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Further information on UA 11/98 (25/02/98, 15 January 1998) - Fear of refoulement / Fear for safety

ETHIOPIA
Amour Ben Bechir Jemi'i, aged 40
Ribah Bent Djalassi (f), aged 37
Ben Omar, aged 12
Fatima, aged 10
Hajer, aged 5
Intiffar, aged 2

Amour Ben Bechir Jemi'i was released from detention on 4 February 1998. He had been arrested in Addis Ababa in mid-December 1997 during a wave of arrests of foreign nationals, including a number of Sudanese refugees.

It appears that he and his family are no longer at risk of *refoulement* to Tunisia, and that the United Nations High Commissioner on Refugees (UNHCR) are looking for a safe country where the family could be resettled.

No further action by the Urgent Action Network is required. We will keep the UA Network informed of the Jemi'i family's resettlement plans. Thank you to all those who sent appeals.