

COMMITTEE IN SUPPORT OF SULEIMAN ABDELLA

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The Custodian of the two Holy Mosques  
Your Majesty Salman bin Abdulaziz Al Saud  
The King of Saudi Arabia  
Your Highness Prince Mohammad bin Salman  
Crown Prince of Saudi Arabia.

**Re:** Safety of Mr. Suleiman Abdella, Saudi Resident who is in Custody

Your Majesty,

We, the Ethiopian civic and religious organizations listed below with global presence, humbly request Your Highness' consideration and assistance to ensure the safety and security of our associate Mr. Suleiman Abdella, a peace advocate and resident of Riyadh, Saudi Arabia. We have been informed that Mr. Suleiman Abdella has been arrested by Saudi authorities in Riyadh.

We also strongly believe that the Ethiopian government, through its embassy, is actively working to get him extradited to Ethiopia by pressing trumped up charges. The government of Ethiopia has recently destroyed mosques and residents around Addis Ababa and killed thousands of Muslim farmers, civilians, and their families in many parts of Ethiopia, the latest one being in Welega, Oromia Region. Mr. Sulieman Abdella has lost many family members and close friends in these brutal incidents.

Mr. Abdella is a very well-known peace advocate and thought leader who is widely followed and respected by Ethiopian communities around the world. It is his relentless effort to expose the human rights violations of the Ethiopian government that has made him a target of the government's harassment. We strongly believe that his life will be endangered if he is extradited to Ethiopia.

We place our trust in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia's decrees, exemplified by its laws stating: "human rights guaranteed by the Islamic-based law of Saudi Arabia surpassed those secured by the Universal Declaration." With the utmost respect for Your Majesty and the laws of The Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, we humbly implore Your Highness to intervene in this critical matter to safeguard the life of Mr. Suleiman Abdella, a champion of social justice and human rights.

If his continued stay in Saudi Arabia is problematic, we would like to humbly request that he be granted safe passage to a safe third country. If your Majesty grants this request, we are willing and able to facilitate the transition.

We would like to take this opportunity to express our utmost respect to your Majesty and the enduring love and respect of the Ethiopian people for the people of The Kingdom.

Most respectfully,

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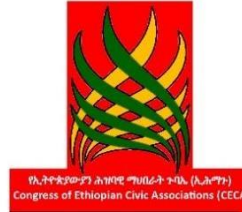
**Ethiopian American Development Council**



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**Unity For Ethiopia**



**Congress of Ethiopian Civic Associations (CECA)**



**Concerned Ethiopians**



**Ethio-Canadian Network for Advocacy and Support**



**Global Amhara Coalition**



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**Bete Amhara Wollo World Wide Association**



**Ethiopian Public Diplomacy Network**



**Global Alliance for the Rights of Ethiopians**

