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Further information on EXTRA 148/96 (EUR 44/146/96, 24 September 1996) and follow-up (EUR 44/149/96, 26 September 1996) - Fear of "disappearance" / Fear of torture

TURKEYNesime Sevinç (f)

Tar\_k Dolan Murathan Be\_enk or Ba\_enk Cemal Ayy\_ld\_z Iskender Azizo\_lu Hüseyin Akdo\_an

Nejdet Özdemir and another person (name unknown)

new names: Menfiye Be enk, wife of Murathan Be enk

Metin Incel

According to reports in the Turkish press of 18 October 1996, Murathan Be\_enk has been released. Nesime Sevinç had been released earlier.

Cemal Ayy\_ld\_z, Tar\_k Dolan, Iskender Azizo\_lu, Menfiye Be\_enk, wife of Murathan Be\_enk, who was detained on 1 October, and Metin Incel were formally arrested on charges of PKK membership and committed to prison. No information could be obtained regarding the other detainees.

No further action by the UA Network is required at present. Thanks to all who sent appeals.