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URGENT APPEAL

THE JSC ARRESTED MR. JAGDOOL IN DAMAZIN, SUDAN

On 6th April 2025, the Joint Security Cell (JSC) arrested Mr. Fateh-Elrahman (Jagdool Abu-Murtada) and took him to their detention cell. They did not give a reason for the arrest and since then, he has been kept incommunicado under torture. This raised the fear for his life.

On 6th April 2025, the Joint Security Cell (JSC) soldiers in Damazin arrested Mr. Fateh-Elrahman Mohammed Ahmed Abdalla (known as Jagdool Abu-Murtada) from his house without giving a reason. Since then, they have been holding him incommunicado at their detention cell in Roseries Dam building in Damazin town.

HUDO Centre got reliable information that, Mr. Jagdool is undergoing torture and currently he is suffering from head injuries but he is denied medical treatment by the captors (JSC).

One of the activists in Blue Nile informed HUDO Centre that, *“as activists, we all know that the reason behind the arrest of Mr. Jagdool is his strong objection and critical stance on the misconduct and corruption implemented by the state authority”*.

HUDO Centre is concerned about the safety of civilians in Sudan during this difficult period of fighting between SAF and RSF and calls for the following:

- The JSC to immediately stop torturing Mr. Fateh-Elrahman and allow him to access medical care.
- The JSC in Blue Nile State to immediately and unconditionally release Mr. Fateh-Elrahman or send him to the court of law.
- The security committee in Blue Nile State to investigate the circumstances that led to the arrest of Mr. Fateh-Elrahman and make the report public.
- The JSC to stop arresting civilians arbitrarily.



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Additional information:

Mr. Fateh-Elrahman Mohammed Ahmed Abdalla is 33 years old, known by the name of Jagdool Abu-Murtada. He is self-employed and one of the most active youths in Blue Nile serving the IDPs, poor and sick people. He is known as a member of the Youth Front for Reform and Development as well as active within the Resistance Committees in Blue Nile.

Damazin, is the capital city of Blue Nile State.

Since June 2024, the security committee in Blue Nile State established a unit and named it Joint Security Cell. This unit consists of SAF- MI, GIS, police, SPLA-N (Agar faction) and the Islamic militia. Currently, this unit or cell is responsible and leads in the arrest operations (campaign). This unit (the Joint Security Cell) uses the Roseries dam building in Damazin town as a detention centre. This detention centre is managed by SPLA-N and the Islamic militia.

The violated rights: Personal freedom

- Article 46 of the Constitutional Document 2019.
- Article 6 of the African Charter on Human and Peoples' Rights.
- Article 9 of the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights.
- Article 9 of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights.