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Mehmet\_ah Hazer  
Isa Bozkurt  
Abdurrahman Yava\_  
Salih Yalc\_n

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Osman Aytar, Ismail Ayd\_n and Hayrettin Bozkurt were charged under article 141/4 (membership of a separatist organization) and released after appearing in court on 1 October 1990.

Mehmet\_irin Ay, \_sa Bozkurt, Abdurrahman Yava\_ and Salih Yalç\_n were charged separately under civil law for possession of firearms and released.

In all 34 people were detained in Diyarbak\_r and Silvan in south-eastern Turkey during June and July 1990. Some were released uncharged, while others were charged with membership of the illegal Kurdistan Avantgarde Workers' Party. Released detainees reported that they had been held at the "anti-riot police" station and subjected to severe torture.

No further action is required on their behalf, although Amnesty International will continue to monitor their situation. Thank you to all who sent appeals.