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### Urgent statement by EPA on the execution of four civilians in Burg El-Arab prison

At the beginning of a new year, the military coup on Tuesday morning carried out the death sentence against four civilians against the military coup in the case known as the bombing of Kafr El-Sheikh Stadium, who were sentenced to death by the Supreme Military Tribunal, after the appeal before the Supreme Military Criminal Court in Alexandria had been dismissed in case No. 325 of 2015, which sentenced four defendants to death by hanging and in absentia by hanging on three others. Despite the fact that their defence provided new evidence containing testimonies proving their innocence, and that the confessions they had given were under threat and torture during a period of enforced disappearance for more than two months.

This means that the coup regime has begun to carry out the death sentences in which final judgements have been issued, the series which began days before by the execution of 15 other detainees from the Northern Sinai Governorate, despite the explicit violation of international conventions prohibiting the trial of civilians before military judiciary in accordance with the resolution of the United Nations Human Rights Commission of 1997, "civilians may not be tried before the military court, for the latter being in violation of international human rights conventions, in particular UN International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights".

Therefore, Egypt Parliament Abroad condemns the coup regime on carrying out the death penalty for four citizens in fabricated cases, kangaroo trials that lack the most basic rules of justice, and calls upon all local, regional and international legal entities to condemn the execution of the death penalty against innocents and to play their part in defending the Egyptian people and protecting the detainees!!



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