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# Ethiopians in Diaspora

To Whom It May Concern;

We are concerned Ethiopians in Diaspora, who closely follow the dangerous conditions hundreds of Ethiopian asylum seekers facing in Norway. Recently, the Government of Norway announced to repatriate Ethiopian asylum seekers from the country. These Ethiopians escaped from their country for safety and have been protesting publicly in Norway and objecting Melese Zenawi's corruption and crimes against Ethiopians. The asylum seekers have been targeted by the regime of Melese Zenawi for a long time and deporting them means handing them over to the revenging security forces of the brutal regime of Ethiopia.

Ethiopian asylum seekers in Norway are sadden, terrified, and spending sleepless nights by the appalling news of the repatriation agreement that the Norway government has entered with the corrupted and abusive regime of Melese Zenawi. Zenawi's regime has committed well-known and well-documented serious violations of human rights in Ethiopia by the International Human Rights Organizations such as Amnesty International, Human Rights watch and the US State Department. The rejected asylum seekers who have fled Ethiopia in search of safety and freedom will risk facing persecution, imprisonment or losing their lives by the Ethiopian regime. These asylum seekers are also experiencing inhuman situation in Norway by living without proper identity that allow them to work and to earn money to feed and shelter their children. Punishing their children in behalf of their parents is the most horrible and inhuman that anyone can observe in Norway.

To defy this kind of cruel activities, we sincerely request the International body to remind the government of Norway on this crime on humanity. We urge all international humanitarian bodies to stand together without color, race, region and religious differences and save these people and urge the government of Norway to respect international and its own nation law.

To stand for humanity means to stand for ourselves!!

CC: To Ethiopian government

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