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Further information on UA 348/00 (MDE 12/32/00, 10 November 2000) - Fear of Torture / Fear for Safety

EGYPTYusri Ahmad Muhammad, surgeon, aged about 50
His wife and seven children

Amnesty International has learned that Yusri Ahmad Muhammad and his family have not been returned to Egypt, and are still in Kuwait.

Following reports that they had been deported, Yusri Ahmad Muhammad's wife told a Kuwaiti national newspaper on 11 November that the family had not been returned to Egypt. She added that her husband was still in custody in Kuwait City, where he is still held for questioning, and that she had been able to visit him there.

Amnesty International will be monitoring this case. No further action is required. Many thanks to all those who sent appeals.