

To the attention of international community

despite the periodical descents and ascents, the civil war in Syria continues for more than 2 years. The process, which began with peaceful demonstrations, turned into an armed conflict because of the brutal attempts by the regime to suppress the protests. Presumably, the casualties have gone beyond 100 thousand. Now, there are uncontrolled armed groups and the military powers of the regime on the streets instead of people marching for their freedom demands. In the country where the destruction has reached an unprecedented level.

The Kurds - who are the largest ethnic group after the Arabs in Syria and are the potential catalyst for a possible pluralistic and democratic process in Syria-, have indicated at the beginning of the conflict that they are interested in peaceful transition from dictatorial regime to a democratic and pluralistic system. They avoid being a part the conflict that causes thousands of deaths, destruction of infrastructures in the country with any visible result.

At the beginning to the present time, Kurds have tried to protect Kurdistan region in Syria (in Kurdish: Rojava - Western Kurdistan) from the conflict and provide humanitarian aid to those who escape from the conflict including Arabs, Assyrians, Armenians and Kurds. In Kurdistan region in Syria, limited resources were mobilized for the needs of all people including education and health services. In recent days, the stability of Kurdistan region under threat of Turkey supported Al-Qaida linked groups. Their attacks become systematically and many people have been killed, kidnapped, or displaced (For further information please see below listed links to reports, which have been verified by independent journalists and NGOs.) Therefore, we ask the international community, the media, and the human rights organizations to intervene without any delay to prevent further killing of civilians. Please raise your voice against ongoing crime committed by Al-Qaida linked fundamentalist groups and Bashar Assad Regime. As above mentioned Western Kurdistan is less affected from the Syrian conflict yet and becomes a safe haven for those who escape from the Syrian conflict. However, the Al-Qaida linked fundamentalist groups will now export this war to Western Kurdistan through the logistical helps of some neighbouring countries. The spread of war to West Kurdistan will cause a humanitarian disaster in the region and a brutal ethnic cleansing against Kurdish people.

It is time to mobilize International communities, governments, NGOs, and media to prevent an upcoming humanitarian disaster.

We would like to share with you some of the war crimes committed by the Bashar al-Assad regime and by the dissident groups and the gangs who have linked with Al-Qaeda since the beginning of the civil war.

First INCIDENT: Al-Nurse Front, which is linked to Al-Qaeda, has killed 50 Kurdish civilians and took 350 Kurds as prisoners in the towns Tal Hasil and Tal Aran of the city Aleppo.

Some news articles on the incident:

http://www.bianet.org/english/world/148926-kurdish-villages-attacked-in-aleppo?bia_source=rss

<http://english.alarabiya.net/en/News/middle-east/2013/08/01/Jihadists-hold-200-Syrian-Kurds-hostage-NGO-says.html>

http://www.bbc.co.uk/turkce/haberler/2013/08/130802_rojava_analiz_cagil.shtml

2nd INCIDENT: The attempt of ethnic cleansing in Tell Abyad which began with the Al-Qaeda attacks in Serêkaniyê (Ras al-Ayn) and Tell Abad including bombings of the Kurdish households.

Some news articles and videos about the incident.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mkgv6X9dav8>

Syrian Observatory for Human Rights (SOHR) has censured Al-Nurse for committing a war crime after this incident. Https

3rd INCIDENT: A household became the target of mortar fire by Al-Nusra. A 10 year-old child was killed, another child was injured.

Some news articles about the incident.

<https://www.facebook.com/syriaohr/posts/399771136797897>

4th INCIDENT: 16 civilians were killed after the combat aircrafts of the regime bombed the Hedad village

in Tirbespiyê (Al-Qahtaniyah).

Some news articles and videos about the incident.

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ttt7UEU1rF4>

[http://www.hawarnews.com/kurdi/index.php?](http://www.hawarnews.com/kurdi/index.php?option=com_webplayer&view=video&wid=8&orderby=default&Itemid=58)

[option=com_webplayer&view=video&wid=8&orderby=default&Itemid=58](http://www.hawarnews.com/kurdi/index.php?option=com_webplayer&view=video&wid=8&orderby=default&Itemid=58)

<http://www.aranews.org/en/home/kurdish-region/150-syr-ian-air-strikes-kill-16-civil-ians-in-kur-dish-vil-lage.html>

5th INCIDENT: Syrian army bombed the Kurdish neighbourhoods in Aleppo various times.

News articles and videos about the incident.

<http://www.diclehaber.com/2//viewNews/327266>

<http://www.hurriyetdailynews.com/Default.aspx?pageID=238&nid=44392>

<http://www.ekurd.net/mismas/articles/misc2013/4/syriakurd778.htm>

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_yNO6af5lqo

http://www.liveleak.com/view?i=dd7_1365369953