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Ethiopian Democratic Forces Movement Supporters In Germany **Release**

The most recent Human Rights watch Report on Ethiopia describes the human right in Ethiopia in the following two unambiguous statements:

The most significant human rights problems included: restrictions on freedom of expression and association, including through arrests; detention; unfair motivated trials; harassment; and intimidation of opposition members and journalists, as well as continued restrictions on print media;

Other human rights problems included arbitrary killings; allegations of beating, abuse, and mistreatment of detainees by security forces; harsh and, at times, life-threatening prison conditions; arbitrary arrest and detention; detention without charge and lengthy pretrial detention.

The support in Germany was formed after a coalition of EPPF with Ginbot 7 general members meeting has decided to form a group which supports patriotic Ginbot 7 financially materially and morally through establishing a movement in Germany. **EDFM** support in Germany is a political movement that at the same time came into being as a direct result of injustice, gross human rights, and corruption in the present day Ethiopia under the rule of a minority dictatorial regime. **EDFM** members and supporters are for justice, freedom, and democracy, and firm believers in inclusive development. In Ethiopia opposition politics is labelled as a terrorist activity. A clear TPLF strategy to undermine and weaken the democratic process is to propose and fight terrorism because terrorists are against our core values of unity and religious tolerance. Unfortunately, the minority dictatorship that has robbed the blessing of the great democracies of the world has robbed Ethiopia of



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believe the relationship between Ethiopia and western democracies is constituted on the basis of shared values of democracy, justice, and of mutual interests. The Horn of Africa is a volatile region characterized by political instability, and it is no secret that the TPLF regime is the major obstacle to stability in the region. To secure peace and stability and deny terrorism in the Horn of Africa; Europe, the United States, and other democratic nations need a strong democratic partner in the Horn of Africa.

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The struggle for justice, liberty and democracy in Ethiopia shall prevail.