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TURKEY: Zafer Alkoyun

Cihan Kaya Cumali Gökalp Dr Cemal Parlak

Zafer Alkoyun, Cihan Kaya and Cumali Gökalp were committed to Sa_malc_lar Prison, Istanbul on or around 7 December 1990. Dr Cemal Parlak was released the same day. They had all been detained between 26 and 29 November in Istanbul, and were held incommunicado at the First (Political) Branch of Istanbul Police Headquarters; it was feared that they would be subjected to torture.

No details of their treatment while in detention are yet available; however, no further action is required for the time being. Amnesty International will continue to monitor the case. Thank you to all who sent appeals on their behalf.