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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 October, at least 10 (Ten) Baloch citizens were executed in various prisons across Iran. Since the beginning of 2024, at least 46 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.

✓ fuel carriers

In October 2024, at least 9 Baloch fuel carriers lost their lives, and many 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.

Deaths by Direct Security Forces with unknown reason in different places

In October 2024, 7 Baloch individuals were killed by direct gunfire from security forces in Balochistan.

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✓ Arrests

Intelligence forces raided a house in the Mahmoudabad area of Khash and arrested 33-year-old "Saadollah Kharkouhi" without a judicial warrant or informing him of the charges.

Saadollah, who is married and works as a mechanic in Khash, has been held incommunicado for 9 days, with no information given to his family about the reason for his arrest.

✓ Missing person

The body of "Navid Abadian," a missing Baloch citizen, was found two days after his disappearance near the Pink Lake in Ramin village, Chabahar

Abduction

Several armed individuals stormed the home of a Sunni Baloch cleric in the old garage area of Zahedan and forcibly abducted him using an unlicensed vehicle.

The identity of the 65-year-old cleric has been reported as "Seyyed Hossein Khanezarin (Narouei)." He is a resident of Zahedan, married, and has six children.

According to the report, four armed individuals carrying cold and firearms entered his home and forcibly took him into their car.

Dropout of students and schools

• Dropout of Over Ten Students due to Lack of Proper Educational Facilities in Chah Hassan, Jazmourian

According to the head of the Jazmourian County Council, more than ten female students in the village of Fathabad have dropped out due to the lack of boarding schools and proper educational facilities. These students, who had passed to the secondary level last year, were forced to return to the sixth grade due to these deficiencies.

Houshang Fathi, the council head, has called on the Ministry of Education and school-building philanthropists to urgently address the issue. Additionally, Zahra Raeisi Hashem Abadi, the village council head, highlighted the lack of school transportation and proper facilities for students.

Approximately 40,000 Elementary School Dropouts in Balochistan

The Director General of Education for Sistan and Balochistan Province, in an interview with state media, announced the identification of around 40,000 elementary school dropouts in the province. He stated that this figure does not include children without birth certificates who have also dropped out of school.

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