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## <u>苏丹常驻联合国日内瓦办事处代表团</u> 1999年4月7日致人权事务高级专员的信

谨提及我于 1996 年 4 月 6 日给您的信,信中提及苏丹人民解放运动武装部队这一叛乱运动处决四名被俘者的罪行,他们是在陪同红十字国际委员会执行人道主义任务时被羁押的,现随信附上联合国秘书长就此事件所发表的声明。\*

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## STATEMENT ATTRIBUTABLE TO THE SPOKESMAN OF THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

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The UN Secretary-General was deeply distressed by the news of the death of a Sudanese Red Crescent worker and of three Government officials last week while in the custody of the Sudanese People's Liberation Movement/Army (SPLM/A). The four Sudanese had been accompanying an ICRC team on mission near the southern Sudanese town of Bentiu on 18 February when they were detained by the SPLM/A. It is particularly disturbing that they died despite numerous appeals to their captors to ensure their physical safety. Their deaths illustrate yet again the tragic and urgent need for protection for those who are trying to aid the victims of conflicts.

The United Nations endorses the call by the ICRC for a full and immediate inquiry into the circumstances surrounding these deaths so that those responsible for such acts may be brought to justice. I extend my condolences to the families affected by this tragedy, to the ICRC and to the Sudanese Government.