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Sudan: Rape as a weapon of war in Darfur

Amnesty International will launch the report *Rape as a weapon of war in Darfur* at simultaneous media briefings in Nairobi, Kenya and Beirut, Lebanon. The report is based on more than a hundred of interviews with Sudanese refugees in camps in eastern Chad and reveals the devastating impact of the ongoing armed conflict on women and girls.

In Nairobi, Kenya

Who: Erwin Van der Borgh, Deputy Program Director of the Africa program at the International Secretariat and Pollyanna Truscott, Darfur Crisis Coordinator.

Where: Nairobi Safari Club, University Way, phone number, +254 20 251333

When: Monday, 19 July 2004

Time: 11:00

In Beirut, Lebanon

Who: Benedicte Goderiaux, Amnesty International's Researcher on Sudan.

Where: Press Syndicate, Raouche (near Qatar Embassy), phone number, +961 1 865357

When: Monday, 19 July 2004

Time: 11:00

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