

URGENT ACTION

EGYPT: RISK OF FORCIBLE RETURN AVERTED

Sudanese refugee Ishaq Fadl Dafallah is no longer believed to be at imminent risk of forcible return to Sudan from Egypt.

Following continued calls on the Egyptian authorities, including by international human rights organizations, Ishaq Fadl Dafallah was not forcibly returned to Sudan on 19 April as feared. On 20 April he was transferred to Khalifa Police Station in Cairo, where he remains detained. He is no longer in imminent danger of forcible return.

Mohamed Adam Abdallah, another Sudanese refugee who was at risk of forcible return to Sudan, also remains detained in Khalifa Police Station, following appeals to the authorities. He is also no longer in imminent danger of forcible return.

Amnesty International will continue to monitor their cases.

No further action is requested from the UA network. Many thanks to all who sent appeals.

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