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HUMAN BEINGS
ARE BORN FREE
AND EQUAL IN
DIGNITY AND
RIGHTS.

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UGWU NA IKIKE.
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LIWA HURU, HADHI
NA HAKI ZAO NI
SAWA.
Swahili

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ABANTU BAZAL-
WA BEKHULULEKILE
BELINGANA NGESIDI-
MA NANGOKWEEMFA-
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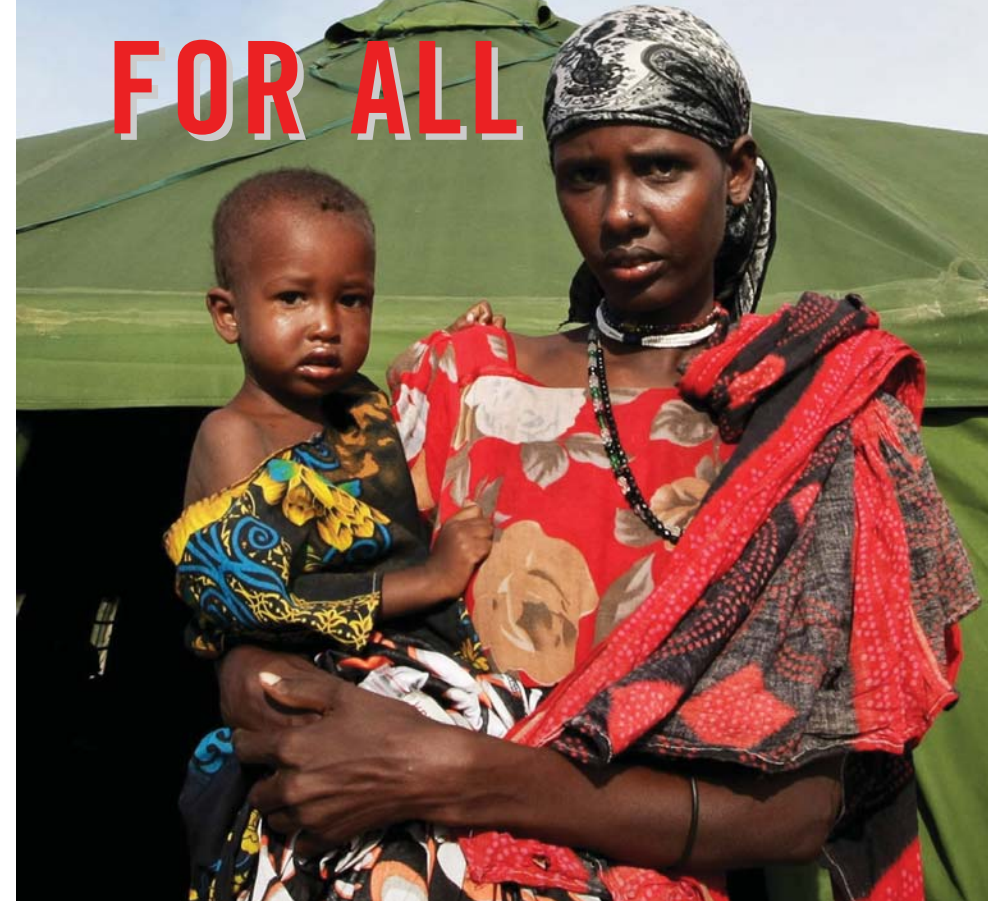
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MAURETANIA: DISAPPEARED. On 23 May 2011, 14 men were transferred from the Central Prison in Nouakchott to an undisclosed location by the military police. They were convicted on terrorism-related charges and are missing ever since.



LIBYA: THE EVICTED TAWARGHA

In August 2011, opposition fighters from Misratah attacked the town of Tawargha. They wanted revenge believing the Tawarghas had supported al-Gaddafi forces. Today, Tawargha is a ghost town and its people are scattered across Libya.



CHAD: OPPOSITION LEADER DISAPPEARED

Leader of the Opposition Party for Freedom and Development, Ibni Oumar Mahamat Saleh, was arrested on 3 February 2008 by Chadian security forces. This followed an attack on the city by armed groups. His whereabouts remain unknown.



EGYPT: BEATEN BY SOLDIERS. In December 2011, soldiers beat protester Azza Hilal Ahmad Suleiman so severely that they fractured her skull. Today she is fighting for justice. The Egyptian army is responsible for arbitrary arrests, torture and thousands of unfair trials.



ETHIOPIA: HUMAN RIGHTS WORK RESTRICTED

Repressive legislation is crippling the work of the Human Rights Council (HRCO), an organisation that monitors and documents human rights violations in Ethiopia. The law places major restrictions on working on human rights issues.



BAHRAIN: ACCUSED WITHOUT CAUSE. Health professionals were accused of felonies and misdemeanours. They had provided medical assistance to people injured by government security forces during protests in February and March 2011.



GAMBIA: ARRESTED FOR POSSESSING T-SHIRTS

Dr Amadou Scattered Janneh, a Gambian national who also has USA citizenship, was arrested on for being in possession of T-shirts, which featured the slogan "End to Dictatorship Now" and charged with treason. He was sentenced to life imprisonment.



SUDAN: JOURNALIST IN DANGER OF ARREST

Abuzar Al Amin, who worked for a newspaper affiliated with an opposition party, initially sentenced to five-years imprisonment, was released on bail. But the charges against him still have not been dropped.



SENEGAL: SEEKING TRUTH ABOUT HER HUSBAND'S DISAPPEARANCE

Khady Bassène's husband was forcibly arrested by soldiers in 1999. She has tried to find out the truth about what happened to him and seek compensation, but has been given no explanation or financial reparation.



MALI: TORN APART. While the entire Sahel is endangered by a hunger catastrophe, armed groups fight for the power in the north of Mali. More than 300,000 people have left their homes to escape terror, rape and fanaticism.



BURUNDI: ACTIVIST STABBED TO DEATH

Ernest Manirumva, an activist investigating police corruption in Burundi, was stabbed to death in April 2009. Four human rights defenders campaigning for justice for him are being threatened and harassed.



KENYA: REFUGEES IN DANGER. Due to the armed conflict large numbers of Somalis have been crossing borders to seek protection in neighbouring countries. In Kenya they face a number of human rights violations.



NIGER DELTA: WIDESPREAD POLLUTION. The oil industry is responsible for widespread pollution of the Niger Delta environment, which has damaged soil, water and air. 30 million people living there are affected.



NIGERIA: FORCED EVICTIONS. Thousands of people in Abonnema Wharf, Port Harcourt, have been forcibly evicted from their homes and many are in urgent need of emergency housing and relief services.



SOUTH AFRICA: LGBTI-ACTIVIST MURDERED. On 24 April 2011, 24 year old lesbian woman Noxolo Nogwaza was raped and murdered. No progress has been made yet in the investigation into her murder.



ZIMBABWE: UNION LEADER HAD TO LEAVE THE COUNTRY

The secretary general of the General Agriculture and Plantation Workers Union, GAP-WUZ, Gertrude Hambira must fear for her safety. For security reasons she lives outside the country.



ZIMBABWE: EDUCATION CRISIS. After forced evictions of about 700,000 people in 2005, a quarter of a million of children is unable to attend school. Children in informal settlements are particularly affected.



YEMEN: SENTENCED TO DEATH

Fatima Hussein al-Badi and her brother were sentenced to death in February 2001 for the murder of her husband in an unfair trial. Her brother was executed in 2005. Fatima, a mother of four children, is in danger of being executed.