

## Urgent Statement by RASED Coalition regarding the assault on a polling station in Muaqar-Central Badia

## 15/08/2017

RASED's central operation room just received information from the field observers affirming the assault on polling station number 21 at Al-Muaqar High School for Gills in Muaqar- Central Badia. Where the assault was committed by a group of a candidate's supporters. Violence broke out in the area, where RASED's supervisor had to withdraw the field observers to ensure their physical safety. Thus, RASED's team does not have any further information on this case. And, therefore, we call upon the Independent Election Commission and all concerned parties to urgently handle this matter and coordinate with the security authorities to take the necessary measures, in order to preserve electoral security and to mitigate the damage to electoral integrity.

