

# The violence and bombing incidents during the period from 20<sup>th</sup> -26<sup>th</sup> March 2015-03-31

12<sup>th</sup> report

A continued decline in the bombings and violence attempt

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### **Introduction:**

The period covered by the report from 20th to 26th March coincided with end preparation to hold the twenty-sixth session of the Arab summit, it also coincided with the continuing work of the reforming Committee of the parliamentary election laws, this period witnessed relatively decrease in violence and bombing incidents rates compared to previous weeks.

In the framework of the Parliamentary Elections' Observatory affiliated to the Local - International joint mission to observe the parliamentary elections – Egypt 2015,th e Observatory continue monitoring and analyzing all this violence incidents and its related indications to the elections process, this is the  $11^{th}$  report issued by the Parliamentary Observatory in this frame work .

## The most important violence incident during the week.

## Friday, March 20<sup>th</sup>

- The explosives experts in Dakahlia government dismantled a homemade bomb, it was placed by unknown assailants inside a bag next to Al Nasr mosque, in Al Mansoura city, after the Friday prayers, explosives experts combed the area to make sure it was free of any other explosives, a report of the incident was filed and the prosecution was notified to take over the investigation.
- A sound bomb exploded next to a citizen's house in Al Kateiba village, in Belbies city, Sharkia governorate, the explosives experts moved to the site, the explosion did not cause any material or human damages, a report of the incident was filed, and the prosecution took over the investigation in the incident
- Army forces in North Sinai governorate thwarted terrorist operations targeting soldiers by 6 explosive devices, the terrorists planted 5 of them on the roads of Gora, Al Sholaak and Al Zaheir, when planted the other one on the Gora road to target the participating forces in the military campaigns, the explosive devices were handled by shooting them from distance.
- Unknown assailants set fire in the power adaptor of Al Kheeis village of Abu Hammad, Sharkia governorate, which resulted in damages in the adaptor, the explosive experts moved to the site, a security cordon imposed and the area was combed, the required report of the incident was filed, and the prosecution was notified to take over the investigation.
- A bomb exploded, it was a cylinder with explosive materials, placed by unknown assailant, in an old phone cabin, under a tree behind Al Monakh police station, in Port Saied governorate,, near the fire extinguishing unit in the area, the resulted in smashing the cabin glass without any injuries, the civil protection and explosion vehicles, and the explosives experts moved to the site, a security cordon was imposed, and the area was combed to make sure it was free of any other explosives.
- The explosives experts in Sharkia governorate, dealt with a foreign body, it was found by people of Abu Kbeer center, in front of Dr, Ali Meselhy the former Minister of Social Solidarity's villa, the explosive experts combed the area to make sure it was free of any other explosives.
- The civil protection officers in Damietta governorate, reserved a mortar shell, next to the navigational channel adjacent to the Damietta Port Authority, after people found it Alsenaniah area of Damietta center, the second army was notified to receive it and investigate about its source.

### Saturday, March 21

- A power adaptor exploded in Abu Al Ezz area of Alsenaniah village, in Damietta governorate, where the people surprised of its fire, the police forces was notified to preview incident site, and the civil protection forces was notified also to control the fire and put it out, the explosion did not result in life loss.
- unknown assailants exploded the main Gas line on "Belbais Tenth of Ramadan" road, using an explosive device, was installed blew it, which resulted in breaking in the line by length of 50 centimeters, and leaking large quantity of gas, without causing injuries, a report of the incident was filed and the prosecution took over the investigation.
- An improvised explosive device exploded in the terrorist elements during their attempt to planting it next to the garage of the local council, in Al Ibrahimia city in Sharkia governorate, which resulted in the killing of two of the terrorist elements and the injury of the third one, the security forces combed the area to make sure it was free of any other explosive devices.
- The Explosives experts dealt with a foreign body inside the court complex in Gerga center, Sohag governorate, after evacuating the building from employees, it turned out that it does not contain any explosive materials, and it was a cartoon box with wires comes out of it, the civil protection forces combed the area to make sure it was free of any other explosives.
- The explosives experts of the civil protection department in Bani Suef Security Directorate, defused a homemade bomb, it was found under the railway tracks in Hedear village in Al Wasta center, after donating it by water hoses, the incident resulted in the train movement was suspended in the both ways, the police imposed a security cordon around the area until combing it to make sure it was free of other explosive materias.
- Transportation police in coordination with the civil protection in Giza, managed to defuse a bomb, it was black bag inside it a white plastic pipe diameter of about 6 inchesand length of about 50 cm, comes out of it wires and connected with a mobile chip, inside the pipe an amount of gunpowder weighs about 12 kilograms, it was defused before its explosion on the Giza rail way station's track, the downtrend line Aswan Cairo.
- The explosives experts in Giza governorate defused an explosive device, it was a device inside a cylindrical body length of 45 centimeters, and inside it timer and wires and severe explosive material, it was planted by unknown assailants, on the railway track, next to Abu Arba' level crossing, that was by using water hoses.
- Giza Investigation managed to catch two bombs, 12 Molotov cocktail and Timer used in measure voltage to manufacturing explosives, and a quantity of Benzene, inside the house of a terrorist in Al Talebia area, the ambushes was prepared to arrest him, a report of the incident was filed and the prosecution took over the investigation.
- The explosives experts in Minya governorate, dealt with a foreign body suspected to be a bomb on the railway bar, after the Dmareis village level crossing in Minya, at kilo 244/300, between the two reception blocks of Minya and Al Bergaiah, which resulted in suspending the train movement of the upper Egypt line, a report of the incident was filed, the entire area was combed in anticipation of the existence of any other explosives, the prosecution was notified to take over the investigation.

- Explosives experts and civil protection officers in Giza governorate, managed of dealing with a structure bomb in the vicinity of St. Michael's Church, in Kerdasa area, where it was placed by terrorists to spread panic and anxiety among citizens, and in attempt to confuse and distract the security apparatus's work.
- The people of the Hannoville area in the west of Alexandria governorate, thwarted an attempt of set fir in Fawzy Moa'az police station, where the people arrest her while she was firing a fire work on the police station, after chanting slogans against the army, the police and the system, and they handed her over to the police station.
- Unknown assailants set fire in the Development and Agricultural Credit Banks barn in Kfr Saqr, in Sharkia governorate, through poured amount of gasoline on the barn, and ran away, which resulted in burning the barn, a report of the incident was filed, and the prosecution was notified to take over the investigation.
- Unknown assailants set fire in Abt Al Shoqouk barn of the Development and Agricultural Credit bank, in Kfr Saqr and San Al Hagar, in Sharkia governorate, and ran away, a report of the incident was filed, and the prosecution was notified to take over the investigation.
- Unknown assailants fired on an engineer of the electricity company, while he was walking in the road, in Ra's Seder city at South Sinai governorate, which caused his death, a report of the incident was filed, and the prosecution was notified to take over the investigation in the incident.
- Sunday March 22th
- Explosives experts and civil protection forces in Gharbia governorate, dismantled and detonated a
  bomb found by a citizen, in black bagin front of Naser social bank in Al Baher St, in Al Mahala
  city, by using robot, the contents of the bag were under reservation, there were no losses or
  damages.
- Explosive experts in Giza governorate dismantled two structure explosive devices, they were two plastic pipes connecting with timer and electrical wires, they were free of explosive materials, it was planted by terrorists behind a hotel in Alexandria desert road, Kerdasa department, they were handled by using water hoses, no other explosives were found in the area.
- The gas line in the building No463, in Seket Al Waily St, in Cairo governorate, exploded, which resulted in a miner burning in a flat and a store in the building, the civil protection moved to the site and controlled the fire without life losses.
- Unknown assailants riding a motor cycle set fire in Dr. Mohamed Mokhtar Ghoma'a the minister of Awqaf 's house in his hometown at Saft Rashein, Beba center, Bani Suef governorate, where the residents of the village saw the smoking comes out of the tow floor house, and managed to put it out in the a minutes without any injuries.
- Civil protection and explosives experts in Cairo governorate dealt with a a foreign body in front of Ma'rouf building in Ramses St, a security cordon was imposed around the foreign body, the cars coming from Al Tahrer were turned to Al Esa'af, and combed the area to make sure it was free of explosives.

- Armed assailants kidnapped a car belonging to the ambulance serves, in North Sinai governorate, the ambulance serves department in North Sinai governorate, orders issued to all ambulance cars and staff to stop in the nearest station till receiving new orders, in anticipation of using it in explosive operations.
- Unknown assailants tried to set fire and cut off the road fronting the Judges club in Alexandria, in fleming area, in the east of Alexandria governorate, but the people prevented them and tried to arrest them before they ran away.
- Monday March23th
- A homemade bomb exploded in Al Housary Sq, in 6<sup>th</sup> October city at Giza governorate, the explosion resulted in smashing the interface glass of a famous restaurant without injuries or life losses, the explosives experts and the civil protection forces moved to the site of the incident, a security cordon was imposed, and combed the entire area by the detection of explosives devices to make sure it was free of other explosives.
- One of the terrorists elements was injured seriously by a bomb explosion he was carry it inside a
  bag in the court complex in Naqada center in the south if Qena governorate, the explosives experts
  and the civil protection forces moved to the site of the incident, the injuries were transferred to
  Qena public hospital, a report of the incident was filed and the prosecution was notified to take
  over the investigation.
- The security forces in Qena governorate found a bomb during they were // the offender Mohamed Hamed's hous, in A l Sheikh Hassan village in Naqada, who a bomb was exploded in him during he was planted it in the vicinity of Naqada court, the explosives experts dealt it and dismantled it without any injuries.
- Armed assailants attacked a security patrol in Al Salam1area, in Fisal district, Suez governorate, which resulted in injuring a soldier by a gunshot and he was transferred in a serious condition to the military hospital, there was no shooting exchange from the police forces fearing of the citizens' life.
- An explosive device exploded, it was planted by unknown assailants in front of 6<sup>th</sup> October city's police station, there were no injuries, it turned out that it was an iron pipe connecting with a timer, it was detonated by a timer, the area was combed but no other explosives were found, a report of the incident was filed, and the prosecution was notified to take over the investigation.
- The security bodies and explosives experts in Minya governorate, defused a bomb was found next to police officers' rest house in Malawy, the police forces closed the street leading to the rest house, which led to traffic paralysis, in Malawy till the bomb was dealt with.
- An explosive device exploded net to the house of the council Fathy Al Bayoumy, the left member in the crimes court in Cairo the court which gave incent to Habeib Al Adly the former Interior Minister from the accusation of the illegal earning, which resulted in damages in the house's gate and its interface, and there were a words and sentences written on the wall of the house such as" this is our gift for the incent of Adly, and " wait for the coming".

- Unknown assailants riding a car fired bullets on the headquarters f a security /// in Al Arish city, there were no injuries or losses in the soldiers, the present forces fired intensively towards them, until they ran away.
- The explosive experts and civil protection in Minya governorate, dealt with a homemade bomb and dismantled it, it was found next to a banding building I 26<sup>th</sup> July St, in Malawy city. Minya governorate, there were no human or vesicle damages.
- The explosive experts and civil protection in Cairo governorate dealt with a suspected object, it was next to a security ambush in Al Ameeria, the examination revealed that it was a structure device free of explosive materials, the forces combed the area to make sure it was free of any other explosives.
- A farmer found a metal object in his farm land in Al Khatarh village at Faqous center, Sharkia governorate, the explosives experts moved to the place and it turned out that it was a cannon shell, a report of the incident was filed and the prosecution took over the investigation.
- The explosives experts in Sharkia governorate dealt with a foreign body, it was found next to the fence of the faculty of Arts at Zagzig university, where two lecture rooms were evacuated, the examination revealed that it was a structure device free of explosive materials, the lectures were continued again.
- The explosive experts and civil protection in Sharkia governorate dealt with a foreign body in the vicinity of the police station of Al Ma'ad Aldeiny, in Zagazig first department, they combed the area to make sure it was free of any other explosives.
- The security forces in North Sinai governorate thwarted an attempt to explode three explosive devices, in Al Akour area in the south of Al Sheikh Zuied, it was planted by unknown assailants, in the military vehicles, the explosives experts dealt with the devices, and defused it without any injuries or losses.
- The security forces in North Sinai governorate dismantled an explosive device, it was planted by unknown assailants, in the international road between Al Arish and Al Sheikh Zuied cities, next to Al Kharouba area east of Al Arish city, where the security closed the road till handled the bomb and dismantled it.
- The explosive experts of Alexandria security directorate dismantled a homemade bomb was set to exolde in Al Hadra area, in Tere't Al Mahmoudia St, the security forces reserved the bomb, and combed the vicinity area, a report of the incident was filed and the prosecution was notified to take over the investigation.
- Elements of Beit Al Maqdes organization waged an armed attack on the hadsqure local unit in Al Touma village south of Al Sheikg Zuied city, after the employees were dismissed, where the armed assailants fired on the local unit, and set a single worker free, he was inside the unit then they ran away.
- The explosives experts and civil protection forces in Sharkia governorate handled a structure explosive device, next to the fence of Al Masrya Blaza complex, in Zagazig second department, the forces combed the area, required report of the incident was filed and the prosecution was notified to take over the investigation.

- Tuesday March 24<sup>th</sup>
- A traveling micro bus No 6643 Alexandria, exploded while it was parked in a cars workshop, down the house of "Diaa Hassabu" the coordinator of the collation of 30june youth, in Al Beheira governorate, the explosion resulted in firing the car and a motorcycle, and burning the interface of the house front the workshop, the civil protection officers and explosives experts moved to the site, the fire was controlled, the area was combed and a report of the incident was filed.
- The civil protection succeeded in controlling a fire in the fire station at Al Zoohour district, in Othman Ebn Affan area in Port Saied, the criminal lab experts and the searching devices moved to the site, the examination revealed that someone poured petroleum products on the floor and ran away riding a white car, a report of the incident was filed and referred to the prosecution.
- A bomb exploded in the house of Al Areen village's Mayor, of Abu Kebeer center in Sharkia governorate, which resulted burning the hall house in addition to smashing the windwos' glass in the next 6 houses, the explosives experts moved to the site and combed the area, a report of the incident was filed and the prosecution was notified to investigate.
- Explosives experts and civil protection forces in Port Saied governorate, handled a foreign body it turned out that it contained explosive materials, on Port Saied- Alexandria railway track, between the two stations Al Kap and Al Tena in Port Saied, there were no losses, a report of the incident was filed and the prosecution was notified to investigate
- An explosive device exploded in a military vehicles during its passage next to Al Kharouba village in the south of Al Sheikh Zuied in North Sinai governorate, the explosion resulted in the killing of 2 recruits and 10 others were wounded from the Egyptian armed forces, the bodies and injuries were transferred to the military hospital.
- Three citizens injured by fire shots during a march to the Muslims brotherhood in Al Zawya Al Hamraa, Cairo city, where an employee and his sons fired bullets towards citizens, the injuries was transferred to the hospital for treatment, a report of the incident was filed and the prosecution took over the investigation.
- A homemade bomb exploded of Fayoum road's entry, it was placed by terrorists in front of 'dalah"
  district, it did not cause any injuries, the security forces of Fayoun and explosives experts of the
  civil protection department moved to the site, and combed the area, in anticipation of the existence
  of any other explosives.
- A bomb exploded near a military vehicle in the coast road in Al Sheikh Zuied city, in North Sinai governorate, during the passage of the food vehicle near the coast, there were no injuries, the security forces moved to the site of the incident, and combed the area searching for any other explosives, and to search for the offenders.
- Gun assailants riding a Verna car, fired on a central security recruit while he was in Al Mesaead Arab Al Arish district, which resulted in his immediate death, the body was transferred Al Arish hospital to examine it, and a team moved to the site of the incident to examine it and resume the investigates of the incident.
- The explosives experts in Giza governorate dismantled a structure explosive device in Ahmed Orabi St in Al Mouhandeseen, after it was dealt with by water hoses, where it was turned out that

it was a pink device and it was wrapped by a bar welding, and connected with a wire and timer, and it was free of explosive materials, there were no injuries.

- The inspector of explosives department in Ismailia security directorate, dismantled a structure explosive device consisting of a pipe connecting with an electronic circuit, comes out of it colorful lights and a mobile phone, it was placed in Ibrahim Salama Sq, 200 meter away of the building of Ismailia governorate, a report of the incident was filed.
- A Sentry of Monsha'et Tantawy police station, in Sanouras center, was injured after unknown assailants shot him from the farms, while he was come back from his work, which led to his injury in his foot, he was transferred to the public hospital, a report of the incident was filed.
- The security forces in Alexandria thwarted an attempt to cut off the Cornish in Sidi Besher the east of Alexandria, by unknown assailants, after they thrown tires with Benzene on the road, and thrown Molotov cocktails on it and ran away, the forces managed to remove these tires without causing cut off the road.
- Wednesday March 25<sup>th</sup>
- Two persons riding a motorcycle fired on the assigned security force to secure the kongo embassy, in Al Mouhandeseen area, Giza governorate, which resulted the injured of two recruits, a security patrol hunted them and managed to arrest them and a gun in their position, it was reported that it was stolen from the security directorate of Qalyoubia governorate, during the incidents happened after the 25<sup>th</sup> January, 2011, the two recruits were transferred to hospital for treatment, and taking all the legal actions for of the incident.
- An explosive device exploded in a primary fourth grade girl student at Al Hwatem primary school, the child found it in the Street while she was coming out of the school, and it was exploded while the girl was playing with it outside her home, which led to her immediate death, the body was transferred to Fayoum public hospital, a report of the incident was filed and the prosecution took over the investigation.
- Gun assailants opened fire on two Sentries of Fayoum center police station, in a chasing with them on the ring road, near Baghous area in Fayoum, it resulted in the injury of "Ayman Ead Abed Al Gwad" with a gumshot in the shoulder. And "Hamzawy Ead Fayed" in the foot and they were transferred to Fayoum public hospital, a report of the incident was filed and the prosecution took over the investigation.
- The explosives department forces from the civil protection in Bani Suef governorate, defused an explosive device, it was a LPG connecting to wires and timer, it was placed in the train coming from Upper Egypt's road, it was found on the railway track, in front of one of Al Wasta center's villages, in north of Bani Suef, a report of the incident was filed and the prosecution took over the investigation.
- There was an explosiom in a chalets owned by the daughter of Dr, Ali Gouma'a, the former Moufty of the republic, in Al Ta'meer housing on Qqroun lake's coast, in Fayoum governorate, the investigations revealed that unknown assailants placed an explosive device inside the rest house, and put a gas cylinders and detonated them, which led to damages in the rest house furniture, there were no injuries, a report of the incident was filed and the prosecution took over the investigation.

- A bomb car exploded in Takferia elements while they were setting it near Al Qare'aa village south of Rafah, in the Egyptian North Sinai governorate, which resulted in killing almost 15 of them.
- An explosive device exploded in the rail way track between the two stations of Belbies and Tal Ruzen of Belbies center, in Sharkia governorate, it caused a cut in on one of the tracks' bar by almost 60cm, and a hall under the explosion spot by 40cm deep, destroying two cement bases and founding metal pieces of the explosive device which was reserved by the explosives experts, the area was combed and a report of the incident was filed.
- The armed forces in North Sinai succeeded in donating 4 explosive devices, they were planted by terrorist elements in the forces' road, in Al Seikh Zuied North Sinai, where they were revealed and detonated by robot, without any injuries or losses.
- The explosives experts in Damietta succeeded in dismantling two explosive devices they were pipe diameter of 2.5 inches and a length of 20 cm, inside it cartridges bullets, bowder and connecting with an electrical circuit and explosive material, they were planted under the deporting vehicle's benzene tank of the prisoners of Faraskour police center, while it was parking in front of Shata court, a report of the incident was filed and the prosecution was notified to take over the investigation.
- The explosives experts and the civil protection forces in Alexandria governorate, dealt with a homemade bomb, it was found in a tram vehicle in Al Ramel station, near the police point check in the tram station, which resulted in suspending the tram movement Ramel in Alexandria, and combing the area, a report of the incident was filed and the prosecution took over the investigation.
- The security apparatus in Dakahlia dismantled a homemade bomb, it was placed in a school bag
  of a primary student next to Residential city in Al Sammad area near by the security directorate
  building, the forces imposed a security cordon and combed the area to make sure it was free of
  any other explosives.
- Armed elements committed armed robbery on a pickup double cabin car owned by Al nasagoon al sharkion company while it was passing next to Karm Al Qwadees village in the east of Al Arish city, North Sinai governorate, where the armed elements cut off the road to the car and get the driver out of the car under the threat of the weapon, and drive it to unknown destination, the security apparatus was reported of the incident and the car description were distributed on the ambushes in anticipation of using the car in a terrorist attack.
- The explosives experts in Damietta defused a homemade bomb it was planted in front of Faraskour, after the police station received a report of the SOS police department stating of founding a foreign body in front of the police station, there were no injuries.
- The explosive experts in the civil protection department of Bani Suef security directorate, defused a homemade bomb, it was a LPG cylinder connected with wires, it was found under the rail way tracks in Afwah village of Al Wasta center in the north of the governorate, it was defused by donating it by using water hoses, which resulted in suspending the train movement in the two ways until the area was combed to make sure it was free of any other explosives.

- Unknown assailants thrown Molotov cocktails on the metro train in Helwan direction while its passing on Al Maa'ady station, it resulted in the injury of the driver with different burns in his body.
- A young man belong to a famous trail in Rafah cityin North Sinai governorate was killed, by unknown assailants' bullets, by a gun shot in the nick from behind, he was kidnapped by Ansar Beit Al Maqdes organization, under the accusation of his cooperation with the security apparatus, his body was found in Al Masoura area in Rafah.
- Thursday, March 26<sup>th</sup>
- Unknown assailants fired on the centralized security forces in front of the general "Mohamed Ibrahim the former Interior minister 's house, in Al Malaha suburb in Suez, there were no injuries, the assailant ran away befor the security forces managing to deal with them or identifying them.
- Terrorists exploded a high explosive bomb, it was small size gas cylinder, topped by timer and bomber, it was exploded in under construction building, in the archaeological area in Saqqara, Giza governorate, the security forces also found two bombs in the area, the explosives experts succeeded in defusing them, a report of the incident was filed and the prosecution was notified to take over the investigations.
- The civil protection forces and explosives experts in Fayoum governorates, succeeded in dismantling a structure explosive device inside a nursery, in Kouta village of Yousef Al Sedeik center, there were no injuries, a report of the incident was filed and the prosecution was notified to take over the investigations.
- The explosives experts of Giza security directorate, defused an explosive device was planted in the archaeological area, in Al Badrasheen city, a security cordon was imposed in the vicinity of it and the citizen passage was forbidden till the explosive device was defused, a report of the incident was filed and the prosecution was notified to take over the investigations.
- The civil protection forces managed to collaborate with the explosive experts in Damietta, to dismantle a structure explosive device was placed under a car next to the fence of New languages school in Damietta and by examination it turned out that it was a cylindrical body inside it battery and wires, where it was handled by using water hoses.
- Unknown assailants attacked a car belong to Amanco company of transforming money in Al Waraq area in front of Tanash villages, and fired bullets on its passengers which resulted in the injured of one of the assigned security officers to secure the car, and they ran away after the failed in steeling the transferring money.
- The explosive experts managed to deal with a foreign body found by citizens in Al Azhar tunnel, which caused suspending traffic movement, where itwas revealed by the examination that it was a structure explosive device, a security cordon was imposed, the citizens passage was forbidden, the security forces closed the tunnel and combed the area to make sure it was free of any other explosives.
- Four recruits from the police were wounded inclashes between "Beit Al Maqdes" elements and security members in Rafah area, North Sinai governorate, while they were conducting the

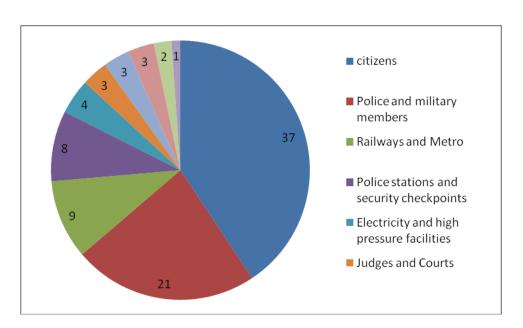
combing operations, where the terrorists fired bullets on the security men and ran away, which resulted in their injury, and they were transferred to the hospital for treatment.

- The security forces in North Sinai succeeded in addressing to an attempt to exploding Al Arish international air port, after they received security information about the existence of a water tank vehicle, it was stolen from 25 days from the water company in Rafah, it was bombed from inside by a high explosive materials and an electronic timer to be donating right after its entry to the airport, the forces raided the place and defused the bomb and the chemicals which were inside the care.
- The Egyptian security apparatus thwarted an attempt to explode an explosive devices targeted the police station in Fayoum city, where a 16 years old young man was arrested with a cartoon box contained explosive devices before planting them next to SOS police station, a number of security leaders and explosives expert moved to the site, where the seizures and the young man were under reservation, a team was formed to search and detect the provocative elements and arrest them quickly.
- The military forces in North Sinai thwarted an explosive device's explosion in the military forces, during a large military patrol was passing on the coast of Rafahcity, where it was stopped till one of the vehicles detonated the explosive device by firing shell, into the explosive device from a distance until it was exploded then the patrol complet his way.
- Elements from Beit Al Maqdes terrorist organization exploded the main water tank in Al Shoulak village south of Al Seikh Zuied city in North Sinai governorate, where the organization elements planted explosive devices which resulted in the explosion of the tank, without any injuries.
- The civil protection forces and explosive experts in Bani Suef governorate dismantled a homemade bomb on the high way of Afwah village of Al Wasta center, in Bani Suef governorate, it was targeting security patrol which was passing on the road, without any injuries.
- The civil protection forces and explosive experts in Ismailia governorate dismantled a homemade bomb in Al Geish St, Al Qantara west center, there were no injuries or life losses, a security cordon was imposed and the area was combed to make sure it was free of any other explosives.
- The civil protection forces and explosive experts in Dakahlia governorate dismantled a homemade bomb nearby the Fertilizer factory in Talkha city, there were no injuries, where the timer of the bomb was removed from it and dismantled it, the security apparatus combed the entire area in anticipation of the existence of any other explosives.
- Al Rous ambush in the western Cairo Asyut road exposed to an armed attack by unknown assailants riding a fast car, the forces and chased them and exchanged fire, one of them was arrested with a gun in his position while the rest of the offenders ran away.

**Quantitative analysis of the bombing and violence incidents:** 

Distribution of violence incidents by the nature of the target entities

Targets	#of incidents	governorates
citizens	37	Sharkia, Damietta, Giza, North Sinai, Cairo, Alexandria, Giza, Qena, Minya, Fayoum, Ismailia, Dakahlia, Gharbia.
Police and military members	21	North Sinai, Suez,iro, Minya, Cairo, Fayoum, Damietta
Railways and Metro	9	Bani Suef, Giza, Minya, Sharkia, Cairo, Port Saied
Police stations and security checkpoints	8	Port Saied, Alexandria, Giza, Sharkia, Damietta, North Sinai, Fayoum
Electricity and high pressure facilities and Gas lines	4	Sharkia, Damietta, Cairo
Judges and Courts	3	Sohag, Qena, Cairo
Political figures	3	Bani Suef, Giza, Fayoum
Universities and Schools	3	Sharkia, Damietta, Fayoum
Worship houses	2	Dakahlia, Giza
Diplomatic Missions	1	Giza
Total	91	,



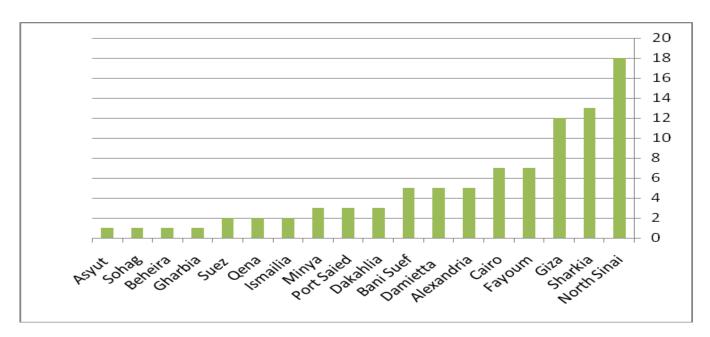
The results in the previous table indicating that targeting citizen took the lead among the targets of the violence incident which were witnessed last week with 37 from total 91violent incidents, followed by targeting Police and military members with 21violent incidents, after that Railways and Metro came next with 9 violent incidents, Police stations and security checkpoints followed with 8 violent incidents, Electricity and high pressure facilities and Gas limes came next by 4 violent incidents, Judges and Courts, Political figures and Universities and Schools followed by 3 violent incidents for each, Worship houses

came next with 2 violent incidents and at last came the targeting of the Diplomatic Missions with one violent incident.

## Distribution of violence incidents by governorates:

governorates	# of incidents
North Sinai	18
Sharkia	13
Giza	12
Fayoum	7
Cairo	7
Alexandria	5
Damietta	5
Bani Suef	5
Dakahlia	3
Port Saied	3
Minya	3
Ismailia	2
Qena	2
Suez	2
Gharbia	1
Beheira	1
Sohag	1
Asyut	1

Distribution of violence incidents by governorates:



The indicated results in the above table highlights that North Sinai took the lead among the governorates that have witnessed violence incidents by 18 incidents, followed by Sharkia with 13 incidents, Giza came next by 12 incidents, followed by Fayoum and Cairo with 7 incidents for each, Alexandria, Damietta and Bani Suef followed with 5 incidents for each, Dakahlia, Port Saied and Minya came next by 3 incidents for each, Ismailia ,Qena and Suez followed with 2 incidents for each, Gharbia, Beheira, Sohag and Asyut came at last by one incident for each.

#### The significance of bombings and violence incidents:

- The continuing decline in the rates of the violence incidents for the second week in a row, compared to the last week, where it decreased from 110 violence incidents in the last week to 91 violent incidents this week, which decreased by almost 17%, which reveals the remarkable success of the security apparatus in the early thwarting to the attempts of violence and bombing incidents.
- Continuing targeting the citizens in a direct way by the terrorist elements, where their share was 37 violent incidents from 91 violent incidents, by 41% from all the violent incidents, generally the share of the civilian targets was 62 incidents with (68%) of the total violence incidents.
- The targeting of the officers of the Egyptian armed forces and police significantly this week, where their share was about 21 violence incidents from the total 91 violence incidents, by almost 23%.
- Continuing targeting political figures, universities, schools, courts and judges but in a relatively limited way.
- Continuing spreading the violence incidents in various Egyptian governorates, where 18 governorates witnessed violent incidents this week, comparing with 20 governorates in the last week, with its heavily concentrated in North Sinai governorate, Sharkia, Giza, Cairo, Fayoum.