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Further information on EXTRA 81/97 (AFR 47/21/97, 5 June 1997) - Fear for safety

RWANDAEmmanuel Hitimana

Emmanuel Hitimana was released from custody on 6 June 1997, at around midday. He was not ill-treated while in detention. The prosecutor of Kigali reportedly ordered his release after it was found that the accusations of corruption against him were unsubstantiated.

Amnesty International is seeking further information on the case. No further appeals by the UA Network are required at present. Thanks to all who sent appeals.