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An introduction of Balochistan Human Rights Group (BHRG)

Balochistan Human Rights Group (BHRG) is an independent and nonprofit human rights organization which works to provide information to fill the gaps cause by the lack of independent media in Balochistan through investigation, effective communication and gathering reliable documents.

BHRG provides relevant, verified and up-to date information regarding the human rights situation in Western Balochistan.

Execution of 6 Baloch citizens in the prisons of the Islamic Republic of Iran

In the month of March 2023, at least 6 Baloch citizens, along with the following identities have been executed in the prisons of the Islamic Republic of Iran on charges related to drugs and narcotics, and the number reached to 21 in the first quarter of 2023.

On the March 6th, three Baloch citizens with the following identities has been executed in Bandar Abbas prison:

- Amin Jawashiri son of Sahebdad from Espakeh
- Hamid Shahozahi son of BidAllahfrom Zahedan
- Bahram Behzadi son of Piri from Rameshk

On March 7th 2023 :

- Shabakhsh Ostadi known as Mahmood son of Khodabaksh from Fannoj
- Maisam Bahrami from Minab
- Ahmad Bajizahi 29 years old son of Laal Mohammad has been executed in Shiraz prison





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20 fuel carriers (Sokhtbar) were killed or injured







The number of dead and injured Baloch fuel carriers (Sokhtbar) has more than doubled in March 2023 compared to the previous month, which at least 16 of them have been killed and 4 injured during this month. The Balochistan Human Rights Group has so far succeeded in identifying the identities of 11 of the dead, including 3 children under the age of 18, as follows :

- 1. Yaseen Moradi son of Faiz Mohammad 24 years old
- 2. MarashahAlimoradi son of Abol from GaleeGanj
- 3. Abdul Mannan Rakhshani son of Eisa 34 years old
- 4. Abubakr Rigi son of MehroAllah
- 5. Noorbakhsh Naroi 13 years old
- 6. Mohammad sharif Mollazahi son of Besmellah, 17 years old
- 7. Jadgal from dashtyari
- 8. Isaq Berahoi son of Abdulla, 17 years old from safidabeh
- 9. Mehrdad Naroi, 13 years old
- 10.Mohammad Nasrollahi(Rigi),son of Mazar, 25 years old
- 11.Khodayar Shahbakhsh son of Rasool, 23 years old









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4 Baloch citizen including a child has been killed by unknown assailants



In March 2023, at least 4 Baloch citizens including one 9 years old child with the following identities were killed and 4 more also have been seriously injured by unknown attackers :

- Mohammad Karim Sepahi
- Din Mohammad Dashti
- Abdullah Moradzahi

- Four More people has been wounded.

A group of students has been suspiciously poisoned in different girls schools in Balochistan

On March 7th, a large number of female students were suspiciously poisoned in different schools in Balochistan:

- Mahdia Primary School in Bolware Keshawarz, Zahedan
- Qureshi secondary school in Fazeli street, Zahedan
- Haniýeh secondary school of Koohe chabahar



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Demolition of Baloch people's houses by the state authorities



On March 13, the military forces of the Islamic Republic attacked neighborhoods of Mirabad and Moradabad and tried to destroy the residential houses of the citizens and also started to fire to the unarmed residents.

Killing and illegal shooting of Baloch citizens by the military forces of the Islamic Republic of Iran.

At least 2 Baloch citizens, with the following identities, have lost their lives and 1 person has been wounded due to illigal and direct shootings by the military forces of the Islamic Republic of Iran, in the month of March 2023.

- 1. Mohammad Rigi, on March 7th
- 2. Nader Naroi son of Kamal 30 years
- 3. Danial Brahoi son Kamal wounded





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Ilegal arrests of at least 9 Baloch citizens

In March, 2023 at least 9 Baloch citizen have been illegally arrested by the military and security forces of the Islamic Republic of Iran , and a large number of these citizens were even violently arrested and tortured. The BHRG managed to identify the identity of 9 of the arrested Baloch people as follows, one person has been released again :

- 1. 1- Mahmood Alizahi, son of Abdul Ghafoor
- 2. Zakariya Kahrazahi
- 3. Mohammad Koohsari
- 4. Elyas Brahoi
- 5. Nehmat Brahoi
- 6. Nasser Rigi, who has been released after few hours
- 7. Mohammad Brahoi 26 years from Zahedan
- 8. Ehsan Koohi son of Passand from Zahedan
- 9. Amanullah Sahdi

