

Dear David McAllister,

As an EU citizen, I am writing to demand an end to the Khartoum Process and any support by the European Union for migration control in Sudan and North and the Horn of Africa. I have learnt through the #EndJanjaweed campaign that the Khartoum Process is responsible for human rights violations in Sudan, as detailed by several humanitarian and human rights organizations such as Oxfam, SIHA.

This process has allowed the Rapid Support Forces (RSF) militia, which was formed by deposed Sudanese dictator Omar al-Bashir from the genocidal Janjaweed militias, to grow and prosper. The RSF was tasked by al-Bashir with border control. Not only does it violate refugees and migrants at the borders and kill civilians and protestors within Sudan, but the surveillance equipment it uses is turned against those fighting for a free, just and democratic Sudan. Today, the RSF poses a grave danger to the democratic transition in Sudan, thanks in large part to EU policy.

My demands are the following:

1. Fully and publicly disclose the extent of EU cooperation with Sudanese authorities past and present on migration control.
2. Immediately end the Khartoum Process and any form of “cooperation” by the EU to control migration in North and the Horn of Africa.
3. Do a timely, independent and full review of EU programs and projects in Sudan and the region- including development and humanitarian ones, to ensure that no funds or resources can be diverted to or used by the RSF, military, security services, or any violent entity.
4. Honestly and practically support Sudan’s Revolution and transition in line with the demands of the Sudanese people for freedom, peace and social justice.

I believe that every human being has the right to be treated with respect and dignity. The EU’s unethical and immoral externalized borders policies must end, starting with the Khartoum Process.

Best regards.

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