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Case of Raif Badawi – Stop flogging

Your Majesty

I am writing you for the well-being of **Raif Badawi** which is deeply affected by your current actions.

I have been profoundly disturbed at the flogging of **Raif Badawi** taking place on 9th January 2015.

I would like to remind you of the prohibition on torture and other cruel, inhuman or degrading punishment in international law.

Therefore I am calling on you to put a stop to any further flogging of **Raif Badawi** and to release him immediately and unconditionally as he is a prisoner of conscience, detained solely for exercising his right to freedom of expression!

Furthermore I call on you to ensure that his conviction and sentence are quashed.

Yours sincerely,

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