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✓ **An introduction of Balochistan Human Rights Group (BHRG)**

Balochistan Human Rights Group (BHRG) is independent and non-profit human rights Non-Governmental Organization (NGO), that works on providing 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**

In July, at least six Baloch citizens were executed in various prisons across Iran. Since the beginning of 2024, at least 36 Baloch citizens have been executed. It is noteworthy that in 2023, at least 184 Baloch prisoners were executed on various charges in 26 different cities in Iran. Among these, Zahedan prison with 54 executions and Birjand prison with 31 executions had the highest number of executions. Additionally, among these prisoners, there were at least four women.

- Fazl-Ahmad Fateh-Nia (Zarkzehi)
- 2. Nabi Bakhsh Mollazahi
- 3. Mohim Jangizahi
- 4. Amir Hamza Barahouyi
- 5. Davood Barahouyi
- 6. Nour Mohammad Barahouyi (Kouhi Zehi)

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✓ **fuel carriers**

In July, at least 17 Baloch fuel carriers lost their lives, and 7 others were injured. Fuel carrying is one of the few occupations many Baloch citizens in various parts of Balochistan turn to, despite the frequent threats to their lives from military and security forces' shootings and road accidents.

According to the annual report, in 2023, at least 321 fuel carriers were killed or injured due to direct shootings by military forces, road accidents, shootings by unknown armed individuals, floods, and fires.

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✓ **Unknown Armed Assailants**

In July, at least 13 Baloch citizens were killed, and 9 others were injured by unknown armed individuals. The number of Baloch citizens being killed by unknown assailants is increasing daily, despite Sistan and Baluchestan province being one of the most heavily securitized regions in the country.

According to the annual report, in 2023, at least 192 Baloch citizens were attacked by unknown armed individuals, resulting in 150 deaths and 42 injuries. Among these victims were at least five children and four women.

These alarming statistics highlight severe human rights violations in the region. The killing and injuring of innocent people, especially children and women, underscore a blatant disregard for basic human rights and the safety of the Baloch community.

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✓ **Deaths by Direct Security Forces Fire in July**

In July 2024, 11 Baloch individuals were killed by direct gunfire from security forces in Balochistan. This report summarizes some of these incidents:

➤ **Death of Zoleikha Gamshadzahi**

- Date: July 29, 2024

- Location: Qaderabad village, Khash County

- Summary: Zoleikha Gamshadzahi, 50 years old, killed during a raid by security forces on her village.

➤ **2. Death of Mohammad Reza Molla-Karimzahi**

- Date: July 18, 2024

- Location: Qods neighborhood, Zahedan

- Summary: Mohammad Reza Molla-Karimzahi, 21 years old, killed during a raid by security forces on his family's home.

➤ 3. Death of Khatam Ali Mohammadzahi

- Date: July 6, 2024

- Location: Rural Road, Shuru village, Zahedan

- Summary: Khatam Ali Mohammadzahi, 17 years old, killed by special forces during a raid on the village.

➤ 4. Death of Afaq Rahimzahi

- Date: July 4, 2024

- Location: Chabahar city

- Summary: Afaq Rahimzahi, 18 years old, killed by the Basij forces.

❖ Total Deaths by Direct Security Forces Fire in July 2024: 11 deaths and 7 were injured

These incidents reflect the ongoing violence faced by Baloch individuals at the hands of security forces in (Balochistan) Iran.

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✓ **Report on House Demolitions in July**

In July 2024, several incidents of house demolitions were reported in Balochistan, carried out by military forces and municipal authorities. This report summarizes these incidents:

➤ Destruction in "Seyedabad" and "Shirzehi" Villages

- Date: July 30, 2024

- Location: Zahedan

- Summary: Dozens of homes were demolished by forces from the Natural Resources Department, accompanied by military personnel.

➤ 2. Demolition in Qaderabad Village

- Date: July 29, 2024

- Location: Khash County

- Summary: Security and military forces raided the village, resulting in the death of an elderly woman and injuries to several individuals. Emergency medical teams were prevented from entering the area.

➤ 3. Destruction in District 5, Zahedan

- Date: July 23, 2024

- Location: Zahedan

- Summary: Municipality officers, accompanied by military forces, demolished a residential house without presenting a judicial warrant.

➤ 4. Demolition of an Elderly Woman's House in Chabahar

- Date: July 13, 2024

- Location: Chabahar

- Summary: Military forces demolished the house of an elderly Baloch woman without regard for her economic situation.

➤ 5. Demolition in Keshavarz Area, Zahedan

- Date: July 13, 2024

- Location: Zahedan

- Summary: Municipal officers and military forces raided the Keshavarz area, demolishing the homes of Baloch citizens without a court order.

➤ 6. Destruction of Baloch Citizen's House in Chabahar

-Date: Tuesday, July 29, 2024

-Location: Osmanabad village, Chabahar

-Summary: Agents from the Chabahar Housing and Urban Development Foundation demolished the home of a Baloch citizen without a court order. The citizen, who has two disabled children, became homeless and moved his belongings to a neighbor's house.

❖ Total House Demolitions in July 2024: *6* incidents

These incidents highlight the ongoing issue of forced evictions and house demolitions affecting the Baloch community, often carried out without proper legal procedures and leading to significant hardship for the affected families.

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