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**Jehad Sadeq Aziz Salman and Ebrahim Ahmed Radi al-Moqdad**

Your Majesty,

I would like to draw your attention to the fate of *Jehad Sadeq Aziz Salman* and *Ebrahim Ahmed Radi al-Moqdad.* They were tried as adults despite being under the age of 18 at the time of the crime they were convicted of. Both have said they were forced to sign “confessions” without a lawyer or a family member being present.

I am therefore asking you to ensure that the two boys’ convictions are quashed and order a retrial in a court that ad­heres to the principle that all children must be tried according to the rules of juvenile justice. They must be released immediately.

Yours sincerely,