

URGENT ACTION

PRISONER OF CONSCIENCE RELEASED

Dr Sa'eed Mothaher Habib al-Samahiji was released on 1 July. He had completed his one-year sentence.

Dr Sa'eed Mothaher Habib al-Samahiji was released on 1 July after serving a one-year sentence in Bahrain's Jaw prison. He had been sentenced in December 2013 for publicly insulting the King of Bahrain while speaking at the funeral of a protester. His sentence was upheld four months later and he was arrested on 1 July 2014.

No further action is requested from the UA network. Many thanks to all who sent appeals.

Please check with your section office if sending appeals after the above date. This is the first update of UA 172/14. Further information: <https://www.amnesty.org/en/documents/mde11/028/2014/en/>

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Gender m/f: m

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