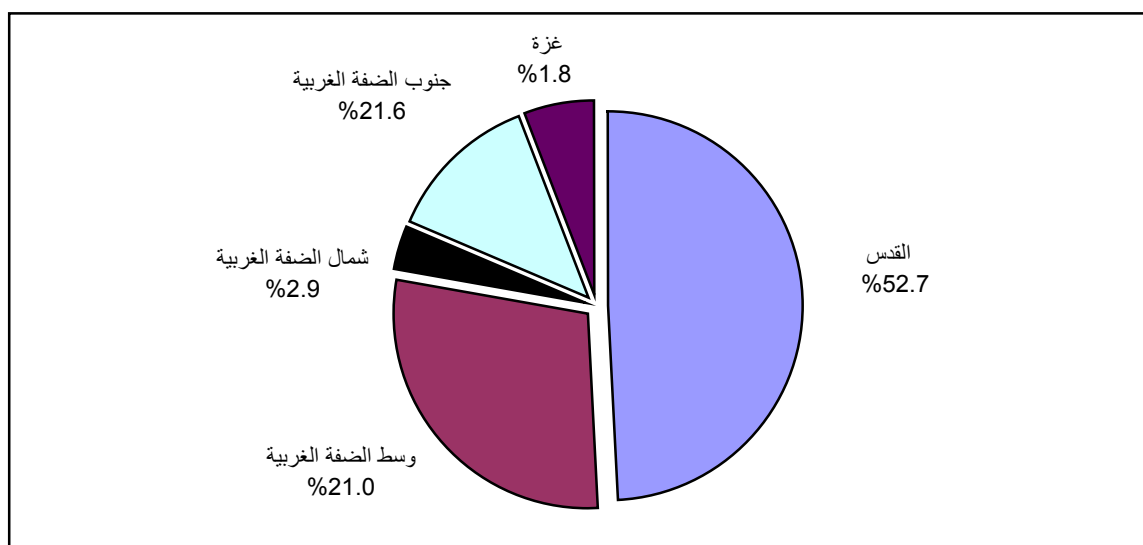
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| 18.8- | 6.5-  | 10.7- | 12.3- | 11.9- | 6.7   | 76.0 | 1,329   |     |
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| 53.8- | 57.7- | 66.5- | 72.1- | 77.3- | 77.3- | 11.1 | 616.4   |     |
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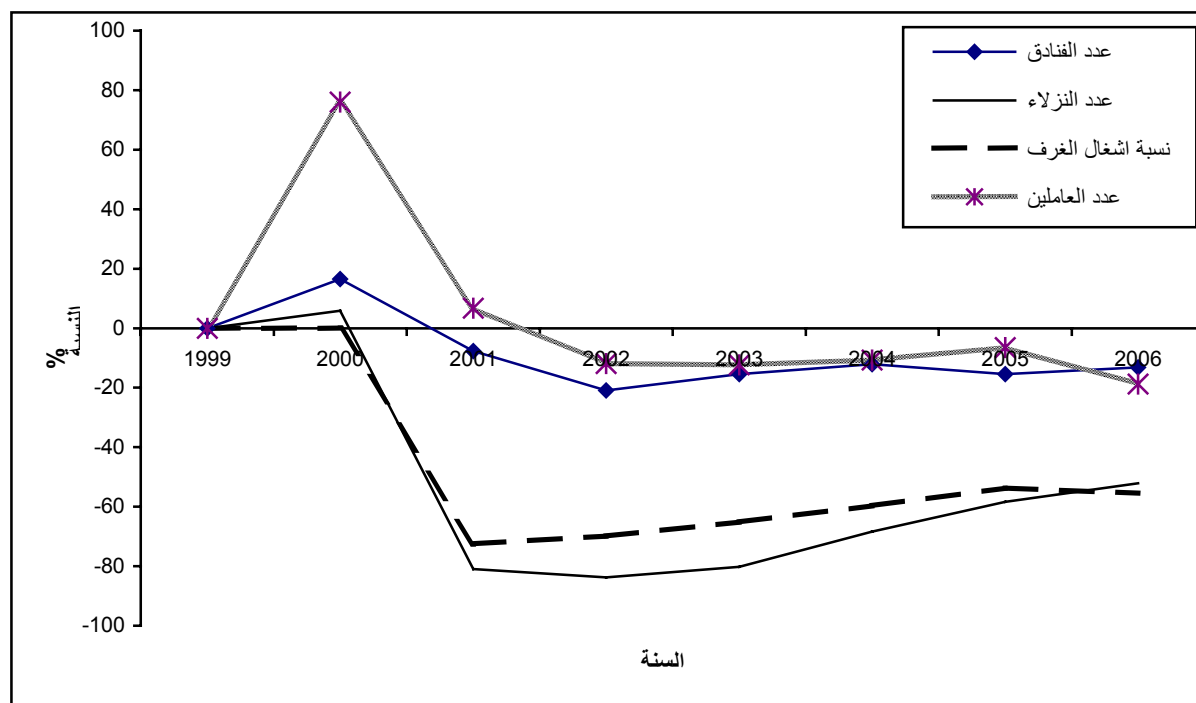
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**Table 1-1: Main Indicators for Hotel Activities in the Palestinian Territory by Month, 2006**

| Month                     | Bed Occupancy |               | Room Occupancy |              | No. of Guest Nights | No. of Guests | No. of Beds | No. of Rooms | No. of Hotels |  |
|---------------------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|--------------|---------------------|---------------|-------------|--------------|---------------|--|
|                           | % Rate%       | Average       | % Rate%        | Average      |                     |               |             |              |               |  |
| January                   | 15.0          | 1154.1        | 19.6           | 702.1        | 35777               | 12915         | 7713        | 3587         | 74            |  |
| February                  | 14.6          | 1146.4        | 18.6           | 685.5        | 32098               | 11355         | 7827        | 3681         | 76            |  |
| March                     | 12.4          | 980.5         | 16.0           | 591.5        | 30394               | 11052         | 7898        | 3703         | 76            |  |
| April                     | 19.3          | 1568.2        | 26.0           | 978.5        | 47047               | 16794         | 8143        | 3759         | 75            |  |
| May                       | 14.3          | 1178.4        | 17.7           | 673.1        | 36531               | 14645         | 8227        | 3794         | 76            |  |
| June                      | 14.5          | 1209.2        | 17.7           | 676.4        | 36276               | 14490         | 8338        | 3812         | 76            |  |
| July                      | 13.1          | 1073.4        | 16.3           | 609.5        | 33274               | 13603         | 8203        | 3750         | 74            |  |
| August                    | 11.9          | 1056.4        | 15.3           | 628.8        | 32747               | 12633         | 8866        | 4099         | 79            |  |
| September                 | 6.6           | 578.5         | 9.6            | 390.5        | 17354               | 7152          | 8755        | 4085         | 79            |  |
| October                   | 8.4           | 783.8         | 12.2           | 508.4        | 24297               | 10403         | 9344        | 4171         | 81            |  |
| November                  | 11.3          | 1018.2        | 12.7           | 531.2        | 30546               | 13211         | 8971        | 4177         | 81            |  |
| December                  | 9.9           | 879.4         | 10.4           | 431.2        | 27262               | 13548         | 8863        | 4140         | 79            |  |
| <b>Annual Indicator *</b> | <b>12.5</b>   | <b>1051.0</b> | <b>15.8</b>    | <b>616.4</b> | <b>383603</b>       | <b>151801</b> | <b>8429</b> | <b>3897</b>  |               |  |

\* Represents the annual average of indicators except number of guests and number of guest nights which represents the annual total.

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**Table 1-2: Distribution of Hotels, Rooms, and Beds by Categories of Number of Rooms, 2006**

| Categories of Number of Rooms | No. of Beds |             |             |             | No. of Rooms |             |             |             | No. of Hotels |           |           |           |         |
|-------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|---------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|---------|
|                               | December    | September   | June        | March       | December     | September   | June        | March       | December      | September | June      | March     |         |
| 1 – 14                        | 305         | 326         | 326         | 351         | 89           | 101         | 101         | 118         | 9             | 10        | 10        | 12        | 14 - 1  |
| 15 - 29                       | 1096        | 1183        | 1193        | 1167        | 496          | 511         | 512         | 511         | 24            | 25        | 25        | 25        | 29 - 15 |
| 30 - 44                       | 1020        | 838         | 1021        | 949         | 502          | 436         | 505         | 469         | 14            | 12        | 14        | 13        | 44 - 30 |
| 45 - 59                       | 726         | 680         | 592         | 526         | 350          | 344         | 250         | 250         | 7             | 7         | 5         | 5         | 59 - 45 |
| 60 - 74                       | 758         | 758         | 628         | 621         | 396          | 396         | 331         | 331         | 6             | 6         | 5         | 5         | 74 - 60 |
| 75 +                          | 4958        | 4970        | 4578        | 4284        | 2307         | 2297        | 2113        | 2024        | 19            | 19        | 17        | 16        | + 75    |
| <b>Total</b>                  | <b>8863</b> | <b>8755</b> | <b>8338</b> | <b>7898</b> | <b>4140</b>  | <b>4085</b> | <b>3812</b> | <b>3703</b> | <b>79</b>     | <b>79</b> | <b>76</b> | <b>76</b> |         |

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Table 1-3: Number of Persons Engaged in Hotels by Type of Work, Sex and Month, 2006

| Month                 | المجموع<br>Total |              | تشغيل<br>Operation |              | إدارة<br>Administration |              | عدد الفنادق<br>No. of<br>Hotels | الشهر |
|-----------------------|------------------|--------------|--------------------|--------------|-------------------------|--------------|---------------------------------|-------|
|                       | إناث<br>Female   | ذكور<br>Male | إناث<br>Female     | ذكور<br>Male | إناث<br>Female          | ذكور<br>Male |                                 |       |
| January               | 169              | 1130         | 123                | 918          | 46                      | 212          | 74                              |       |
| February              | 171              | 1159         | 125                | 935          | 46                      | 224          | 76                              |       |
| March                 | 170              | 1151         | 124                | 934          | 46                      | 217          | 76                              |       |
| April                 | 174              | 1182         | 130                | 956          | 44                      | 226          | 75                              |       |
| May                   | 174              | 1188         | 129                | 960          | 45                      | 228          | 76                              |       |
| June                  | 173              | 1204         | 128                | 980          | 45                      | 224          | 76                              |       |
| July                  | 174              | 1198         | 128                | 979          | 46                      | 219          | 74                              |       |
| August                | 176              | 1125         | 129                | 900          | 47                      | 225          | 79                              |       |
| September             | 178              | 1132         | 129                | 909          | 49                      | 223          | 79                              |       |
| October               | 177              | 1110         | 131                | 883          | 46                      | 227          | 81                              |       |
| November              | 182              | 1158         | 135                | 927          | 47                      | 231          | 81                              |       |
| December              | 174              | 1125         | 130                | 906          | 44                      | 219          | 79                              |       |
| <b>Annual average</b> | <b>174</b>       | <b>1155</b>  | <b>128</b>         | <b>932</b>   | <b>46</b>               | <b>223</b>   |                                 |       |

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Table 1- 4: Distribution of Guests in Hotels by Nationality and Month, 2006

| Month        | Nationality    |              |              |                |              | No. of Hotels |  |
|--------------|----------------|--------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|---------------|--|
|              | U.S.A & Canada | Asia         | Israel       | Arab Countries | Palestine    |               |  |
| January      | 1270           | 2986         | 1166         | 116            | 2690         | 74            |  |
| February     | 983            | 2040         | 1099         | 128            | 3291         | 76            |  |
| March        | 921            | 2076         | 1057         | 119            | 2563         | 76            |  |
| April        | 1278           | 1282         | 1316         | 810            | 2074         | 75            |  |
| May          | 1161           | 2365         | 1788         | 123            | 3037         | 76            |  |
| June         | 1783           | 2089         | 1385         | 113            | 2909         | 76            |  |
| July         | 873            | 324          | 1682         | 120            | 2361         | 74            |  |
| August       | 564            | 139          | 4720         | 129            | 2476         | 79            |  |
| September    | 429            | 215          | 1626         | 116            | 1521         | 79            |  |
| October      | 668            | 348          | 1988         | 96             | 1734         | 81            |  |
| November     | 1324           | 884          | 1582         | 334            | 1971         | 81            |  |
| December     | 976            | 418          | 2211         | 268            | 2558         | 79            |  |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>12230</b>   | <b>15166</b> | <b>21620</b> | <b>2472</b>    | <b>29185</b> |               |  |

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Table 1-4 (Cont.): Distribution of Guests in Hotels by Nationality and Month, 2006

| Month        | Total         | Nationality            |             |                       |                |                         |  |
|--------------|---------------|------------------------|-------------|-----------------------|----------------|-------------------------|--|
|              |               | Australia & New Zeland | Africa      | Other European Count. | European Union | Central & South America |  |
| January      | <b>12915</b>  | 82                     | 341         | 85                    | 4146           | 33                      |  |
| February     | <b>11355</b>  | 25                     | 95          | 211                   | 3442           | 41                      |  |
| March        | <b>11052</b>  | 10                     | 6           | 998                   | 2204           | 1098                    |  |
| April        | <b>16794</b>  | 37                     | 242         | 756                   | 8934           | 65                      |  |
| May          | <b>14645</b>  | 14                     | 179         | 178                   | 5685           | 115                     |  |
| June         | <b>14490</b>  | 46                     | 12          | 468                   | 5547           | 138                     |  |
| July         | <b>13603</b>  | 48                     | 256         | 1884                  | 5897           | 158                     |  |
| August       | <b>12633</b>  | 32                     | 24          | 205                   | 3481           | 863                     |  |
| September    | <b>7152</b>   | 28                     | 69          | 223                   | 1814           | 1111                    |  |
| October      | <b>10403</b>  | 25                     | 26          | 54                    | 3754           | 1710                    |  |
| November     | <b>13211</b>  | 187                    | 95          | 2199                  | 4401           | 234                     |  |
| December     | <b>13548</b>  | 895                    | 298         | 1527                  | 3465           | 932                     |  |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>151801</b> | <b>1429</b>            | <b>1643</b> | <b>8788</b>           | <b>52770</b>   | <b>6498</b>             |  |

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Table 1-5: Percentage Distribution of Guests in Hotels by Nationality and Month, 2006

| Month        | Nationality    |             |             |                |             | No. of Hotels |  |
|--------------|----------------|-------------|-------------|----------------|-------------|---------------|--|
|              | U.S.A & Canada | Asia        | Israel      | Arab Countries | Palestine   |               |  |
| January      | 9.8            | 23.1        | 9.0         | 0.9            | 20.8        | 74            |  |
| February     | 8.7            | 18.0        | 9.7         | 1.1            | 29.0        | 76            |  |
| March        | 8.3            | 18.8        | 9.6         | 1.1            | 23.2        | 76            |  |
| April        | 7.6            | 7.6         | 7.8         | 4.8            | 12.3        | 75            |  |
| May          | 7.9            | 16.1        | 12.2        | 0.8            | 20.7        | 76            |  |
| June         | 12.3           | 14.4        | 9.6         | 0.8            | 20.1        | 76            |  |
| July         | 6.4            | 2.4         | 12.4        | 0.9            | 17.4        | 74            |  |
| August       | 4.5            | 1.1         | 37.4        | 1.0            | 19.6        | 79            |  |
| September    | 6.0            | 3.0         | 22.7        | 1.6            | 21.3        | 79            |  |
| October      | 6.4            | 3.3         | 19.1        | 0.9            | 16.7        | 81            |  |
| November     | 10.0           | 6.7         | 12.0        | 2.5            | 14.9        | 81            |  |
| December     | 7.2            | 3.1         | 16.3        | 2.0            | 18.9        | 79            |  |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>8.1</b>     | <b>10.0</b> | <b>14.2</b> | <b>1.6</b>     | <b>19.2</b> |               |  |

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Table 1-5 (Cont.): Percentage Distribution of Guests in Hotels by Nationality and Month, 2006

| Month        | Total      | Nationality            |            |                       |                |                         |  |
|--------------|------------|------------------------|------------|-----------------------|----------------|-------------------------|--|
|              |            | Australia & New Zeland | Africa     | Other European Count. | European Union | Central & South America |  |
| January      | <b>100</b> | 0.6                    | 2.7        | 0.7                   | 32.1           | 0.3                     |  |
| February     | <b>100</b> | 0.2                    | 0.7        | 1.9                   | 30.3           | 0.4                     |  |
| March        | <b>100</b> | 0.1                    | 0.1        | 9.0                   | 19.9           | 9.9                     |  |
| April        | <b>100</b> | 0.2                    | 1.5        | 4.6                   | 53.2           | 0.4                     |  |
| May          | <b>100</b> | 0.1                    | 1.2        | 1.3                   | 38.9           | 0.8                     |  |
| June         | <b>100</b> | 0.3                    | 0.1        | 3.2                   | 38.2           | 1.0                     |  |
| July         | <b>100</b> | 0.4                    | 1.9        | 13.7                  | 43.3           | 1.2                     |  |
| August       | <b>100</b> | 0.3                    | 0.2        | 1.6                   | 27.5           | 6.8                     |  |
| September    | <b>100</b> | 0.4                    | 1.0        | 3.1                   | 25.4           | 15.5                    |  |
| October      | <b>100</b> | 0.2                    | 0.2        | 0.5                   | 36.2           | 16.5                    |  |
| November     | <b>100</b> | 1.4                    | 0.7        | 16.6                  | 33.4           | 1.8                     |  |
| December     | <b>100</b> | 6.6                    | 2.2        | 11.3                  | 25.5           | 6.9                     |  |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>100</b> | <b>0.9</b>             | <b>1.1</b> | <b>5.8</b>            | <b>34.8</b>    | <b>4.3</b>              |  |

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Table 1-6: Distribution of Guest Nights in Hotels by Nationality and Month, 2006

| Month        | Nationality    |              |              |                |              | No. of Hotels |  |
|--------------|----------------|--------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|---------------|--|
|              | U.S.A & Canada | Asia         | Israel       | Arab Countries | Palestine    |               |  |
| January      | 4902           | 8815         | 2244         | 157            | 6644         | 74            |  |
| February     | 4516           | 6470         | 1811         | 256            | 7197         | 76            |  |
| March        | 4065           | 5936         | 1873         | 201            | 5129         | 76            |  |
| April        | 4810           | 4337         | 2267         | 4029           | 4132         | 75            |  |
| May          | 3723           | 8278         | 3422         | 151            | 4682         | 76            |  |
| June         | 5731           | 6323         | 2547         | 126            | 4659         | 76            |  |
| July         | 2774           | 1537         | 3217         | 135            | 4302         | 74            |  |
| August       | 1741           | 590          | 14475        | 179            | 4397         | 79            |  |
| September    | 1654           | 701          | 3052         | 128            | 2078         | 79            |  |
| October      | 2061           | 1374         | 3187         | 139            | 2280         | 81            |  |
| November     | 3676           | 1864         | 2682         | 366            | 3238         | 81            |  |
| December     | 2729           | 1196         | 3825         | 344            | 3571         | 79            |  |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>42382</b>   | <b>47421</b> | <b>44602</b> | <b>6211</b>    | <b>52309</b> |               |  |

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Table 1-6 (Cont.): Distribution of Guest Nights in Hotels by Nationality and Month, 2006

| Month        | Total         | Nationality            |             |                       |                |                         |  |
|--------------|---------------|------------------------|-------------|-----------------------|----------------|-------------------------|--|
|              |               | Australia & New Zeland | Africa      | Other European Count. | European Union | Central & South America |  |
| January      | <b>35777</b>  | 177                    | 767         | 192                   | 11824          | 55                      |  |
| February     | <b>32098</b>  | 59                     | 239         | 778                   | 10591          | 181                     |  |
| March        | <b>30394</b>  | 14                     | 7           | 2290                  | 8895           | 1984                    |  |
| April        | <b>47047</b>  | 131                    | 427         | 1847                  | 24896          | 171                     |  |
| May          | <b>36531</b>  | 20                     | 279         | 252                   | 15550          | 174                     |  |
| June         | <b>36276</b>  | 304                    | 135         | 1386                  | 14838          | 227                     |  |
| July         | <b>33274</b>  | 194                    | 644         | 6439                  | 13479          | 553                     |  |
| August       | <b>32747</b>  | 91                     | 55          | 1014                  | 6976           | 3229                    |  |
| September    | <b>17354</b>  | 64                     | 171         | 1129                  | 5354           | 3023                    |  |
| October      | <b>24297</b>  | 50                     | 78          | 196                   | 10504          | 4428                    |  |
| November     | <b>30546</b>  | 199                    | 178         | 6056                  | 11775          | 512                     |  |
| December     | <b>27262</b>  | 1297                   | 362         | 3842                  | 8298           | 1798                    |  |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>383603</b> | <b>2600</b>            | <b>3342</b> | <b>25421</b>          | <b>142980</b>  | <b>16335</b>            |  |

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2006Table 1-7: Percentage Distribution of Guest Nights in Hotels by Nationality and Month,

| Month        | Nationality    |             |             |                |             | No. of Hotels |  |
|--------------|----------------|-------------|-------------|----------------|-------------|---------------|--|
|              | U.S.A & Canada | Asia        | Israel      | Arab Countries | Palestine   |               |  |
| January      | 13.7           | 24.6        | 6.3         | 0.4            | 18.6        | 74            |  |
| February     | 14.1           | 20.2        | 5.6         | 0.8            | 22.4        | 76            |  |
| March        | 13.4           | 19.5        | 6.2         | 0.7            | 16.9        | 76            |  |
| April        | 10.2           | 9.2         | 4.8         | 8.6            | 8.8         | 75            |  |
| May          | 10.2           | 22.6        | 9.4         | 0.4            | 12.8        | 76            |  |
| June         | 15.9           | 17.4        | 7.0         | 0.3            | 12.8        | 76            |  |
| July         | 8.3            | 4.6         | 9.7         | 0.4            | 12.9        | 74            |  |
| August       | 5.3            | 1.8         | 44.2        | 0.5            | 13.4        | 79            |  |
| September    | 9.5            | 4.0         | 17.6        | 0.7            | 12.0        | 79            |  |
| October      | 8.5            | 5.7         | 13.1        | 0.6            | 9.4         | 81            |  |
| November     | 12.0           | 6.1         | 8.8         | 1.2            | 10.6        | 81            |  |
| December     | 10.0           | 4.4         | 14.0        | 1.3            | 13.1        | 79            |  |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>11.0</b>    | <b>12.4</b> | <b>11.6</b> | <b>1.6</b>     | <b>13.6</b> |               |  |

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Table 1-7(Cont.): Percentage Distribution of Guest Nights in Hotels by Nationality and Month, 2006

| Month        | Total      | Nationality            |            |                       |                |                         |  |
|--------------|------------|------------------------|------------|-----------------------|----------------|-------------------------|--|
|              |            | Australia & New Zeland | Africa     | Other European Count. | European Union | Central & South America |  |
| January      | 100        | 0.5                    | 2.1        | 0.5                   | 33.1           | 0.2                     |  |
| February     | 100        | 0.2                    | 0.7        | 2.4                   | 33.0           | 0.6                     |  |
| March        | 100        | 0.0                    | 0.0        | 7.5                   | 29.3           | 6.5                     |  |
| April        | 100        | 0.3                    | 0.9        | 3.9                   | 52.9           | 0.4                     |  |
| May          | 100        | 0.1                    | 0.8        | 0.7                   | 42.5           | 0.5                     |  |
| June         | 100        | 0.8                    | 0.4        | 3.9                   | 40.9           | 0.6                     |  |
| July         | 100        | 0.6                    | 1.9        | 19.4                  | 40.5           | 1.7                     |  |
| August       | 100        | 0.3                    | 0.2        | 3.1                   | 21.3           | 9.9                     |  |
| September    | 100        | 0.4                    | 1.0        | 6.5                   | 30.9           | 17.4                    |  |
| October      | 100        | 0.2                    | 0.3        | 0.8                   | 43.2           | 18.2                    |  |
| November     | 100        | 0.7                    | 0.6        | 19.8                  | 38.5           | 1.7                     |  |
| December     | 100        | 4.8                    | 1.3        | 14.1                  | 30.4           | 6.6                     |  |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>100</b> | <b>0.7</b>             | <b>0.9</b> | <b>6.6</b>            | <b>37.3</b>    | <b>4.3</b>              |  |

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**Table 1-8: Average Length of Stay per Guest in Hotels by Nationality and Month, 2006 - ( Nights/Guest)**

| Month        | Nationality    |            |            |                |            | No. of Hotels |  |
|--------------|----------------|------------|------------|----------------|------------|---------------|--|
|              | U.S.A & Canada | Asia       | Israel     | Arab Countries | Palestine  |               |  |
| January      | 3.9            | 3.0        | 1.9        | 1.4            | 2.5        | 74            |  |
| February     | 4.6            | 3.2        | 1.6        | 2.0            | 2.2        | 76            |  |
| March        | 4.4            | 2.9        | 1.8        | 1.7            | 2.0        | 76            |  |
| April        | 3.8            | 3.4        | 1.7        | 5.0            | 2.0        | 75            |  |
| May          | 3.2            | 3.5        | 1.9        | 1.2            | 1.5        | 76            |  |
| June         | 3.2            | 3.0        | 1.8        | 1.1            | 1.6        | 76            |  |
| July         | 3.2            | 4.7        | 1.9        | 1.1            | 1.8        | 74            |  |
| August       | 3.1            | 4.2        | 3.1        | 1.4            | 1.8        | 79            |  |
| September    | 3.9            | 3.3        | 1.9        | 1.1            | 1.4        | 79            |  |
| October      | 3.1            | 3.9        | 1.6        | 1.4            | 1.3        | 81            |  |
| November     | 2.8            | 2.1        | 1.7        | 1.1            | 1.6        | 81            |  |
| December     | 2.8            | 2.9        | 1.7        | 1.3            | 1.4        | 79            |  |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>3.5</b>     | <b>3.1</b> | <b>2.1</b> | <b>2.5</b>     | <b>1.8</b> |               |  |

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**Table 1-8 (Cont.): Average Length of Stay per Guest in Hotels by Nationality and Month, 2006 - ( Nights/Guest)**

| Month        | Total      | Nationality            |            |                       |                |                         |  |
|--------------|------------|------------------------|------------|-----------------------|----------------|-------------------------|--|
|              |            | Australia & New Zeland | Africa     | Other European Count. | European Union | Central & South America |  |
| January      | 2.8        | 2.2                    | 2.2        | 2.3                   | 2.9            | 1.7                     |  |
| February     | 2.8        | 2.4                    | 2.5        | 3.7                   | 3.1            | 4.4                     |  |
| March        | 2.8        | 1.4                    | 1.2        | 2.3                   | 4.0            | 1.8                     |  |
| April        | 2.8        | 3.5                    | 1.8        | 2.4                   | 2.8            | 2.6                     |  |
| May          | 2.5        | 1.4                    | 1.6        | 1.4                   | 2.7            | 1.5                     |  |
| June         | 2.5        | 6.6                    | 11.3       | 3.0                   | 2.7            | 1.6                     |  |
| July         | 2.4        | 4.0                    | 2.5        | 3.4                   | 2.3            | 3.5                     |  |
| August       | 2.6        | 2.8                    | 2.3        | 4.9                   | 2.0            | 3.7                     |  |
| September    | 2.4        | 2.3                    | 2.5        | 5.1                   | 3.0            | 2.7                     |  |
| October      | 2.3        | 2.0                    | 3.0        | 3.6                   | 2.8            | 2.6                     |  |
| November     | 2.3        | 1.1                    | 1.9        | 2.8                   | 2.7            | 2.2                     |  |
| December     | 2.0        | 1.4                    | 1.2        | 2.5                   | 2.4            | 1.9                     |  |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>2.5</b> | <b>1.8</b>             | <b>2.0</b> | <b>2.9</b>            | <b>2.7</b>     | <b>2.5</b>              |  |

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**Table 2-1: Main Indicators for Hotel Activities in the Palestinian Territory by Region and Quarter, 2006**

| Region/Quarter               | **<br>No. of<br>Nights** | **<br>No. of<br>Guests** | Average No. of<br>Beds | Average No. of<br>Rooms | *<br>No. of<br>Hotels* | /          |
|------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|------------|
| <b>Palestinian Territory</b> | <b>383603</b>            | <b>151801</b>            | <b>8429</b>            | <b>3897</b>             | <b>79</b>              |            |
| <b>I</b>                     | <b>98269</b>             | <b>35322</b>             | <b>7813</b>            | <b>3657</b>             | <b>76</b>              | <b>I</b>   |
| <b>II</b>                    | <b>119854</b>            | <b>45929</b>             | <b>8236</b>            | <b>3788</b>             | <b>76</b>              | <b>II</b>  |
| <b>III</b>                   | <b>83375</b>             | <b>33388</b>             | <b>8608</b>            | <b>3978</b>             | <b>79</b>              | <b>III</b> |
| <b>IV</b>                    | <b>82105</b>             | <b>37162</b>             | <b>9059</b>            | <b>4163</b>             | <b>79</b>              | <b>IV</b>  |
| <b>North of West Bank</b>    | 8693                     | 4428                     | 262                    | 111                     | 7                      |            |
| <b>I</b>                     | 2834                     | 994                      | 264                    | 112                     | 7                      | <b>I</b>   |
| <b>II</b>                    | 2052                     | 1119                     | 264                    | 112                     | 7                      | <b>II</b>  |
| <b>III</b>                   | 2034                     | 1095                     | 255                    | 108                     | 7                      | <b>III</b> |
| <b>IV</b>                    | 1773                     | 1220                     | 264                    | 112                     | 7                      | <b>IV</b>  |
| <b>Middle of West Bank</b>   | 53295                    | 31958                    | 1981                   | 853                     | 19                     |            |
| <b>I</b>                     | 16902                    | 7625                     | 1722                   | 760                     | 19                     | <b>I</b>   |
| <b>II</b>                    | 17299                    | 11088                    | 2050                   | 879                     | 19                     | <b>II</b>  |
| <b>III</b>                   | 7985                     | 4949                     | 2065                   | 880                     | 18                     | <b>III</b> |
| <b>IV</b>                    | 11109                    | 8296                     | 2087                   | 892                     | 19                     | <b>IV</b>  |
| <b>Jerusalem</b>             | 224633                   | 80000                    | 2260                   | 1007                    | 22                     |            |
| <b>I</b>                     | 57588                    | 18779                    | 1939                   | 869                     | 18                     | <b>I</b>   |
| <b>II</b>                    | 65717                    | 21550                    | 1983                   | 869                     | 18                     | <b>II</b>  |
| <b>III</b>                   | 49935                    | 20452                    | 2361                   | 1081                    | 23                     | <b>III</b> |
| <b>IV</b>                    | 51393                    | 19219                    | 2758                   | 1209                    | 22                     | <b>IV</b>  |
| <b>South of West Bank</b>    | 88915                    | 32716                    | 3139                   | 1496                    | 20                     |            |
| <b>I</b>                     | 18559                    | 7067                     | 3085                   | 1474                    | 19                     | <b>I</b>   |
| <b>II</b>                    | 32790                    | 11567                    | 3112                   | 1486                    | 19                     | <b>II</b>  |
| <b>III</b>                   | 21086                    | 6198                     | 3141                   | 1489                    | 19                     | <b>III</b> |
| <b>IV</b>                    | 16480                    | 7884                     | 3218                   | 1535                    | 20                     | <b>IV</b>  |
| <b>Gaza Strip</b>            | 8067                     | 2699                     | 787                    | 430                     | 11                     |            |
| <b>I</b>                     | 2386                     | 857                      | 803                    | 442                     | 13                     | <b>I</b>   |
| <b>II</b>                    | 1996                     | 605                      | 827                    | 442                     | 13                     | <b>II</b>  |
| <b>III</b>                   | 2335                     | 694                      | 786                    | 420                     | 12                     | <b>III</b> |
| <b>IV</b>                    | 1350                     | 543                      | 733                    | 414                     | 11                     | <b>IV</b>  |

\* At the end of the quarter

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\*\* Represents the total of quarter months

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Table 2-1 (Cont.): Main Indicators for Hotel Activities in the Palestinian Territory by Region and Quarter, 2006

| Region/Quarter               | Bed Occupancy |                      | Room Occupancy |                      | ( )<br>Average<br>length<br>of Stay<br>(Night) | /   |
|------------------------------|---------------|----------------------|----------------|----------------------|------------------------------------------------|-----|
|                              | %<br>Rate%    | Average<br>Occupancy | %<br>Rate%     | Average<br>Occupancy |                                                |     |
| <b>Palestinian Territory</b> | <b>12.5</b>   | <b>1051.0</b>        | <b>15.8</b>    | <b>616.4</b>         | <b>2.5</b>                                     |     |
| I                            | 3.4           | 269.2                | 4.4            | 162.4                | 2.8                                            | I   |
| II                           | 4.0           | 328.4                | 5.1            | 193.2                | 2.6                                            | II  |
| III                          | 2.7           | 228.4                | 3.5            | 137.3                | 2.5                                            | III |
| IV                           | 2.5           | 224.9                | 3.0            | 123.5                | 2.2                                            | IV  |
| <b>North of West Bank</b>    | 9.1           | 23.8                 | 14.6           | 16.3                 | 2.0                                            |     |
| I                            | 11.9          | 31.5                 | 20.1           | 22.6                 | 2.9                                            | I   |
| II                           | 8.5           | 22.5                 | 14.2           | 15.9                 | 1.8                                            | II  |
| III                          | 8.7           | 22.1                 | 13.5           | 14.6                 | 1.9                                            | III |
| IV                           | 7.3           | 19.3                 | 10.8           | 12.1                 | 1.5                                            | IV  |
| <b>Middle of West Bank</b>   | 7.4           | 146.0                | 11.0           | 93.8                 | 1.7                                            |     |
| I                            | 10.9          | 187.8                | 15.4           | 116.9                | 2.2                                            | I   |
| II                           | 9.3           | 190.1                | 12.5           | 109.9                | 1.6                                            | II  |
| III                          | 4.2           | 86.8                 | 6.9            | 60.6                 | 1.6                                            | III |
| IV                           | 5.8           | 120.8                | 9.9            | 88.5                 | 1.3                                            | IV  |
| <b>Jerusalem</b>             | 27.2          | 615.4                | 36.5           | 368.0                | 2.8                                            |     |
| I                            | 33.0          | 639.9                | 44.9           | 390.1                | 3.1                                            | I   |
| II                           | 36.4          | 722.2                | 51.1           | 443.6                | 3.0                                            | II  |
| III                          | 23.0          | 542.8                | 30.9           | 334.5                | 2.4                                            | III |
| IV                           | 20.3          | 558.6                | 25.2           | 305.1                | 2.7                                            | IV  |
| <b>South of West Bank</b>    | 7.8           | 243.6                | 8.8            | 131.3                | 2.7                                            |     |
| I                            | 6.7           | 206.2                | 8.1            | 120.1                | 2.6                                            | I   |
| II                           | 11.6          | 360.3                | 13.4           | 199.3                | 2.8                                            | II  |
| III                          | 7.3           | 229.2                | 8.6            | 128.4                | 3.4                                            | III |
| IV                           | 5.6           | 179.1                | 5.1            | 77.9                 | 2.1                                            | IV  |
| <b>Gaza Strip</b>            | 2.8           | 22.1                 | 1.6            | 7.0                  | 3.0                                            |     |
| I                            | 3.3           | 26.5                 | 2.1            | 9.2                  | 2.8                                            | I   |
| II                           | 2.7           | 21.9                 | 1.4            | 6.2                  | 3.3                                            | II  |
| III                          | 3.2           | 25.4                 | 1.6            | 6.6                  | 3.4                                            | III |
| IV                           | 2.0           | 14.7                 | 1.5            | 6.2                  | 2.5                                            | IV  |

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Table 2-2: Average Number of Hotel Rooms by Capacity, Region and Quarter, 2006

| Region/Quarter               | Total       | Capacity  |            |           |            |             |            | I   |
|------------------------------|-------------|-----------|------------|-----------|------------|-------------|------------|-----|
|                              |             | Other     | Suits      | Quadruple | Triple     | Double      | Single     |     |
| <b>Palestinian Territory</b> | <b>3897</b> | <b>34</b> | <b>242</b> | <b>98</b> | <b>396</b> | <b>2613</b> | <b>513</b> |     |
| I                            | 3657        | 37        | 244        | 63        | 381        | 2460        | 472        | I   |
| II                           | 3788        | 31        | 244        | 110       | 395        | 2520        | 489        | II  |
| III                          | 3978        | 37        | 243        | 105       | 388        | 2658        | 547        | III |
| IV                           | 4163        | 31        | 238        | 114       | 419        | 2815        | 545        | IV  |
| <b>North of West Bank</b>    | 111         | 0         | 12         | 9         | 9          | 68          | 13         |     |
| I                            | 112         | 0         | 12         | 9         | 9          | 69          | 13         | I   |
| II                           | 112         | 0         | 12         | 9         | 9          | 69          | 13         | II  |
| III                          | 108         | 0         | 12         | 9         | 8          | 66          | 13         | III |
| IV                           | 112         | 0         | 12         | 9         | 9          | 69          | 13         | IV  |
| <b>Middle of West Bank</b>   | 853         | 5         | 47         | 40        | 121        | 530         | 110        |     |
| I                            | 760         | 4         | 47         | 5         | 109        | 492         | 103        | I   |
| II                           | 879         | 4         | 46         | 52        | 124        | 540         | 113        | II  |
| III                          | 880         | 7         | 48         | 51        | 124        | 537         | 112        | III |
| IV                           | 892         | 6         | 48         | 51        | 125        | 551         | 112        | IV  |
| <b>Jerusalem</b>             | 1007        | 25        | 56         | 16        | 121        | 675         | 114        |     |
| I                            | 869         | 25        | 57         | 15        | 116        | 571         | 85         | I   |
| II                           | 869         | 25        | 57         | 15        | 116        | 571         | 85         | II  |
| III                          | 1081        | 27        | 57         | 15        | 122        | 709         | 151        | III |
| IV                           | 1209        | 23        | 54         | 20        | 130        | 850         | 133        | IV  |
| <b>South of West Bank</b>    | 1496        | 4         | 68         | 33        | 132        | 1076        | 184        |     |
| I                            | 1474        | 8         | 67         | 34        | 133        | 1052        | 180        | I   |
| II                           | 1486        | 2         | 68         | 34        | 131        | 1064        | 187        | II  |
| III                          | 1489        | 2         | 68         | 30        | 120        | 1089        | 180        | III |
| IV                           | 1535        | 2         | 68         | 35        | 143        | 1097        | 189        | IV  |
| <b>Gaza Strip</b>            | 430         | 0         | 59         | 0         | 14         | 264         | 93         |     |
| I                            | 442         | 0         | 61         | 0         | 14         | 276         | 91         | I   |
| II                           | 442         | 0         | 61         | 0         | 14         | 276         | 91         | II  |
| III                          | 420         | 0         | 58         | 0         | 14         | 257         | 91         | III |
| IV                           | 414         | 0         | 56         | 0         | 12         | 248         | 98         | IV  |

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Table 2-3: Number of Hotels and Rooms by Facilities and Region as of December, 2006

| Region                       | Rooms Facilities |               |             |                  |             |             |              |             | Total No. of Rooms | No. of Hotels |
|------------------------------|------------------|---------------|-------------|------------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|--------------------|---------------|
|                              | Internet         | Air Condition | Heaters     | Private Bathroom | Radio       | Telephone   | Refrigerator | T.V         |                    |               |
| <b>Palestinian Territory</b> | <b>1192</b>      | <b>3573</b>   | <b>3896</b> | <b>3941</b>      | <b>1377</b> | <b>3839</b> | <b>2519</b>  | <b>3429</b> | <b>4140</b>        | <b>79</b>     |
| North of West Bank           | 0                | 73            | 93          | 93               | 0           | 93          | 93           | 93          | 112                | 7             |
| Middle of West Bank          | 333              | 758           | 855         | 856              | 181         | 846         | 748          | 855         | 892                | 19            |
| Jerusalem                    | 319              | 1029          | 1058        | 1054             | 598         | 1035        | 426          | 848         | 1191               | 22            |
| South of West Bank           | 423              | 1387          | 1542        | 1542             | 582         | 1484        | 957          | 1271        | 1542               | 20            |
| Gaza Strip                   | 117              | 326           | 348         | 396              | 16          | 381         | 295          | 362         | 403                | 11            |

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Table 2-4: Public Utilities Available in Hotels by Region as of December, 2006

| Region                       | Conference Halls |            | Restaurants  |            | No. of Hotels |
|------------------------------|------------------|------------|--------------|------------|---------------|
|                              | Capacity         | Number     | Capacity     | Number     |               |
| <b>Palestinian Territory</b> | <b>17479</b>     | <b>174</b> | <b>20036</b> | <b>106</b> | <b>79</b>     |
| North of West Bank           | 570              | 5          | 3088         | 8          | 7             |
| Middle of West Bank          | 4160             | 31         | 3552         | 25         | 19            |
| Jerusalem                    | 1710             | 82         | 2473         | 24         | 22            |
| South of West Bank           | 8784             | 36         | 7698         | 33         | 20            |
| Gaza Strip                   | 2255             | 20         | 3225         | 16         | 11            |

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Table 2-4 (Cont.): Public Utilities Available in Hotels by Region as of December, 2006

| Region                       | No. of Playgrounds/Sport Halls | No. of swimming Pools | No. of Lifts | Parking           |                 |
|------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------|-------------------|-----------------|
|                              |                                |                       |              | السعة<br>Capacity | العدد<br>Number |
| <b>Palestinian Territory</b> | <b>37</b>                      | <b>14</b>             | <b>90</b>    | <b>2676</b>       | <b>76</b>       |
| North of West Bank           | 0                              | 0                     | 4            | 36                | 4               |
| Middle of West Bank          | 6                              | 10                    | 32           | 1163              | 31              |
| Jerusalem                    | 1                              | 1                     | 17           | 215               | 12              |
| South of West Bank           | 25                             | 0                     | 25           | 1085              | 22              |
| Gaza Strip                   | 5                              | 3                     | 12           | 177               | 7               |

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**Table 2-5: Average Number of Persons Engaged in Hotels by Type of Work, Sex, Region and Quarter, 2006**

| Region/Quarter               | Total      |             | Operation  |            | Administration |            | *<br>No. of<br>Hotels * | /   |
|------------------------------|------------|-------------|------------|------------|----------------|------------|-------------------------|-----|
|                              | Female     | Male        | Female     | Male       | Female         | Male       |                         |     |
| <b>Palestinian Territory</b> | <b>174</b> | <b>1155</b> | <b>128</b> | <b>932</b> | <b>46</b>      | <b>223</b> | <b>79</b>               |     |
| I                            | 170        | 1146        | 124        | 929        | 46             | 218        | 76                      | I   |
| II                           | 173        | 1192        | 129        | 965        | 44             | 226        | 76                      | II  |
| III                          | 177        | 1152        | 129        | 929        | 47             | 222        | 79                      | III |
| IV                           | 178        | 1132        | 132        | 906        | 46             | 226        | 79                      | IV  |
| <b>North of West Bank</b>    | 7          | 44          | 4          | 30         | 3              | 14         | 7                       |     |
| I                            | 7          | 44          | 4          | 30         | 3              | 14         | 7                       | I   |
| II                           | 7          | 44          | 4          | 30         | 3              | 14         | 7                       | II  |
| III                          | 7          | 43          | 4          | 30         | 3              | 13         | 7                       | III |
| IV                           | 7          | 44          | 4          | 30         | 3              | 14         | 7                       | IV  |
| <b>Middle of West Bank</b>   | 55         | 344         | 44         | 293        | 11             | 51         | 19                      |     |
| I                            | 51         | 313         | 40         | 267        | 11             | 46         | 19                      | I   |
| II                           | 56         | 356         | 46         | 303        | 10             | 52         | 19                      | II  |
| III                          | 56         | 351         | 45         | 299        | 11             | 52         | 18                      | III |
| IV                           | 56         | 356         | 45         | 303        | 11             | 53         | 19                      | IV  |
| <b>Jerusalem</b>             | 46         | 322         | 32         | 261        | 14             | 61         | 22                      |     |
| I                            | 45         | 301         | 32         | 244        | 13             | 57         | 18                      | I   |
| II                           | 45         | 301         | 32         | 244        | 13             | 57         | 18                      | II  |
| III                          | 46         | 324         | 32         | 262        | 14             | 62         | 23                      | III |
| IV                           | 49         | 360         | 34         | 292        | 15             | 68         | 22                      | IV  |
| <b>South of West Bank</b>    | 50         | 170         | 40         | 126        | 10             | 45         | 20                      |     |
| I                            | 50         | 165         | 40         | 123        | 10             | 43         | 19                      | I   |
| II                           | 49         | 168         | 39         | 123        | 10             | 45         | 19                      | II  |
| III                          | 51         | 174         | 40         | 128        | 10             | 46         | 19                      | III |
| IV                           | 51         | 174         | 41         | 128        | 10             | 46         | 20                      | IV  |
| <b>Gaza Strip</b>            | 16         | 276         | 8          | 223        | 8              | 53         | 11                      |     |
| I                            | 17         | 323         | 8          | 265        | 9              | 58         | 13                      | I   |
| II                           | 16         | 323         | 8          | 265        | 8              | 58         | 13                      | II  |
| III                          | 17         | 260         | 8          | 210        | 9              | 49         | 12                      | III |
| IV                           | 15         | 198         | 8          | 153        | 7              | 45         | 11                      | IV  |

\*Represents No. of hotels at the end of the quarter

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Table 2-6: Distribution of Guests in Hotels by Nationality, Region and Quarter, 2006

| Region/Quarter               | Nationality       |              |              |                   |              | *<br>No. of<br>Hotels * | I   |
|------------------------------|-------------------|--------------|--------------|-------------------|--------------|-------------------------|-----|
|                              | U.S.A &<br>Canada | Asia         | Israel       | Arab<br>Countries | Palestine    |                         |     |
| <b>Palestinian Territory</b> | <b>12230</b>      | <b>15166</b> | <b>21620</b> | <b>2472</b>       | <b>29185</b> | <b>79</b>               |     |
| I                            | 3174              | 7102         | 3322         | 363               | 8544         | 76                      | I   |
| II                           | 4222              | 5736         | 4489         | 1046              | 8020         | 76                      | II  |
| III                          | 1866              | 678          | 8028         | 365               | 6358         | 79                      | III |
| IV                           | 2968              | 1650         | 5781         | 698               | 6263         | 79                      | IV  |
| <b>North of West Bank</b>    | 160               | 36           | 86           | 39                | 3524         | 7                       |     |
| I                            | 38                | 14           | 28           | 15                | 738          | 7                       | I   |
| II                           | 47                | 4            | 20           | 15                | 881          | 7                       | II  |
| III                          | 27                | 6            | 21           | 1                 | 916          | 7                       | III |
| IV                           | 48                | 12           | 17           | 8                 | 989          | 7                       | IV  |
| <b>Middle of West Bank</b>   | 2054              | 620          | 1455         | 1497              | 19333        | 19                      |     |
| I                            | 259               | 106          | 190          | 234               | 6404         | 19                      | I   |
| II                           | 832               | 327          | 122          | 285               | 5273         | 19                      | II  |
| III                          | 291               | 8            | 146          | 320               | 3785         | 18                      | III |
| IV                           | 672               | 179          | 997          | 658               | 3871         | 19                      | IV  |
| <b>Jerusalem</b>             | 7972              | 12068        | 16419        | 207               | 102          | 22                      |     |
| I                            | 2215              | 6581         | 2911         | 68                | 2            | 18                      | I   |
| II                           | 2573              | 4200         | 4068         | 111               | 8            | 18                      | II  |
| III                          | 1253              | 492          | 5863         | 21                | 92           | 23                      | III |
| IV                           | 1931              | 795          | 3577         | 7                 | 0            | 22                      | IV  |
| <b>South of West Bank</b>    | 1498              | 2353         | 3608         | 665               | 5603         | 20                      |     |
| I                            | 513               | 370          | 188          | 14                | 1122         | 19                      | I   |
| II                           | 632               | 1184         | 274          | 626               | 1696         | 19                      | II  |
| III                          | 116               | 147          | 1986         | 13                | 1461         | 19                      | III |
| IV                           | 237               | 652          | 1160         | 12                | 1324         | 20                      | IV  |
| <b>Gaza Strip</b>            | 546               | 89           | 52           | 64                | 623          | 11                      |     |
| I                            | 149               | 31           | 5            | 32                | 278          | 13                      | I   |
| II                           | 138               | 21           | 5            | 9                 | 162          | 13                      | II  |
| III                          | 179               | 25           | 12           | 10                | 104          | 12                      | III |
| IV                           | 80                | 12           | 30           | 13                | 79           | 11                      | IV  |

\* Represents No. of hotels at the end of the quarter

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Table 2-6 (Cont.): Distribution of Guests in Hotels by Nationality, Region and Quarter, 2006

| Region/Quarter               | Total         | Nationality            |             |                       |                |                         | I   |
|------------------------------|---------------|------------------------|-------------|-----------------------|----------------|-------------------------|-----|
|                              |               | Australia & New Zeland | Africa      | Other European Count. | European Union | Central & South America |     |
| <b>Palestinian Territory</b> | <b>151801</b> | <b>1429</b>            | <b>1643</b> | <b>8788</b>           | <b>52770</b>   | <b>6498</b>             |     |
| I                            | 35322         | 117                    | 442         | 1294                  | 9792           | 1172                    | I   |
| II                           | 45929         | 97                     | 433         | 1402                  | 20166          | 318                     | II  |
| III                          | 33388         | 108                    | 349         | 2312                  | 11192          | 2132                    | III |
| IV                           | 37162         | 1107                   | 419         | 3780                  | 11620          | 2876                    | IV  |
| <b>North of West Bank</b>    | <b>4428</b>   | 7                      | 2           | 14                    | 547            | 13                      |     |
| I                            | 994           | 3                      | 0           | 4                     | 150            | 4                       | I   |
| II                           | 1119          | 2                      | 0           | 6                     | 138            | 6                       | II  |
| III                          | 1095          | 1                      | 2           | 4                     | 117            | 0                       | III |
| IV                           | 1220          | 1                      | 0           | 0                     | 142            | 3                       | IV  |
| <b>Middle of West Bank</b>   | <b>31958</b>  | 405                    | 184         | 1372                  | 4410           | 628                     |     |
| I                            | 7625          | 32                     | 4           | 37                    | 327            | 32                      | I   |
| II                           | 11088         | 7                      | 4           | 958                   | 3138           | 142                     | II  |
| III                          | 4949          | 14                     | 9           | 63                    | 168            | 145                     | III |
| IV                           | 8296          | 352                    | 167         | 314                   | 777            | 309                     | IV  |
| <b>Jerusalem</b>             | <b>80000</b>  | 928                    | 1370        | 5406                  | 30854          | 4674                    |     |
| I                            | 18779         | 61                     | 434         | 56                    | 6370           | 81                      | I   |
| II                           | 21550         | 54                     | 427         | 60                    | 9913           | 136                     | II  |
| III                          | 20452         | 67                     | 263         | 1865                  | 8569           | 1967                    | III |
| IV                           | 19219         | 746                    | 246         | 3425                  | 6002           | 2490                    | IV  |
| <b>South of West Bank</b>    | <b>32716</b>  | 23                     | 73          | 1872                  | 15856          | 1165                    |     |
| I                            | 7067          | 3                      | 0           | 1164                  | 2644           | 1049                    | I   |
| II                           | 11567         | 18                     | 0           | 376                   | 6730           | 31                      | II  |
| III                          | 6198          | 1                      | 71          | 322                   | 2061           | 20                      | III |
| IV                           | 7884          | 1                      | 2           | 10                    | 4421           | 65                      | IV  |
| <b>Gaza Strip</b>            | <b>2699</b>   | 66                     | 14          | 124                   | 1103           | 18                      |     |
| I                            | 857           | 18                     | 4           | 33                    | 301            | 6                       | I   |
| II                           | 605           | 16                     | 2           | 2                     | 247            | 3                       | II  |
| III                          | 694           | 25                     | 4           | 58                    | 277            | 0                       | III |
| IV                           | 543           | 7                      | 4           | 31                    | 278            | 9                       | IV  |

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Table 2-7: Percentage Distribution of Guests in Hotels by Nationality, Region and Quarter, 2006

| Region/Quarter               | Nationality       |      |        |                   |           | *<br>No. of<br>Hotels * | /   |
|------------------------------|-------------------|------|--------|-------------------|-----------|-------------------------|-----|
|                              | U.S.A &<br>Canada | Asia | Israel | Arab<br>Countries | Palestine |                         |     |
| <b>Palestinian Territory</b> | 8.1               | 10.0 | 14.2   | 1.6               | 19.2      | 79                      |     |
| I                            | 9.0               | 20.1 | 9.4    | 1.0               | 24.2      | 76                      | I   |
| II                           | 9.2               | 12.5 | 9.8    | 2.3               | 17.5      | 76                      | II  |
| III                          | 5.6               | 2.0  | 24.0   | 1.1               | 19.0      | 79                      | III |
| IV                           | 8.0               | 4.4  | 15.6   | 1.9               | 16.9      | 79                      | IV  |
| <b>North of West Bank</b>    | 3.6               | 0.8  | 1.9    | 0.9               | 79.6      | 7                       |     |
| I                            | 3.8               | 1.4  | 2.8    | 1.5               | 74.2      | 7                       | I   |
| II                           | 4.2               | 0.4  | 1.8    | 1.3               | 78.7      | 7                       | II  |
| III                          | 2.5               | 0.5  | 1.9    | 0.1               | 83.7      | 7                       | III |
| IV                           | 3.9               | 1.0  | 1.4    | 0.7               | 81.1      | 7                       | IV  |
| <b>Middle of West Bank</b>   | 6.4               | 1.9  | 4.6    | 4.7               | 60.5      | 19                      |     |
| I                            | 3.4               | 1.4  | 2.5    | 3.1               | 84.0      | 19                      | I   |
| II                           | 7.5               | 2.9  | 1.1    | 2.6               | 47.6      | 19                      | II  |
| III                          | 5.9               | 0.2  | 3.0    | 6.5               | 76.5      | 18                      | III |
| IV                           | 8.1               | 2.2  | 12.0   | 7.9               | 46.7      | 19                      | IV  |
| <b>Jerusalem</b>             | 10.0              | 15.1 | 20.5   | 0.3               | 0.1       | 22                      |     |
| I                            | 11.8              | 35.0 | 15.5   | 0.4               | 0.0       | 18                      | I   |
| II                           | 11.9              | 19.5 | 18.9   | 0.5               | 0.0       | 18                      | II  |
| III                          | 6.1               | 2.4  | 28.7   | 0.1               | 0.4       | 23                      | III |
| IV                           | 10.0              | 4.1  | 18.6   | 0.0               | 0.0       | 22                      | IV  |
| <b>South of West Bank</b>    | 4.6               | 7.2  | 11.0   | 2.0               | 17.1      | 20                      |     |
| I                            | 7.3               | 5.2  | 2.7    | 0.2               | 15.9      | 19                      | I   |
| II                           | 5.5               | 10.2 | 2.4    | 5.4               | 14.7      | 19                      | II  |
| III                          | 1.9               | 2.4  | 32.0   | 0.2               | 23.6      | 19                      | III |
| IV                           | 3.0               | 8.3  | 14.7   | 0.2               | 16.8      | 20                      | IV  |
| <b>Gaza Strip</b>            | 20.2              | 3.3  | 1.9    | 2.4               | 23.1      | 11                      |     |
| I                            | 17.4              | 3.6  | 0.6    | 3.7               | 32.4      | 13                      | I   |
| II                           | 22.8              | 3.5  | 0.8    | 1.5               | 26.8      | 13                      | II  |
| III                          | 25.8              | 3.6  | 1.7    | 1.4               | 15.0      | 12                      | III |
| IV                           | 14.7              | 2.2  | 5.5    | 2.4               | 14.5      | 11                      | IV  |

\* Represents No. of hotels at the end of the quarter

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Table 2-7(Cont.): Percentage Distribution of Guests in Hotels by Nationality, Region and Quarter, 2006

| Region/Quarter               | Total      | Nationality            |            |                       |                |                         | I   |
|------------------------------|------------|------------------------|------------|-----------------------|----------------|-------------------------|-----|
|                              |            | Australia & New Zeland | Africa     | Other European Count. | European Union | Central & South America |     |
| <b>Palestinian Territory</b> | <b>100</b> | <b>0.9</b>             | <b>1.1</b> | <b>5.8</b>            | <b>34.8</b>    | <b>4.3</b>              |     |
| I                            | 100        | 0.3                    | 1.3        | 3.7                   | 27.7           | 3.3                     | I   |
| II                           | 100        | 0.2                    | 0.9        | 3.1                   | 43.8           | 0.7                     | II  |
| III                          | 100        | 0.3                    | 1.1        | 6.9                   | 33.6           | 6.4                     | III |
| IV                           | 100        | 3.0                    | 1.1        | 10.2                  | 31.2           | 7.7                     | IV  |
| <b>North of West Bank</b>    | <b>100</b> | 0.2                    | 0.0        | 0.3                   | 12.4           | 0.3                     |     |
| I                            | 100        | 0.3                    | 0.0        | 0.4                   | 15.2           | 0.4                     | I   |
| II                           | 100        | 0.2                    | 0.0        | 0.5                   | 12.4           | 0.5                     | II  |
| III                          | 100        | 0.1                    | 0.2        | 0.4                   | 10.6           | 0.0                     | III |
| IV                           | 100        | 0.1                    | 0.0        | 0.0                   | 11.6           | 0.2                     | IV  |
| <b>Middle of West Bank</b>   | <b>100</b> | 1.3                    | 0.6        | 4.3                   | 13.7           | 2.0                     |     |
| I                            | 100        | 0.4                    | 0.1        | 0.5                   | 4.2            | 0.4                     | I   |
| II                           | 100        | 0.1                    | 0.0        | 8.6                   | 28.3           | 1.3                     | II  |
| III                          | 100        | 0.3                    | 0.2        | 1.3                   | 3.3            | 2.8                     | III |
| IV                           | 100        | 4.2                    | 2.0        | 3.8                   | 9.4            | 3.7                     | IV  |
| <b>Jerusalem</b>             | <b>100</b> | 1.2                    | 1.7        | 6.8                   | 38.5           | 5.8                     |     |
| I                            | 100        | 0.3                    | 2.3        | 0.3                   | 33.9           | 0.5                     | I   |
| II                           | 100        | 0.3                    | 2.0        | 0.3                   | 46.0           | 0.6                     | II  |
| III                          | 100        | 0.3                    | 1.3        | 9.1                   | 42.0           | 9.6                     | III |
| IV                           | 100        | 3.9                    | 1.3        | 17.8                  | 31.3           | 13.0                    | IV  |
| <b>South of West Bank</b>    | <b>100</b> | 0.1                    | 0.2        | 5.7                   | 48.5           | 3.6                     |     |
| I                            | 100        | 0.0                    | 0.0        | 16.5                  | 37.4           | 14.8                    | I   |
| II                           | 100        | 0.2                    | 0.0        | 3.2                   | 58.1           | 0.3                     | II  |
| III                          | 100        | 0.0                    | 1.1        | 5.2                   | 33.3           | 0.3                     | III |
| IV                           | 100        | 0.0                    | 0.0        | 0.1                   | 56.1           | 0.8                     | IV  |
| <b>Gaza Strip</b>            | <b>100</b> | 2.4                    | 0.5        | 4.6                   | 40.9           | 0.7                     |     |
| I                            | 100        | 2.1                    | 0.5        | 3.9                   | 35.1           | 0.7                     | I   |
| II                           | 100        | 2.6                    | 0.3        | 0.3                   | 40.9           | 0.5                     | II  |
| III                          | 100        | 3.6                    | 0.6        | 8.4                   | 39.9           | 0.0                     | III |
| IV                           | 100        | 1.3                    | 0.7        | 5.7                   | 51.3           | 1.7                     | IV  |

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Table 2-8: Distribution of Guest Nights in Hotels by Nationality, Region and Quarter, 2006

| Region/Quarter               | Nationality       |              |              |                   |              | No. of<br>Hotels * | /   |
|------------------------------|-------------------|--------------|--------------|-------------------|--------------|--------------------|-----|
|                              | U.S.A &<br>Canada | Asia         | Israel       | Arab<br>Countries | Palestine    |                    |     |
| <b>Palestinian Territory</b> | <b>42382</b>      | <b>47421</b> | <b>44602</b> | <b>6211</b>       | <b>52309</b> | <b>79</b>          |     |
| I                            | 13483             | 21221        | 5928         | 614               | 18970        | 76                 | I   |
| II                           | 14264             | 18938        | 8236         | 4306              | 13473        | 76                 | II  |
| III                          | 6169              | 2828         | 20744        | 442               | 10777        | 79                 | III |
| IV                           | 8466              | 4434         | 9694         | 849               | 9089         | 79                 | IV  |
| <b>North of West Bank</b>    | 368               | 183          | 208          | 73                | 6350         | 7                  |     |
| I                            | 126               | 149          | 78           | 38                | 1748         | 7                  | I   |
| II                           | 113               | 6            | 50           | 19                | 1595         | 7                  | II  |
| III                          | 50                | 12           | 58           | 1                 | 1654         | 7                  | III |
| IV                           | 79                | 16           | 22           | 15                | 1353         | 7                  | IV  |
| <b>Middle of West Bank</b>   | 4104              | 665          | 1834         | 1717              | 34545        | 19                 |     |
| I                            | 724               | 107          | 242          | 293               | 14555        | 19                 | I   |
| II                           | 1738              | 332          | 267          | 319               | 8576         | 19                 | II  |
| III                          | 658               | 24           | 218          | 358               | 5874         | 18                 | III |
| IV                           | 984               | 202          | 1107         | 747               | 5540         | 19                 | IV  |
| <b>Jerusalem</b>             | 30951             | 38963        | 31091        | 272               | 354          | 22                 |     |
| I                            | 9977              | 19606        | 5304         | 106               | 3            | 18                 | I   |
| II                           | 9774              | 14727        | 7540         | 136               | 8            | 18                 | II  |
| III                          | 4582              | 2129         | 11465        | 21                | 343          | 23                 | III |
| IV                           | 6618              | 2501         | 6782         | 9                 | 0            | 22                 | IV  |
| <b>South of West Bank</b>    | 5113              | 7388         | 11376        | 4006              | 9420         | 20                 |     |
| I                            | 2087              | 1282         | 298          | 118               | 1957         | 19                 | I   |
| II                           | 2223              | 3827         | 352          | 3812              | 2756         | 19                 | II  |
| III                          | 209               | 585          | 8988         | 39                | 2672         | 19                 | III |
| IV                           | 594               | 1694         | 1738         | 37                | 2035         | 20                 | IV  |
| <b>Gaza Strip</b>            | 1846              | 222          | 93           | 143               | 1640         | 11                 |     |
| I                            | 569               | 77           | 6            | 59                | 707          | 13                 | I   |
| II                           | 416               | 46           | 27           | 20                | 538          | 13                 | II  |
| III                          | 670               | 78           | 15           | 23                | 234          | 12                 | III |
| IV                           | 191               | 21           | 45           | 41                | 161          | 11                 | IV  |

\* Represents No. of hotels at the end of the quarter.

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Table 2-8 (Cont.): Distribution of Guest Nights in Hotels by Nationality, Region and Quarter, 2006

| Region/Quarter               | Total         | Nationality            |             |                       |                |                         | I   |
|------------------------------|---------------|------------------------|-------------|-----------------------|----------------|-------------------------|-----|
|                              |               | Australia & New Zeland | Africa      | Other European Count. | European Union | Central & South America |     |
| <b>Palestinian Territory</b> | <b>383603</b> | <b>2600</b>            | <b>3342</b> | <b>25421</b>          | <b>142980</b>  | <b>16335</b>            |     |
| I                            | 98269         | 250                    | 1013        | 3260                  | 31310          | 2220                    | I   |
| II                           | 119854        | 455                    | 841         | 3485                  | 55284          | 572                     | II  |
| III                          | 83375         | 349                    | 870         | 8582                  | 25809          | 6805                    | III |
| IV                           | 82105         | 1546                   | 618         | 10094                 | 30577          | 6738                    | IV  |
| <b>North of West Bank</b>    | 8693          | 35                     | 2           | 23                    | 1411           | 40                      |     |
| I                            | 2834          | 31                     | 0           | 12                    | 645            | 7                       | I   |
| II                           | 2052          | 2                      | 0           | 6                     | 231            | 30                      | II  |
| III                          | 2034          | 1                      | 2           | 5                     | 251            | 0                       | III |
| IV                           | 1773          | 1                      | 0           | 0                     | 284            | 3                       | IV  |
| <b>Middle of West Bank</b>   | 53295         | 509                    | 252         | 1979                  | 6776           | 914                     |     |
| I                            | 16902         | 65                     | 6           | 50                    | 816            | 44                      | I   |
| II                           | 17299         | 9                      | 7           | 1373                  | 4430           | 248                     | II  |
| III                          | 7985          | 18                     | 44          | 172                   | 362            | 257                     | III |
| IV                           | 11109         | 417                    | 195         | 384                   | 1168           | 365                     | IV  |
| <b>Jerusalem</b>             | 224633        | 1702                   | 2856        | 16216                 | 89355          | 12873                   |     |
| I                            | 57588         | 115                    | 1001        | 86                    | 21242          | 148                     | I   |
| II                           | 65717         | 276                    | 830         | 84                    | 32194          | 148                     | II  |
| III                          | 49935         | 215                    | 620         | 6414                  | 17685          | 6461                    | III |
| IV                           | 51393         | 1096                   | 405         | 9632                  | 18234          | 6116                    | IV  |
| <b>South of West Bank</b>    | 88915         | 121                    | 204         | 6900                  | 41967          | 2420                    |     |
| I                            | 18559         | 4                      | 0           | 3005                  | 7809           | 1999                    | I   |
| II                           | 32790         | 108                    | 0           | 2019                  | 17590          | 103                     | II  |
| III                          | 21086         | 2                      | 196         | 1858                  | 6450           | 87                      | III |
| IV                           | 16480         | 7                      | 8           | 18                    | 10118          | 231                     | IV  |
| <b>Gaza Strip</b>            | 8067          | 233                    | 28          | 303                   | 3471           | 88                      |     |
| I                            | 2386          | 35                     | 6           | 107                   | 798            | 22                      | I   |
| II                           | 1996          | 60                     | 4           | 3                     | 839            | 43                      | II  |
| III                          | 2335          | 113                    | 8           | 133                   | 1061           | 0                       | III |
| IV                           | 1350          | 25                     | 10          | 60                    | 773            | 23                      | IV  |

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Table 2-9: Percentage Distribution of Guest Nights in Hotels by Nationality, Region and Quarter, 2006

| Region/Quarter               | Nationality       |             |             |                   |             | *<br>No. of<br>Hotels * | /   |
|------------------------------|-------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|-------------------------|-----|
|                              | U.S.A &<br>Canada | Asia        | Israel      | Arab<br>Countries | Palestine   |                         |     |
| <b>Palestinian Territory</b> | <b>11.0</b>       | <b>12.4</b> | <b>11.6</b> | <b>1.6</b>        | <b>13.6</b> | <b>79</b>               |     |
| I                            | 9.0               | 20.1        | 9.4         | 1.0               | 24.2        | 76                      | I   |
| II                           | 9.2               | 12.5        | 9.8         | 2.3               | 17.5        | 76                      | II  |
| III                          | 5.6               | 2.0         | 24.0        | 1.1               | 19.0        | 79                      | III |
| IV                           | 8.0               | 4.4         | 15.6        | 1.9               | 16.9        | 79                      | IV  |
| <b>North of West Bank</b>    | 3.6               | 0.8         | 1.9         | 0.9               | 79.6        | 7                       |     |
| I                            | 3.8               | 1.4         | 2.8         | 1.5               | 74.2        | 7                       | I   |
| II                           | 4.2               | 0.4         | 1.8         | 1.3               | 78.7        | 7                       | II  |
| III                          | 2.5               | 0.5         | 1.9         | 0.1               | 83.7        | 7                       | III |
| IV                           | 3.9               | 1.0         | 1.4         | 0.7               | 81.1        | 7                       | IV  |
| <b>Middle of West Bank</b>   | 6.4               | 1.9         | 4.6         | 4.7               | 60.5        | 19                      |     |
| I                            | 3.4               | 1.4         | 2.5         | 3.1               | 84.0        | 19                      | I   |
| II                           | 7.5               | 2.9         | 1.1         | 2.6               | 47.6        | 19                      | II  |
| III                          | 5.9               | 0.2         | 3.0         | 6.5               | 76.5        | 18                      | III |
| IV                           | 8.1               | 2.2         | 12.0        | 7.9               | 46.7        | 19                      | IV  |
| <b>Jerusalem</b>             | 10.0              | 15.1        | 20.5        | 0.3               | 0.1         | 22                      |     |
| I                            | 11.8              | 35.0        | 15.5        | 0.4               | 0.0         | 18                      | I   |
| II                           | 11.9              | 19.5        | 18.9        | 0.5               | 0.0         | 18                      | II  |
| III                          | 6.1               | 2.4         | 28.7        | 0.1               | 0.4         | 23                      | III |
| IV                           | 10.0              | 4.1         | 18.6        | 0.0               | 0.0         | 22                      | IV  |
| <b>South of West Bank</b>    | 4.6               | 7.2         | 11.0        | 2.0               | 17.1        | 20                      |     |
| I                            | 7.3               | 5.2         | 2.7         | 0.2               | 15.9        | 19                      | I   |
| II                           | 5.5               | 10.2        | 2.4         | 5.4               | 14.7        | 19                      | II  |
| III                          | 1.9               | 2.4         | 32.0        | 0.2               | 23.6        | 19                      | III |
| IV                           | 3.0               | 8.3         | 14.7        | 0.2               | 16.8        | 20                      | IV  |
| <b>Gaza Strip</b>            | 20.2              | 3.3         | 1.9         | 2.4               | 23.1        | 11                      |     |
| I                            | 17.4              | 3.6         | 0.6         | 3.7               | 32.4        | 13                      | I   |
| II                           | 22.8              | 3.5         | 0.8         | 1.5               | 26.8        | 13                      | II  |
| III                          | 25.8              | 3.6         | 1.7         | 1.4               | 15.0        | 12                      | III |
| IV                           | 14.7              | 2.2         | 5.5         | 2.4               | 14.5        | 11                      | IV  |

\* Represents No. of hotels at the end of the quarter.

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**Table 2-9 (Cont.): Percentage Distribution of Guest Nights in Hotels by Nationality, Region and Quarter, 2006**

| Region/Quarter               | Total      | Nationality            |            |                       |                |                         | I   |
|------------------------------|------------|------------------------|------------|-----------------------|----------------|-------------------------|-----|
|                              |            | Australia & New Zeland | Africa     | Other European Count. | European Union | Central & South America |     |
| <b>Palestinian Territory</b> | <b>100</b> | <b>0.7</b>             | <b>0.9</b> | <b>6.6</b>            | <b>37.3</b>    | <b>4.3</b>              |     |
| I                            | 100        | 0.3                    | 1.0        | 3.3                   | 31.9           | 2.3                     | I   |
| II                           | 100        | 0.4                    | 0.7        | 2.9                   | 46.1           | 0.5                     | II  |
| III                          | 100        | 0.4                    | 1.0        | 10.3                  | 31.0           | 8.2                     | III |
| IV                           | 100        | 1.9                    | 0.8        | 12.3                  | 37.2           | 8.2                     | IV  |
| <b>North of West Bank</b>    | <b>100</b> | 0.4                    | 0.0        | 0.3                   | 16.2           | 0.5                     |     |
| I                            | 100        | 1.1                    | 0.0        | 0.4                   | 22.8           | 0.2                     | I   |
| II                           | 100        | 0.1                    | 0.0        | 0.3                   | 11.3           | 1.5                     | II  |
| III                          | 100        | 0.0                    | 0.1        | 0.2                   | 12.3           | 0.0                     | III |
| IV                           | 100        | 0.1                    | 0.0        | 0.0                   | 16.0           | 0.2                     | IV  |
| <b>Middle of West Bank</b>   | <b>100</b> | 1.0                    | 0.5        | 3.7                   | 12.7           | 1.7                     |     |
| I                            | 100        | 0.4                    | 0.0        | 0.3                   | 4.8            | 0.3                     | I   |
| II                           | 100        | 0.1                    | 0.0        | 7.9                   | 25.6           | 1.4                     | II  |
| III                          | 100        | 0.2                    | 0.6        | 2.2                   | 4.5            | 3.2                     | III |
| IV                           | 100        | 3.8                    | 1.8        | 3.5                   | 10.5           | 3.3                     | IV  |
| <b>Jerusalem</b>             | <b>100</b> | 0.8                    | 1.3        | 7.2                   | 39.8           | 5.7                     |     |
| I                            | 100        | 0.2                    | 1.7        | 0.1                   | 36.9           | 0.3                     | I   |
| II                           | 100        | 0.4                    | 1.3        | 0.1                   | 49.0           | 0.2                     | II  |
| III                          | 100        | 0.4                    | 1.2        | 12.8                  | 35.4           | 12.9                    | III |
| IV                           | 100        | 2.1                    | 0.8        | 18.7                  | 35.5           | 11.9                    | IV  |
| <b>South of West Bank</b>    | <b>100</b> | 0.1                    | 0.2        | 7.8                   | 47.2           | 2.7                     |     |
| I                            | 100        | 0.0                    | 0.0        | 16.2                  | 42.1           | 10.8                    | I   |
| II                           | 100        | 0.3                    | 0.0        | 6.2                   | 53.6           | 0.3                     | II  |
| III                          | 100        | 0.0                    | 0.9        | 8.8                   | 30.6           | 0.4                     | III |
| IV                           | 100        | 0.0                    | 0.0        | 0.1                   | 61.4           | 1.4                     | IV  |
| <b>Gaza Strip</b>            | <b>100</b> | 2.9                    | 0.3        | 3.8                   | 43.0           | 1.1                     |     |
| I                            | 100        | 1.5                    | 0.3        | 4.5                   | 33.4           | 0.9                     | I   |
| II                           | 100        | 3.0                    | 0.2        | 0.2                   | 42.0           | 2.2                     | II  |
| III                          | 100        | 4.8                    | 0.3        | 5.7                   | 45.4           | 0.0                     | III |
| IV                           | 100        | 1.9                    | 0.7        | 4.4                   | 57.3           | 1.7                     | IV  |

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Table 2-10: Average Length of Stay per Guest by Nationality, Region and Quarter, 2006- (Nights/Guest)

| Region/Quarter               | Nationality       |            |            |                   |            | *<br>No. of<br>Hotels * | I   |
|------------------------------|-------------------|------------|------------|-------------------|------------|-------------------------|-----|
|                              | U.S.A &<br>Canada | Asia       | Israel     | Arab<br>Countries | Palestine  |                         |     |
| <b>Palestinian Territory</b> | <b>3.5</b>        | <b>3.1</b> | <b>2.1</b> | <b>2.5</b>        | <b>1.8</b> | <b>79</b>               |     |
| I                            | 4.2               | 3.0        | 1.8        | 1.7               | 2.2        | 76                      | I   |
| II                           | 3.4               | 3.3        | 1.8        | 4.1               | 1.7        | 76                      | II  |
| III                          | 3.3               | 4.2        | 2.6        | 1.2               | 1.7        | 79                      | III |
| IV                           | 2.9               | 2.7        | 1.7        | 1.2               | 1.5        | 79                      | IV  |
| <b>North of West Bank</b>    | 2.3               | 5.1        | 2.4        | 1.9               | 1.8        | 7                       |     |
| I                            | 3.3               | 10.6       | 2.8        | 2.5               | 2.4        | 7                       | I   |
| II                           | 2.4               | 1.5        | 2.5        | 1.3               | 1.8        | 7                       | II  |
| III                          | 1.9               | 2.0        | 2.8        | 1.0               | 1.8        | 7                       | III |
| IV                           | 1.6               | 1.3        | 1.3        | 1.9               | 1.4        | 7                       | IV  |
| <b>Middle of West Bank</b>   | 2.0               | 1.1        | 1.3        | 1.1               | 1.8        | 19                      |     |
| I                            | 2.8               | 1.0        | 1.3        | 1.3               | 2.3        | 19                      | I   |
| II                           | 2.1               | 1.0        | 2.2        | 1.1               | 1.6        | 19                      | II  |
| III                          | 2.3               | 3.0        | 1.5        | 1.1               | 1.6        | 18                      | III |
| IV                           | 1.5               | 1.1        | 1.1        | 1.1               | 1.4        | 19                      | IV  |
| <b>Jerusalem</b>             | 3.9               | 3.2        | 1.9        | 1.3               | 3.5        | 22                      |     |
| I                            | 4.5               | 3.0        | 1.8        | 1.6               | 1.5        | 18                      | I   |
| II                           | 3.8               | 3.5        | 1.9        | 1.2               | 1.0        | 18                      | II  |
| III                          | 3.7               | 4.3        | 2.0        | 1.0               | 3.7        | 23                      | III |
| IV                           | 3.4               | 3.1        | 1.9        | 1.3               | 0.0        | 22                      | IV  |
| <b>South of West Bank</b>    | 3.4               | 3.1        | 3.2        | 6.0               | 1.7        | 20                      |     |
| I                            | 4.1               | 3.5        | 1.6        | 8.4               | 1.7        | 19                      | I   |
| II                           | 3.5               | 3.2        | 1.3        | 6.1               | 1.6        | 19                      | II  |
| III                          | 1.8               | 4.0        | 4.5        | 3.0               | 1.8        | 19                      | III |
| IV                           | 2.5               | 2.6        | 1.5        | 3.1               | 1.5        | 20                      | IV  |
| <b>Gaza Strip</b>            | 3.4               | 2.5        | 1.8        | 2.2               | 2.6        | 11                      |     |
| I                            | 3.8               | 2.5        | 1.2        | 1.8               | 2.5        | 13                      | I   |
| II                           | 3.0               | 2.2        | 5.4        | 2.2               | 3.3        | 13                      | II  |
| III                          | 3.7               | 3.1        | 1.3        | 2.3               | 2.3        | 12                      | III |
| IV                           | 2.4               | 1.8        | 1.5        | 3.2               | 2.0        | 11                      | IV  |

\* Represents No. of hotels at the end of the quarter

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Table 2-10 (Cont.): Average Length of Stay per Guest by Nationality, Region and Quarter, 2006- (Nights/Guest)

| Region/Quarter               | Total      | Nationality            |            |                       |                |                         | I   |
|------------------------------|------------|------------------------|------------|-----------------------|----------------|-------------------------|-----|
|                              |            | Australia & New Zeland | Africa     | Other European Count. | European Union | Central & South America |     |
| <b>Palestinian Territory</b> | <b>2.5</b> | <b>1.8</b>             | <b>2.0</b> | <b>2.9</b>            | <b>2.7</b>     | <b>2.5</b>              |     |
| I                            | 2.8        | 2.1                    | 2.3        | 2.5                   | 3.2            | 1.9                     | I   |
| II                           | 2.6        | 4.7                    | 1.9        | 2.5                   | 2.7            | 1.8                     | II  |
| III                          | 2.5        | 3.2                    | 2.5        | 3.7                   | 2.3            | 3.2                     | III |
| IV                           | 2.2        | 1.4                    | 1.5        | 2.7                   | 2.6            | 2.3                     | IV  |
| <b>North of West Bank</b>    | 2.0        | 5.0                    | 1.0        | 1.6                   | 2.6            | 3.1                     |     |
| I                            | 2.9        | 10.3                   | 0.0        | 3.0                   | 4.3            | 1.8                     | I   |
| II                           | 1.8        | 1.0                    | 0.0        | 1.0                   | 1.7            | 5.0                     | II  |
| III                          | 1.9        | 1.0                    | 1.0        | 1.3                   | 2.1            | 0.0                     | III |
| IV                           | 1.5        | 1.0                    | 0.0        | 0.0                   | 2.0            | 1.0                     | IV  |
| <b>Middle of West Bank</b>   | 1.7        | 1.3                    | 1.4        | 1.4                   | 1.5            | 1.5                     |     |
| I                            | 2.2        | 2.0                    | 1.5        | 1.4                   | 2.5            | 1.4                     | I   |
| II                           | 1.6        | 1.3                    | 1.8        | 1.4                   | 1.4            | 1.7                     | II  |
| III                          | 1.6        | 1.3                    | 4.9        | 2.7                   | 2.2            | 1.8                     | III |
| IV                           | 1.3        | 1.2                    | 1.2        | 1.2                   | 1.5            | 1.2                     | IV  |
| <b>Jerusalem</b>             | 2.8        | 1.8                    | 2.1        | 3.0                   | 2.9            | 2.8                     |     |
| I                            | 3.1        | 1.9                    | 2.3        | 1.5                   | 3.3            | 1.8                     | I   |
| II                           | 3.0        | 5.1                    | 1.9        | 1.4                   | 3.2            | 1.1                     | II  |
| III                          | 2.4        | 3.2                    | 2.4        | 3.4                   | 2.1            | 3.3                     | III |
| IV                           | 2.7        | 1.5                    | 1.6        | 2.8                   | 3.0            | 2.5                     | IV  |
| <b>South of West Bank</b>    | 2.7        | 5.3                    | 2.8        | 3.7                   | 2.6            | 2.1                     |     |
| I                            | 2.6        | 1.3                    | 0.0        | 2.6                   | 3.0            | 1.9                     | I   |
| II                           | 2.8        | 6.0                    | 0.0        | 5.4                   | 2.6            | 3.3                     | II  |
| III                          | 3.4        | 2.0                    | 2.8        | 5.8                   | 3.1            | 4.4                     | III |
| IV                           | 2.1        | 7.0                    | 4.0        | 1.8                   | 2.3            | 3.6                     | IV  |
| <b>Gaza Strip</b>            | 3.0        | 3.5                    | 2.0        | 2.4                   | 3.1            | 4.9                     |     |
| I                            | 2.8        | 1.9                    | 1.5        | 3.2                   | 2.7            | 3.7                     | I   |
| II                           | 3.3        | 3.8                    | 2.0        | 1.5                   | 3.4            | 14.3                    | II  |
| III                          | 3.4        | 4.5                    | 2.0        | 2.3                   | 3.8            | 0.0                     | III |
| IV                           | 2.5        | 3.6                    | 2.5        | 1.9                   | 2.8            | 2.6                     | IV  |



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## **Preface**

The Palestinian tourism sector has a great potential of becoming the main contributor to the Palestinian GDP. The tourism activities is however, crippled by a multiplicity of internal and external factors which are not leaving much room for this important economic activity to flourish.

PCBS has started collecting data on the tourism activities since November 1995. However, due to some reasons beyond our control, it was decided to limit these activities to the hotel activity.

The Palestinian Central Bureau of Statistics (PCBS) is pleased to present the eleventh annual bulletin issue on “Hotel Activities in Palestinian Territory” which covers the statistics of hotel activity in the year 2006. PCBS is looking forward to expanding its activities to cover all branches of the tourism industry in Palestine.

This report addresses the main indicators of the hotel activity. These indicators include number of operating hotels, number of rooms and beds, room and public facilities in the surveyed hotels, number of persons engaged in hotels, number of nights in the reference period, distribution of guests by nationality, and rates of bed occupancy and room occupancy.

This survey was conducted where the Israeli closure was imposed on the Palestinian territory; this closure had affected negatively all aspects of Palestinian life, mainly the tourism activities. As the report shows, there is a big decline in the value of all indicators of hotels survey compared with the year 1999.

It is hoped that the Hotels’ Survey conducted by PCBS comprises the first step towards a comprehensive statistical program that encompasses all aspects of tourism activities according to the latest international recommendations in this field.

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## **Executive Summary**

Results reveal that, there are 79 operating hotels in December 2006, with average number of room was 3,897 rooms, and average of beds was 8,429 beds.

In view of the Israeli closure imposed on the Palestinian Territory, it is quite obvious that the main indicators of hotel activities declined by various percentages, because of the Israeli siege, compared with the year 1999. The following indicators represent the effects of the closure on hotel indicators:

- During the year 2006, the total number of guests to the Palestinian Territory hotels reached 151,801 they declined by percentage of 52.1%, compared with year 1999.
- Total number of nights was 383,603 during the year 2006. It declined by 57.2% compared with the year 1999.
- The number of workers in the hotels were 1,329 of which 1,155 are males and 174 are females. The number of workers declined by 18.8% during the year 2006 compared with the year 1999.
- Average occupancy of rooms was 616.4, it declined by 53.8% during the year 2006 compared with the year 1999.
- The percentage of room occupancy was 15.8%, it declined by 55.5% during the year 2006 compared with the year 1999.
- The average length of stay in the Palestinian hotels was 2.5 nights per guest during the year 2006.

## Chapter One

### **Introduction**

Palestinian Central Bureau of Statistics (PCBS) is conducting a hotel survey which aims at producing a comprehensive data base on the hotel activities in Palestine. The ultimate goal is to compile and maintain data on tourism industry. In this exercise, we hope eventually to be able to produce statistics regularly on the basic indicators recommended and adopted by World Tourism Organization (WTO) and the European Union (EU). In the mean time, this initiative in the present format aims to fill the existing gaps on the basic statistics of the hotel activities, which might help to provide data necessary for policy making to promote this industry in Palestine.

This survey is conducted on a monthly basis to identify the changes in this sector during all seasons of the year. All hotels operating in Palestine are covered. This periodic survey aims to establishing a time series including variables and indicators related to hotel activities.

### **Objectives**

Through this survey program, we hope to provide a continuous flow of data on:

1. Number of operating hotels and their number of rooms and beds.
2. Room and public facilities in the surveyed hotels.
3. Number of persons engaged in hotels.
4. Number of guest nights in the reference period.
5. Number of guests by nationality.
6. Rates of bed occupancy and room occupancy.



## Chapter Two

### Concepts and Definitions

This section presents the main concepts and definitions used to derive the main indicators of tourism statistics. These concepts and definitions are based on international recommendations in the field of tourism statistics, and they are the same in all subjects in Palestinian Central Bureau of Statistics. The main concepts and expressions mentioned in this report were as follows:

|                                         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
|-----------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Hotel:</b>                           | It is defined as an accommodation establishment providing overnight lodging for the visitors in a room or unit. It should hold a number of persons exceeding that of an average single family. The establishment must be under one management, and provides different facilities and services to visitors.                |
| <b>Hotel Workers:</b>                   | It refers to all persons working in the hotel on full or part time bases including owners and paid or unpaid household members.                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| <b>Number of Rooms:</b>                 | It refers to the furnished rooms for the use of guests. Such rooms might be single, double, triple, or quadruple. Rooms involving more than four beds were classified under (others) in the questionnaire. As for the suite, it is usually comprised of one bedroom or more, a living room and private toilet facilities. |
| <b>Available Beds and Rooms:</b>        | It refers to beds and rooms, which are ready for use during the reference period. Closed rooms for maintenance or repairs are excluded.                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| <b>Guests:</b>                          | It refers to visitors staying in the hotels and using their facilities in return for a certain charge. Records of new guests are based on the number of visits regardless whether it's the same person or different.                                                                                                      |
| <b>Number of Guest Nights:</b>          | Number of beds booked for hotel guests. Such beds are considered as occupied whether they were actually used or not. It is measured by guest night unit.                                                                                                                                                                  |
| <b>Room Occupancy:</b>                  | Number of booked and paid rooms. Such rooms are considered occupied whether they were actually used or not.                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| <b>Bed Occupancy:</b>                   | Number of booked and paid beds. Such beds are considered occupied whether they were actually used or not.                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| <b>Average (rooms, beds) Occupancy:</b> | It is defined as the total number of occupied (rooms, beds) divided by number of days                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| <b>Average Length of Stay:</b>          | Represents the total of guest nights by nationality divided by number of guests of the same nationality .                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |

|                                               |                                                                                                                       |
|-----------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Percentage of (rooms, beds) Occupancy:</b> | It is defined as the average of (rooms, beds) occupancy divided by available (rooms, beds) multiplied by one hundred. |
| <b>North of West Bank Region:</b>             | Jenin, Tulkarm, Nablus, Qalqiliya, and Salfit governorates, and Tubas district.                                       |
| <b>Middle of West Bank Region:</b>            | Ramallah and Al-Bireh, Jericho and Al-Aghwar governorates.                                                            |
| <b>Jerusalem Region:</b>                      | Jerusalem governorate.                                                                                                |
| <b>South of West Bank Region:</b>             | Bethlehem and Hebron governorates.                                                                                    |
| <b>Gaza Strip:</b>                            | Gaza North, Gaza, Deir Al-Balah, Khan Yunis and Rafah governorates.                                                   |

## Main Findings

### 3.1 Distribution of Hotels During 2006

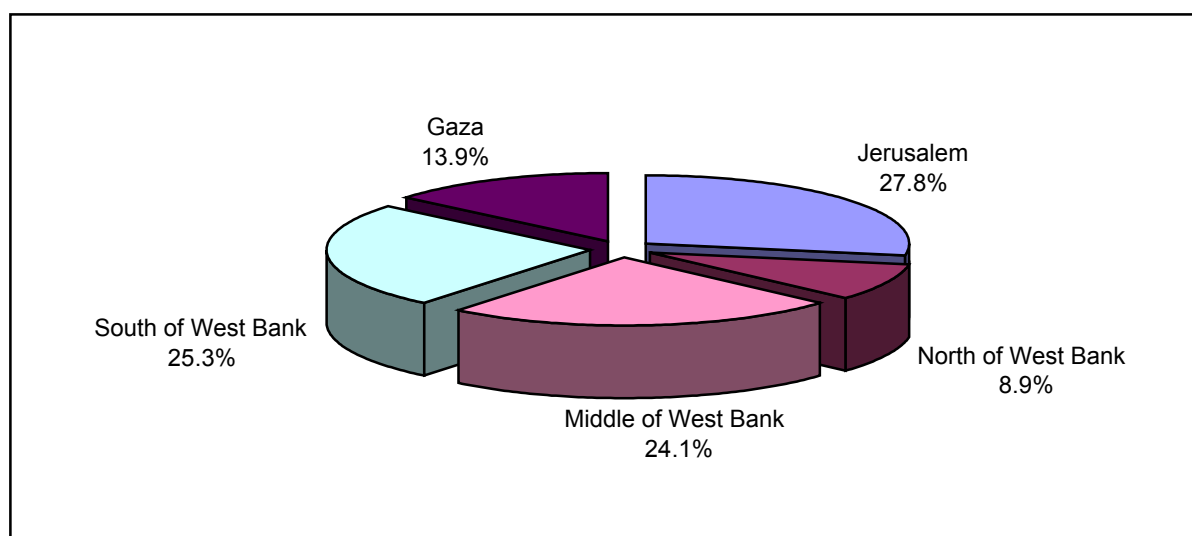
The total number of hotels in the Palestinian Territory is 125 hotels, including the temporary closed hotels. There are 79 operating hotels in December 2006, with average number of rooms was 3,897, and average number of beds was 8,429 beds.

The operating hotels within the Palestinian Territory are distributed as follows:

- North of West Bank: 7 hotels including 111 rooms comprising 262 beds.
- Middle of West Bank: 19 hotels including 853 rooms comprising 1,981 beds.
- Jerusalem Region: 22 hotels including 1,007 rooms comprising 2,260 beds.
- South of West Bank: 20 hotels including 1,496 rooms comprising 3,139 beds.
- Gaza Strip: 11 hotels including 430 rooms comprising 787 beds..

The figure below shows the percentage distribution of operating hotels by region as of December, 2006.

**Figure (1): Percentage Distribution of Operating Hotels by Region as of December, 2006**

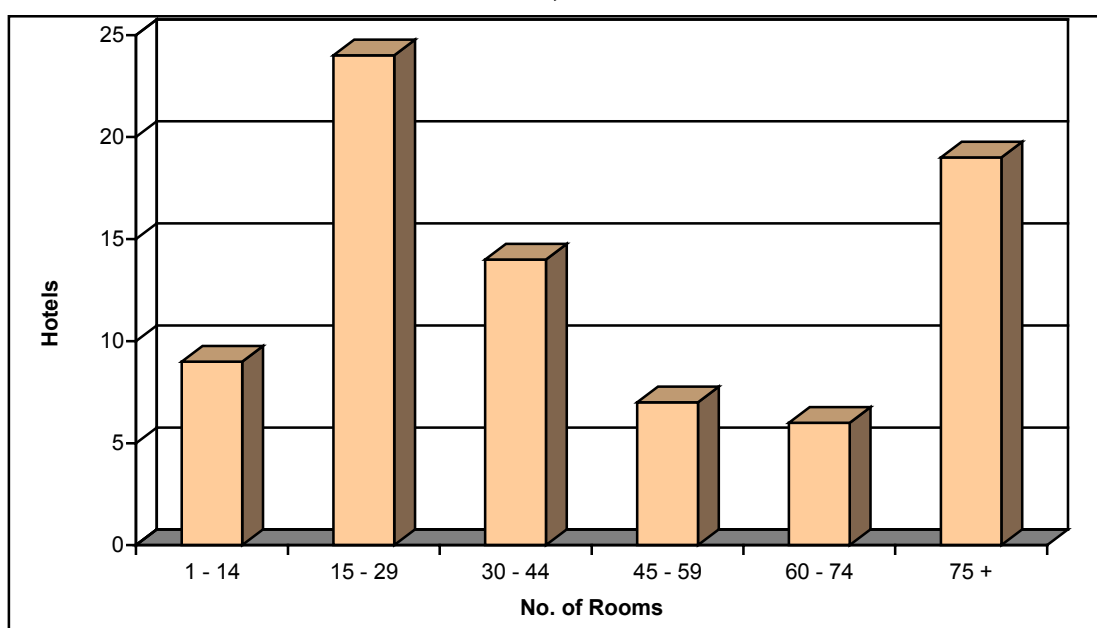


Concerning the capacity of the hotels operating in the Palestinian Territory, 30.4% of these hotels have between 15 to 29 rooms.

### 3.2 Service Facilities as of December 2006

- Restaurants: 106 restaurants accommodating 20,036 persons.
- Conference halls: 174 accommodating 17,479 persons.
- Parking: 76 accommodating 2,676 cars.
- Lifts: 90 lifts
- Swimming pools: 14 pools.
- Playgrounds: 37 playgrounds.

**Figure (2): Distribution of Hotels By Number of Available Rooms as of December, 2006**



### 3.3 Employment during 2006

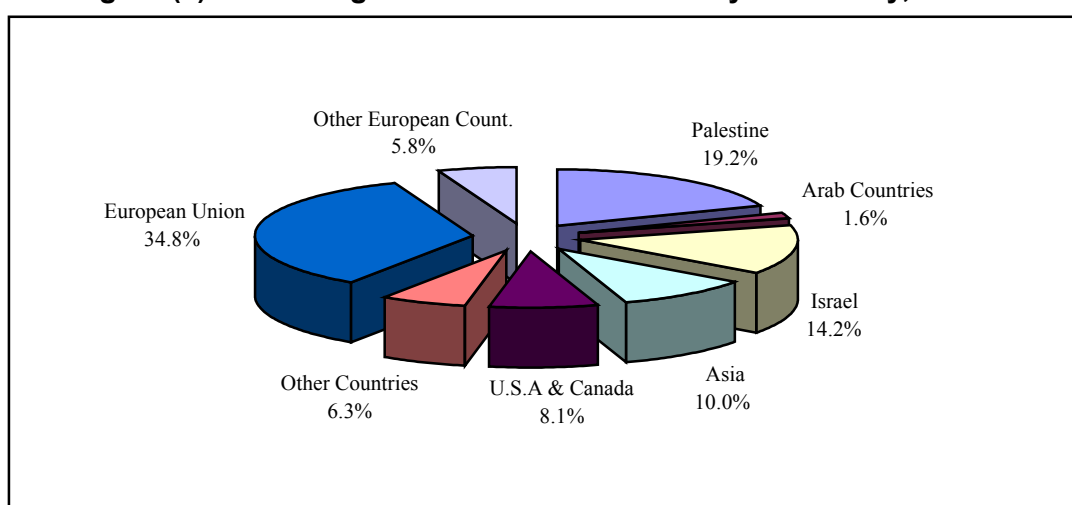
The number of persons employed in the hotels is 1,329. It distributed by type of work and sex as follows:

- 269 administrative staff of which 223 are males and 46 are females.
- 1,060 services workers of which 932 are males and 128 are females.

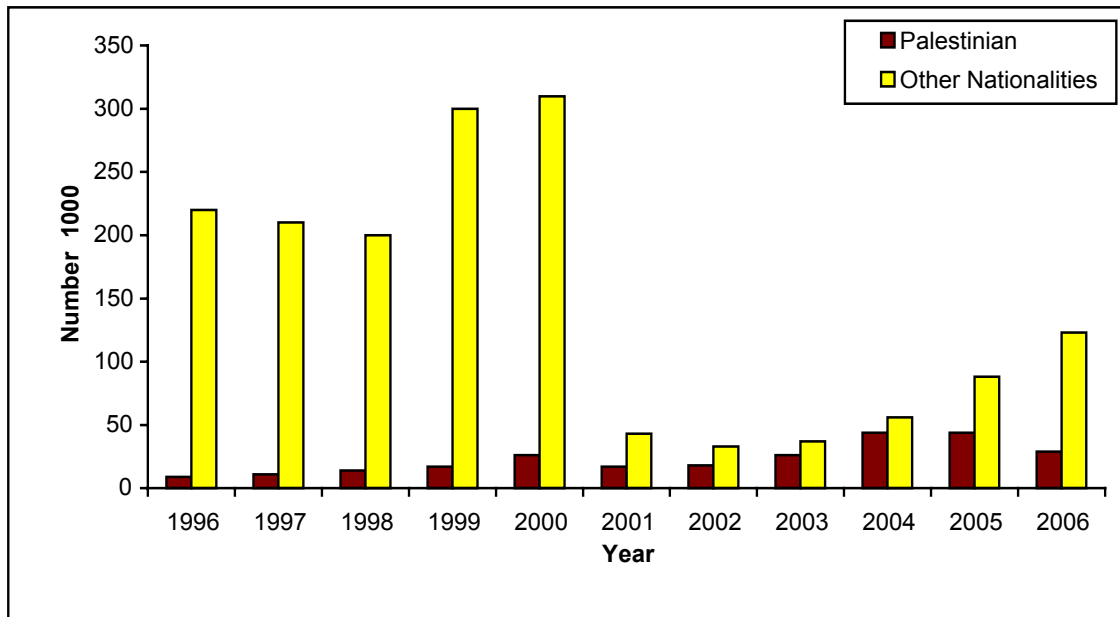
### 3.4 Number of Guests during 2006

During the year 2006, the total number of guests in Palestinian hotels was 151,801 persons, of which 19.2% were Palestinian guests, and 34.8% were from European Union countries. The percentage distribution of guests by nationality is as in the figure below.

**Figure (3): Percentage Distribution of Guests by Nationality, 2006**

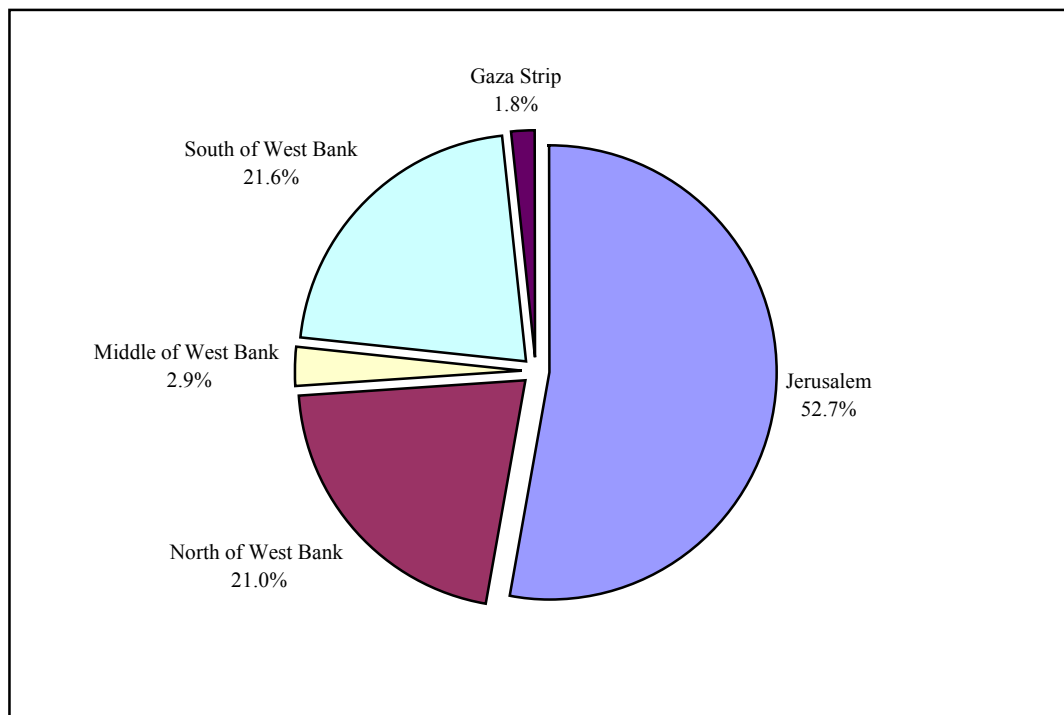


**Figure (4): Number of Palestinians and Other Nationalities Guests in Hotels During (1996-2006)**



According to the distribution of guests by region, the hotels in Jerusalem region received 52.7% of the guests and 21.0% of the guests were in hotels in the middle region. The percentage distribution of guests by region is as in the figure below.

**Figure (5): Percentage Distribution of Guests by Region, 2006**



### 3.5 Annual Occupancy and Average Length of Stay

During the year 2006, the average occupancy of rooms was in the Palestinian hotels was 616.4, and the percentage occupancy of room was 15.8%, while average occupancy of beds was 1051.0 or 12.5%, and the average length of stay was 2.5 (nights per guest).

### 3.6 Number of Guest Nights during 2006

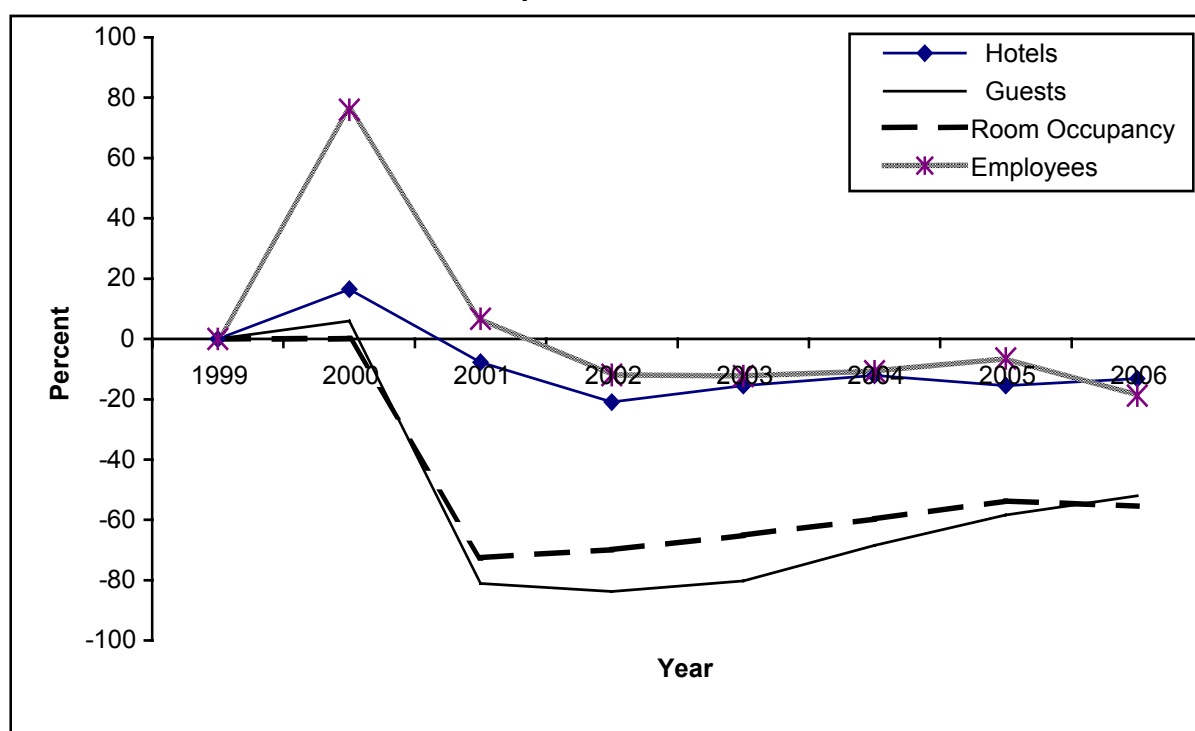
During the year 2006, the total number of guest nights in Palestinian hotels was 383,603 nights, of which 13.6% of these nights was occupied by Palestinian guests, while 37.3% by the guests whom arrived from European Union countries, 11.0% of these nights were occupied by the guests whom arrived from United State and Canada.

According to the distribution of guest nights by region, the hotels in the Jerusalem region accounted for 58.5% of the nights, and 23.2%, 13.9%, 2.3% in the South of the West Bank, Middle of the West Bank, and North of the West Bank respectively, while the percentage of guest nights in Gaza Strip hotels was 2.1%.

### 3.7 The Impact of Israeli Measures on the Hotel Activities

The data for this publication was collected for the year 2006. Tourist activities for the Palestinian hotels during the years (2000-2006) can be compared with the year 1999 to reveal the effect on hotel tourism of Israeli measures after the Israeli siege and closure on the Palestinian Territory.

**Figure (6): Percentage Changes of Hotel Indicators During (2000-2006) Compared with 1999**



The following table indicates that there was a reduction in the number of guests and in the number of guest nights in comparison with the year 1999, which was 52.1% and 57.2% respectively.

The reduction for 2006 was low in the previous four years, which reflects an improvement in these indicators during the period.

#### **Percentage Changes of Hotel Indicators During (2000-2006) Compared with 1999**

| The Indicator                   | Value<br>2006 | Percentage change (%) |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|---------------------------------|---------------|-----------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
|                                 |               | 2000                  | 2001  | 2002  | 2003  | 2004  | 2005  | 2006  |
| Number of operating hotels      | 79            | 16.5                  | -7.7  | -20.9 | -15.4 | -12.1 | -15.4 | -13.2 |
| Average number of workers       | 1,329         | 76.0                  | 6.7   | -11.9 | -12.3 | -10.7 | -6.5  | -18.8 |
| Number of guests                | 151,801       | 5.9                   | -81.0 | -83.8 | -80.2 | -68.4 | -58.4 | -52.1 |
| Number of guest nights          | 383,603       | 13.5                  | -79.4 | -81.1 | -77.7 | -70.0 | -60.9 | -57.2 |
| Average occupancy of rooms      | 616.4         | 11.1                  | -77.3 | -77.3 | -72.1 | -66.5 | -57.7 | -53.8 |
| Average occupancy of beds       | 1,051.0       | 13.6                  | -79.4 | -81.1 | -77.7 | -70.0 | -60.9 | -57.2 |
| Percentage occupancy of rooms % | 15.8          | 0.0                   | -72.5 | -69.9 | -65.1 | -59.7 | -53.7 | -55.5 |
| Percentage occupancy of beds %  | 12.5          | -2.3                  | -75.9 | -76.6 | -73.6 | -66.3 | -59.1 | -58.7 |

The figures show the impact of Israeli measures on tourist activities at the hotels which negatively affects the tourism industry as a whole. The important main indicators that have been affected were the number of guest nights and the occupancy rate of rooms.

As for the occupancy rate, it is observed that the average of bed occupancy declined about 57.2% compared with the year 1999, and the average room occupancy declined by 53.8%. This reduction is low during the previous years, which reflects an improvement in these indicators during this period.



## **Methodology**

- **Survey Questionnaire**

The questionnaire was designed according to the international standard and recommendations. Higher Council for the Arab Tourist Industry and the Arab Studies Society, have both contributed to the questionnaire design. The questionnaire was designed to provide hotel identification data, employed persons by type of work and sex, number of rooms and beds, number of guests, nationality, and occupancy of rooms and beds. The questionnaire was thoroughly updated as a result of field test, November-December 1995, and subject to continuous revision.

- **Coverage**

The survey frame was based on the Establishments Census conducted by the PCBS in 2004. This frame undergoes continuous updating, adding newly established hotels and eliminating closed ones. Hotels, which have ceased operations due to maintenance or repair activities, are not surveyed until they become functional again. In view of the significance of the project, and the small number of hotels operating in Palestine.

- **Field Work**

The field workers taking part in the implementation of the survey are selected from experienced staff. Before being recruited, field workers undergo theoretical and practical training to enable them to carry out their duty properly. Field Work activities include data collection, developing fieldwork forms and manuals and other needed tools. Regular data collection rounds are made to collect data from respondents and in order to ensure precision and accuracy of filled-in data, particularly regarding guests.

- **Office Work Activities**

The completed questionnaires are delivered for office editing after undergoing necessary field editing. Any faulty questionnaires are returned back to the field. Upon completion of data editing, the questionnaires undergo a process of verification and coding accordance to the coding manuals.

- **Tabulation and Data Processing**

After being edited, verified and coded, the data is entered using a special designed data-entry program. Such program is developed accordance with pre-designed tables and in a way that fulfills all survey objectives. Before initiating data entry, necessary theoretical and practical training sessions are offered to data entry operators, who are also provided with an instruction manual. The entered data undergoes electronic editing based on standard editing roles. In addition random quality checks is undertaken to ensure error free data entry. Accordingly, a list of faulty questionnaires is prepared, if needed.

After completing data entry, editing and cleaning, the intended tables are drawn up according to the pre-designed forms.



## Chapter Five

### Data Quality

- Coverage: includes hotels, variables, registration period, and Periodic survey.
- Completeness: the availability of the data and its completeness for most of the indicators of the hotels activities, and how much its (accurate is compared) with the data of the hotels administration registrations, was with the response of 94%.
- Validity: serial of editing operations are done, the questionnaires are being edited in the field and in the office. Then comparing its data with the previous months data, the questionnaires that contain mistakes returned to the hotels to modify it.

### The fieldwork and office operations notes

The change in the number of hotels, room, and beds during the year of 2006 return to:

- Some hotels not included in this reports because restoration and maintenance operation.
- Non resonent hotels was not considered in this report.
- Many hotels included even it didn't receive any visitors in some month.
- Data includes all establishments that practice any hotel activity, either it is categorized or not.

### Comparing with the quarterly reports and annual bulletin 2006:

The results show that some differences between the annual bulletin and the quarterly reports, because of delay of questionnaires from some hotels in the field work, and these data included in the annual bulletin.

The table below shows the main differences:

Comparing the results of annual bulletin with quarterly reports, 2006

| Quarter           | No. of<br>Hotels | No. of<br>Beds | No. of<br>Rooms | No. of<br>Guests | No. of<br>Guests nights |        |
|-------------------|------------------|----------------|-----------------|------------------|-------------------------|--------|
| Annual bulletin   | I                | 76             | 7813            | 3657             | 35322                   | 98269  |
|                   | II               | 76             | 8236            | 3788             | 45929                   | 119854 |
|                   | III              | 79             | 8608            | 3978             | 33388                   | 83375  |
|                   | IV               | 79             | 9059            | 4163             | 37162                   | 82105  |
| Quarterly reports | I                | 76             | 7766            | 3637             | 35322                   | 98269  |
|                   | II               | 76             | 8236            | 3788             | 45887                   | 119815 |
|                   | III              | 78             | 8257            | 3909             | 33388                   | 83375  |
|                   | IV               | 79             | 8989            | 4130             | 37008                   | 81297  |