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Further information on UA 245/91 (EUR 44/100/91, 17 July 1991) - Disappearance

TURKEY: Selim Ery_lmaz
Muzaffer Yalç_n
Abdullah Kübet
Cavit Bulut
Selim Düz
Mustafa Kaçan
Adil Yaz_c_
Selim Güngör
Halil Memi_
Ayd_n Becermen
Osman Çelik
Adnan Sa_
_hsan Kurt
Muharrem Ba__büyük

Of the 14 persons mentioned above, all but one, Adil Yaz_c_, have reappeared. They were reported missing in Diyarbak_r in southeastern Turkey where they attended the funeral of murdered Kurdish politician Vedat Ayd_n on 10 July 1991. Many had been detained by the police who were denying holding them. Others had been in hiding. However, the seven people listed below who attended the funeral, including Adil Yaz_c_, remain missing.

Adil Yaz_c_

Selim Bingöl
Mehdi Demir
Mevlut Argun
_ahin Alpan
Nesih Do_an
Muharrem Bozan

Muharrem Bozan left the party headquarters in Diyarbak_r of HEP (People's Labour Party) at 5.00pm on 25 July 1991, since when no news has been heard of him. There is particular concern about his fate in the light of the recent deaths of two prominent members of Diyarbak_r HEP. Vedat Ayd_n, who was murdered on 8 April 1991 was Chairperson of the Diyarbak_r branch, while Remzi_l, Diyarbak_r delegate of HEP died on 27 July 1991 after being detained and beaten on 11 July 1991 by people who introduced themselves as plain clothes policemen.

FURTHER RECOMMENDED ACTION: Telegrams/telexes/faxes/express and airmail letters:

- asking whether Adil Yaz_c_, Selim Bingöl, Mehdi Demir, Mevlut Argun, _ahin Alpan, Nesih Do_an and Muharrem Bozan are being held in police custody;
- calling for an immediate investigation into the present whereabouts of all those among the seven who are currently not in detention;

- requesting to be informed of its findings.

APPEALS TO: *(where possible, please limit your response to 10 appeals per section)*

Emergency Legislation Governor:

Mr Hayri Kozakç_o_lu

[Salutation: Dear Governor]

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Diyarbak_r, Turkey

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[Salutation: Your Excellency]

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and to diplomatic representatives of Turkey in your country.

PLEASE SEND APPEALS IMMEDIATELY. Check with the International Secretariat, or your section office, if sending appeals after 27 August 1991.