

EXTERNAL

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Further information on EXTRA 15/96 (EUR 44/19/96, 2 February 1996) - Fear for safety / Fear of torture

TURKEY Mehmet Kambur, headman of Güvenkaya village

Hüseyin Polat

Mustafa Do_aner

Güzel Polat

Ibrahim Erdo_an

Hasan Erdo_an

R_za Ate_

Bayram Güngöz

plus an unknown number of villagers from Güvenkaya

Mehmet Ali Do_an

Ali Karakoç, minibus driver

Nuri Y_ld_r_m, aged 60

Re_it Ço_kun, aged 60

Davut Keskin, aged 20

Battal Özkan

_ükrü Kaya

Hüseyin Akkaya

Mustafa Poyraz

All the villagers named above, and others detained during Turkish security force operations against armed opposition groups in the triangle between the towns of Zara, Kangal and Divri_i, in Sivas province, have been released. Some detainees have alleged that they were tortured or ill-treated in custody, including by electric shocks.

No further action by the UA Network is requested. Thank you to all who sent appeals on this case.