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## Rocket damages civilian homes

Palestinian terrorists in Gaza fired a rocket at southern Israel late on Friday night. The rocket slammed into an area between two residential homes in the Ashkelon Coast Region, and sent shrapnel flying in several directions. The shrapnel struck as civilians sat in a living room in one of the homes, and penetrated the structure. An electric pole was also damaged in the attack, cutting power to the homes.

Civilians said the Red Alert rocket siren failed to go off prior to the attack.

"The rocket caused light damages to the buildings," a police spokeswoman said.

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