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Health professionals imprisoned in 1980

SYRIA

We can now confirm that one of the doctors released in November 1995 was Muwaffaq Hasan WALID (number 100 in the June 1995 list). Mr Walid was a medical student at the time of his detention in 1980.

With reference to Imad ZA'TAR, we previously stated that he was released in 1983 whereas he was in fact released in 1994.