Urgent appeal concerning Mahmoud Mohamed Ahmed Hussein

1. Mahmoud Mohamed Ahmed Hussein was arrested at Al-Salam police checkpoint in Cairo Governorate for possessing 11 Molotov cocktails and 3 locally manufactured explosives as he was on his way to participate in riotous and subversive acts perpetrated by the terrorist Brotherhood organization to mark the third anniversary of the revolt of 25 January 2014.

2. The Public Prosecutor’s Office decided to place him in pretrial detention in connection with El-Marg Police Station Administrative Case No. 715/2014. He was detained in Wadi el-Natrun Prison Complex and his detention was extended in accordance with the legally specific periods.

3. The signed results of his medical examination in the place of detention showed that he was in good health and was not suffering from any illness or injuries except for the results of surgery previously performed on his sacroiliac joint. There were no indications that he had been subjected to torture.
Urgent

The Permanent Mission of the Arab Republic of Egypt to the United Nations Office, the World Trade Organization, and Other International Organizations at Geneva presents its compliments to the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights (Special Procedures Branch), and with reference to the Joint Urgent Appeal dated December 18th 2015 concerning Mr. Mahmoud Mohamed Ahmed Hussein (Ref: UA EGY 17/2015) regarding allegations of arbitrary arrest, detention and torture of Mr. Mahmoud Mohamed Ahmed Hussein, has the honor to attach herewith the information provided by the Ministry of Interior of the Arab Republic of Egypt concerning the aforementioned communication, and looks forward that the enclosed information be brought to the attention of the mandate-holders who presented the aforementioned joint communication, and be duly reflected in the relevant communications report to be submitted to the Human Rights Council.

The Permanent Mission of the Arab Republic of Egypt to the United Nations Office, the World Trade Organization, and Other International Organizations at Geneva avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights (Special Procedures Branch), the assurances of its highest consideration.

Geneva, February 2nd 2016

Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights (Special Procedures Branch)
Palais des Nations, CH-1211, Geneva 10
Fax: +41-22 917 9006
الالتزام التعجل بشأن المواطنين/ محمود محمد أحمد حسين


2- قررت النيابة العامة حبس المذكور احتياطياً على ذمة القضية رقم 714/2014 إدارى قسم شرطة المرج، وبدعه بمجمع سجون وادي النطرون، ويتبرعه له في المواعيد القانونية المحددة لذلك.

3- تم توقيع الكشف الطبى على المذكور بمقر حبسه وتبين أن حالته الصحية جيدة ولا يعاني من أي أمراض أو إصابات بخلاف سابق إجراء جراحة مفصل الحوض، ولم يتعرض للتعذيب.