

DMLEK's chairman Tegadalay Kernelios Osman Agar has given a press release



DMLEK's chairman Tegadalay Kernelios Osman Agar has given a press release concerning the mass arrest and arbitrary detention of the Eritrean Kunama from 09/07/2015- 01/16/2016. In this occasion, the DMLEK's chairman has disclosed that more than 100 Eritrean Kunama were arrested in mass among which 73 persons' detailed back ground was verified. Among those verified people 11 were women and the rest are males.

The mass arrest project orchestrated by the Eritrean regime was conducted in the town of Binbilna and its vicinities. Similar mass arrest project was carried out in 2000 where more than 200 Eritrean Kunama were arbitrarily detained for a sheer pretext that they did not resist and defend the Ethiopian incursion. Both mass arrests were and are part and parcel of the ethnic cleansing project of the regime sketched towards the Eritrean Kunama. The chairman reiterated DMLEK's commitment to disclose all the atrocities committed by the regime at post. He called up on the international human right institutions to give a due attention to avert the on going inhumane actions of the regime. He has made an especial appeal towards the Commission of Inquiry for Human Rights in Eritrea to address the issue at hand in a very serious way.