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Further information on EXTRA 159/97 (MDE 15/95/97, 21 November 1997) - Torture / Fear of torture / Legal concern

ISRAEL/OCCUPIED TERRITORIESAshraf Rafiq Salim Nasrallah

Ashraf Rafiq Salim Nasrallah remains at Shikma Prison, Israel, but is no longer being held in incommunicado detention or submitted to interrogation by the General Security Service (GSS). Therefore fears that he may be subjected to further torture have subsided. Amnesty International is not aware of the reason for his arrest or of any possible charges brought against him.

NO FURTHER ACTION BY THE UA NETWORK IS REQUESTED. Thank you to all those who sent appeals.