Former detainee dies shortly after release from custody

On 28 October 2021, the joint forces from SAF and RSF arrested Mr. Mohamed Ibrahim Abakar Hassan from his workplace at a fish market located in Khartoum. Without giving any reasons for his arrest, the joint forces whisked him away to an unknown location. On 29 October, he was found dumped near Al-Andlous seminary in Khartoum in poor health condition, with clear signs of having been subjected to torture. He was taken to Ibrahim Malik Charity Hospital where he passed on the following day. A case has been filed against unknown perpetrators under file number 2108 /2021.

Torture and ill treatment of detainees

On 26 October 2021, 11 members of Sudanese Congress Party were arrested by a group of Military Intelligence officers of Karima, Northern State. They were beaten with water horse pipe during arrest and on their way to the Military intelligence office. They were also forced to stand for long hours in the yard of the Military Intelligence building whilst live bullets were being shot on the ground near their feet to scare them.

On 30 October 2021, at about 3.30pm, three young University graduates from Aldouem neighborhood in Khartoum were arrested by armed group of RSF officers in Africa Street in Khartoum next to Afra Mall while on their way to join the protest gathering at the 60th street in Arkaweet neighborhood. The RSF officers forced the graduates to remove of their shirts before subjecting them to beatings of up to 35 lashes each. They released the graduates after forcefully shaving off their hair. The names of the graduates are:

- 1. Mutz Ahmed Mergani (m), 23-year-old, graduate of School of Engineering at Emeritus University
- 2. Mohamed Kamal (m), 25-years-old, graduate of School of Engineering at Sudan University
- 3. Mohamed Sagiroon(m), graduate of School of Engineering at Sudan University

On 30 October 2021, SAF officers arrested 26 peaceful protesters in Kosti, White Nile state. They were detained at SAF headquarter where they were beaten with water horse pipes. The following day, they were transferred to the police station and charged under articles 69 (disturbance of public peace) of the Sudanese penal Code 1991. They were released that same day on police bond. No court session has been announced yet.

On 1 November 2021, 6 joint officers of SAF and RSF raided the house of 17-year-old Ahmed (not real name) located in Alabasia neighborhood in Omdurman looking

for him. Ahmed had run back into his family's house from the main street to avoid being arrested. He had stepped out to go to a grocery store next to his home when he met joint forces of SAF and RSF patrolling the street, looking for members of the resistance committee. The officers beat Ahmed as they tried to get him out of the house. The raid lasted almost 20 munities before the joint forces gave up and moved out of the house after Ahmed's family intervened to protect him.

On 1 November 2021, joint forces of SAF and RSF who were patrolling the streets in Almujahdeen neighborhood in Khartoum stopped Mr. Mohamed Muhi Eldien Aljlaad, a 24-year-old who was driving his family car and headed for shopping. The officers ordered him out of the car and almost immediately started beating him using wooden bars and sticks. He was beaten because he had posters calling a for mass rally against coup on 30 October stuck to his car. He later under went a surgery for injures he sustained on the head.

On 1 November 2021, a group of RSF officers raided a sweets shop located in Alarbaeen Street in Omdurman and without giving any reasons started beating three men in the shop, two workers and the owner. The RSF officers beat the 3 men with wooden bars all over their bodies before grabbing four sweets and not making any payment.

On 7 November 2021, 3 passengers were forced by a group of SAF officers to step out of a bus they travelling in between Khartoum and Algadarif. They were forced to sit down before the SAF officers shaved off their hair and later allowed them to resume their journey.

On 8 November 2021, at about 10pm, Mr. Siddiqi Mohamed Eltijani who works for UNDP in Khartoum was stopped by the traffic police on Aljeraif road in Arkawite neighborhood while on his way back to his home in Alduom neighborhood in Khartoum. He presented his drivers license as the traffic officer requested to check. The traffic officer asked for his log book and he handed over a duplicate copy but the officer insisted on inspecting an original copy of log book. Mr. Siddiqi told the officer to keep the police report until when he comes back the next morning. As he started to drive away, an individual in plain clothes who was standing next to traffic officer stopped him and said this is a minor issue and requested him to come out of the car and get his police report from the officer. Mr. Siddiqi came out of the car and as he approached the traffic officer, 14 other men in plain clothes attacked him with leather lashes and water horse pipes, beating him all over his body. The men forced him to sit down after which they forcefully shaved his head in a gruesome manner, which left him with injuries.

On 7 November 2021, a female member¹ of the teacher's union was detained at Almougran public order police station in Khartoum along side other teachers under inhumane conditions that reportedly caused her to miscarry her pregnancy. She was

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¹ Name withheld for privacy reasons.

later admitted to a police hospital in Khartoum and where she was discharged the following day.

Detainees contract Corona virus

On 9 November 2021, a Covid-19 test was carried out on 13 detainees in Aldean detention center in East Darfur. Results showed that 5 of them had contracted the Corona virus. However those infected had to remain at the detention center because the local health officers said the isolation center was not ready to receive them.

Those infected with the virus are;

- 1. Juoda El-Saier (m), Director General of the East Darfur Ministry of Finance. He was arrested and detained on 28 October in Ed Daein.
- 2. Bashir Mohamed Ibrahim (m), Director General of the East Darfur Ministry of Health. He was arrested and detained on 28 October in Ed Daein.
- 3. Alssir Jalal (m), Chairperson of Umma national political party of Eastern Darfur
- 4. Malla Mohamed (m), public servant at the Social development ministry in Eastern Darfur
- 5. Mustafa Bakhit (m), member of Freedom and Change Alliance, Aldaein Eastern Darfur. He was arrested on 28 October 2021.

The Military Intelligence summons a human rights defender

On 25 October 2021, the Military intelligence of Karima in Northern State summoned Mr. Isma Eldien Mohamed Farah, an advocate and human rights defender to report to their offices on 26 October. When Mr. Isma reported to their offices, he was made to sit in one of their offices. He was offered two meals and allowed to say his prayers before he was released at 4pm on the same day. He was asked report the following day at 9 am. He reported and same scenario was repeated, he was not interrogated or told reasons why he was summoned. He was released at 4pm.

Heavy police presence in at court proceedings

On 30 October 2021, 20 peaceful protesters were arrested by Kassala police in Eastern Sudan during the 30 October millions march. They were taken to a police station where they were charged with disturbance of public peace (article 69 of Sudanese Penal Code Act 1991). They were produced in court but before the court session could start, the Kassala Police Commissioner together with a large number of police officers entered and sat in the courtroom. The judges decided to adjourn the court session citing grounds of insecurity inside the courtroom. On the second day of the hearing, October 31, all the judges agreed to dismiss all the charges against the peaceful protesters.

Prosecution of peaceful protesters

On 30 October 2021, the Military intelligence arrested 44 youth leaders of the resistance committees of Elfashir, North Darfur state from the 30 October millions

march. They were detained at the Elfashir central police station before being released on bond. They were all charged with disturbance of public peace (article 69 of Sudanese Panel Code 1991) and article 2 of emergency decree. The detainees included 6 minors.

The names of the detainees are:

- 1. Abdul Salam Adam (m), 16
- 2. Adam Abdullah Abakar (m)
- 3. Adam Ahmed Fadul (m)
- 4. Adam Ibrahim (m)
- 5. Adam Ibrahim Hussein (m)
- 6. Adam Mohamed Abakar (m)
- 7. Ahmed AL Mubarak (m), 16
- 8. Aizz Eldien Ahmed Yousef (m)
- 9. AL Rashid Ismail Idris (m)
- 10. Almegdad Suleiman (m), 17
- 11. Ayeman Ahmed (m)
- 12. Dar Elsalam Siddiqi (m)
- 13. Elteyeb Osman Abdullah (m)
- 14. Faris Abdullah Suleiman (m)
- 15. Huda Adam Mohamed (f)
- 16. Husham Musa (m)
- 17. Ishaq Mohamed Haroun (m)
- 18. Ismail Sabeel Garib (m)
- 19. Mahmoud Abakar (m)
- 20. Mahmoud Ahmed Mahmoud (m) 17
- 21. Majidi Khidir Mohamed (m)
- 22. Manies Adam Mohamed (m)
- 23. Mnasik Adam (f)
- 24. Mohamed Adam Ahmed (m)
- 25. Mohamed Adam Mohamed (m)
- 26. Mohamed Haroun (m)
- 27. Mohamed Ibrahim Abakar (m)
- 28. Mohamed Mukhtar Abdullah (m)
- 29. Muhi Eldien Ahmed Adam (m)
- 30. Muntsir Ishaq (m)
- 31. Musab Elnoor Badawi (m)
- 32. Mustafa Ibrahim (m)
- 33. Nabwia Ibrahim Hasabo (f)
- 34. Nadia Ibrahim Hsaabo (f)
- 35. Nafahatte Mohamed (m), 16
- 36. Omer Fatihi (m), 17
- 37. Salah Eldien Ahmed Abdullah (m)
- 38. Salah Hamid (m)

- 39. Saleh Sabri Suleiman (m)
- 40. Suleiman Fadul Eldoma (m)
- 41. Taha Ali Eltouem (m)
- 42. Tsabith Adam (m)
- 43. Tsabith Ahmed (f)
- 44. Walled Yagoup (m)

On 4 November 2021, a judge of a court in Ed Damazin, Blue Nile State, Mr Alla Eldien Abdullah dismissed charges under articles 69 (disturbance of public peace) and 77 (public nuisance) of Sudanese Criminal Code 1991 leveled against 5 University students of Blue Nile who were arrested by the Ed Damazin police while participating in a peaceful protest. The charges were dismissed after the complainant, a police officer, missed the court session.

The names of the five students are:

- 1. Mohamed Hashim (m), a student at the School of Nursing, Blue Nile University
- 2. Alsadiq Abu Bakar (m), a student at the School of Engineering, Blue Nile University
- 3. Abdul Majud Issa, (m), a student at the School of Engineering, Blue Nile University
- 4. Mohamed Abdullah Adam (m), a student at the School of Engineering, Blue Nile University
- 5. Mohamed Jumma (m), a student at the School of Engineering. Blue Nile University

Another court in Ed Damazin, Blue Nile State headed by judge Mutwakil Hamad dropped charges against Abdul Aal Muda Adam (m), a student at the School of Engineering, Blue Nile University who was arrested by police on October 25 while participating in a peaceful protest. He had been charged under articles 69 (disturbance of public peace) and 77 (public nuisance) of Sudanese Criminal Code 1991.

Detainees fined SDG 50,000 for participating in peaceful protests

On 10 November 2021, a judge of the emergency court in Kassala, Eastern Sudan sentenced three peaceful protesters to fine of 50,000 Sudanese pounds (proximately 120 US dollars) after finding them guilty of violating article 77 (public nuisance) of Sudanese Penal Code 1991. The 3 protesters were arrested while participating in a peaceful protest on 30 October 2021. Their names are:

- 1. Annas Hassan(m)
- 2. Abu Algasim Alhadi (m)
- 3. Aymen Mohamed (m)

Continued arbitrary arrests

South Darfur

On 6 November 2021, joint forces of the Police and RSF arrested 3 members of teachers committee (Trade Union) of Nyala, South Darfur for mobilizing teachers to participate in protests against the coup. They are being detained at Nyala detention center attached to Nyala prison.

- 1. Ahmed Khalid (m)
- 2. Yasir Bashar (m)
- 3. Mohamed Ibrahim Abdul Altaam (m)

On 8 November 2021, RSF and SAF officers arrested two teachers who are members of teachers committee after they objected to re-appointment of Mr. Mohamed Alamin Mustafa as Director of Primary education exams board of South Darfur. Mr. Mustafa was earlier dismissed from his position in October following allegations of corruption.

- 1. Taha Osman (m)
- 2. Jamal Salah (m)

Khartoum

On 8 November 2021, the military intelligence arrested 3 members of the resistances committee of Alsahafa neighborhood in Khartoum. Their names are:

- 1. Diaa Eldien Sufian (m), 19
- 2. Basil Osman (m), 20
- 3. Amor Yahiya (m), 23

On 8 November 2021, the Military intelligence arrested about 13 teachers from a peaceful protest organized by Sudanese Teachers Committee inside the Ministry of Education offices in Khartoum to condemn the coup. One female teacher broke her leg during the raid by the military intelligence. One group was detained at Northern police station and another at a Public Order police station located in Almugran, both in Khartoum. Those detained at the Northern police station were charged with violating article 77 (public nuisance) of Sudanese Penal Code before they were released on bond later that same day whilst and the group detained at the Public Order Police station in Almugran were released without any charges pressed against them.

Their names are:

- 1. Abbas Elteyeb (m)
- 2. Eatidal Ibrahim (F)
- 3. Rugia Abdullah (f)
- 4. Ishraga Elnajeen (f)
- 5. Ali Obied (m)
- 6. Mahmoud Ibrahim (m)
- 7. Emaad Hassantoud (m)
- 8. Noor Alhuda (f)

- 9. Saltiein Mahdi (m)
- 10. Shazalia Narur (f)
- 11. Mohamed Saleh (m)
- 12. Ekhlas Abdullah
- 13. Gambia Omer (f), human rights defender and leader in the Sudanese Professional Association

On 11 November 2021, the military intelligence arrested Mr. Mohamed Naji Abdullah Alassam, a medical doctor and member of Democratic Unionist Party and Sudanese Processional Association (SPA). He is the third member of the SPA to be arrested after Mr. Taha Osman who was arrested on 4 November 2021.

North Kordofan

On 9 November 2021, the Al-Obeid Police arrested 13 members of the resistance committee of Al-Obeid, North Kordofan from the main street next to the police station while participating in a peaceful protest. The police fired tear gas at the crowd and beat protesters with water horse pipes and sticks. The 13 members of the resistance committees were detained at Al-Obeid police station and charged under articles 69 (disturbance of public peace) and 77 (public nuisance) of Sudanese Criminal Code 1991. They were all released on police bond that same day.

Their names are:

- 1. Abdul Rahman Suleiman (m)
- 2. Ahmed Mohamed Wad Elssaak (m)
- 3. Allah Eldien Hamid (m)
- 4. Elteyeb Zain Elabdien (m)
- 5. Fadwa Ahmed Adam (f)
- 6. Majidi Ibrahim (m)
- 7. Mohamed Khalil Abu Warda (m)
- 8. Mohamed Osman Hano (f)
- 9. Mohamed Walled (m)
- 10. Munib Abdullah (m)
- 11. Mustafa Hassan (m)
- 12. Osman Yosef (m)
- 13. Qureshi Ahmed (m)

Three detainees transferred from Wad Madani to unknown detention in Khartoum

On 9 November 2021, three detainees were transferred from a detention center attached to Wad Madani, A-Gezira State prison to be a detention centre in Khartoum. Their place of detention in Khartoum remains unknown. Their names are-

- 1. Taha Awad, member of the Anti-Corruption Committee, Al Jazeera State. He was arrested on 25 October 2021.
- 2. Samer Salah, member of the Anti-Corruption Committee, Al Jazeera State. He was arrested on 25 October 2021.

3. Abdullah Mohamed Alaskan (m)

Released detainees

- 1. Hamza Balloul, Minister of Culture and Information and member of the Democratic Unionist Party.
- 2. Hashiem Hassab Al-Rasoul, Minister of Communications and member of the Arab Ba'ath Party
- 3. li Hedo (m), Minister of Commerce, he was arrested on 30 October 2021
- 4. Yousef Adam Aldai (m) Minister of youth and sports
- 5. Mujeeb Saeed Arman (m), brother of Yasir Saeed Arman, political advisor of Sudanese prime minster, released on 4 November 2021
- 6. Khdija Albabia (f), teacher and member of teachers committee of Eastern Darfur. She was arrested at 11:00AM on 4 November and released at 04:00 PM that same day.
- 7. Al-Sir Jalal (m), member of Freedom and Change Alliance from El Daein Eastern Darfur. He was arrested on 28 October 2021.
- 8. Ibrahim Kalol (m) Director of revenue of Elian, Eastern Darfur State. He arrested on 28 October 2021.
- 9. Ibrahim Yahiya Mohamed (m), a member of Teachers Committee and Trade Union. He was arrested and detained on 1 November in Ed Daein.
- 10. Jamal Osman Khamis, Human rights defender from West Darfur. He was arrested at 03:00PM on 5 November while addressing the public to participate in rallies against the coup. He was released on 6 November 2021.
- 11. On 8 November 2021, Alhadi Mohamed Yahiya (m), a leader within the Sudanese Teachers association. He was arrested from his home in Khartoum by the military intelligence and detained in detention center under SAF. After a few hours, he was transferred to hospital because he started feeling heart problem. The military intelligence insisted on taking him back to detention center but doctors advised them not to because his health might deteriorate. He was released without any charges pressed against him.

Violation of freedom of Expression

On 8 November 2021, Mr. Ahmed Younies, journalist and director of Middle East newspaper office in Sudan was summoned via a phone call by Mr. Abdul Azim Awad, the General Secretary of Sudanese Media and Publication Council. The summons came after Mr. Younis published an article in the Middle East newspaper about the re-appointment of al-Bashir's National Congress Party (NCP) members in high profile positions by Gen. Al-Burhan. On November 1 2021, General al Burhan had dismissed Mr. Hassam Haidar, general secretary of Sudanese Media and publication council without giving any reasons and replaced him with NCP's Mr. Abdul Azim Awad.

On 7 November 2021, a group of police officers attacked Mr. Hassan Hamid, a photographer of Arabic independent newspaper while he was filming the roadblocks by resistance committees in Khartoum streets. The police broke his camera on grounds that he was filming when police attacked some protesters in Burri neighborhood in Khartoum. He reported a case against the police force the following day.

Court orders telecommunication companies to restore Internet services

On 9 November 2021, Khartoum court headed by Judge Tariq Abdul Latif heard a civil suit, file number 2838/2021, lodged by five plaintiffs against 4 telecommunication companies in Sudan.

The plaintiffs had sued for the restoration of internet services which have been disrupted since 25 October. Court ruled in favor of the plaintiffs and ordered for the restoration of internet services for the plaintiffs' based on the agreements between the parties. On 11 November 2021, the same judge ordered the defendants to re-connect the internet to all subscribers. However, later that day, Brig. Abu Haja, Al-Burhan's media advisor issued a statement mentioning that the reconnection of internet services remains under power of the office of Gen. Al-Burhan as per the Emergency decree. Thereafter, the office of Gen. Al Burhan communicated with telecommunication companies to disregard the court decision.

The plaintiffs were:

- 1. Sudanese Society for Consumer Protection
- 2. Dr. Abdul Azim Hassan (m)
- 3. Yasir Mergani Abdul Rahman (m)
- 4. Salma Mohamed Alamin Bakhite (f)
- 5. Tasneem Mohamed Alfadul (f)

The defendants were:

- 1. Sudanese Mobile Phone Co. Ltd (Zain)
- 2. Sudatel Telecom Group Co., Ltd. (Sudatell)
- 3. Canar Telecom Co. Ltd. (Canar)
- 4. MTN Telecom Co Ltd (MTN)