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### ***Political and other developments***

- Shuluk revolt against SPLM. Shuluk in anti-SPLM & GoSS upheaval. Memoranda calling for relocation of Dinka, deposition of State Governor and Deputy (Akhbar LaHZHa)
- ICC: Deferral vs. resolving Darfur, Is Washington able to make it? (Al-Watan)
- JEM leading figure: Will negotiate with GoNU no matter what ICC decision is. JEM Legislature Chairman: Deal with Adada not to exploit any arrest warrant from ICC (Akhbar Al-Youm)
- JEM-Egyptian Govt deliberations kick off in Cairo – High level Egyptian delegation in Khartoum today (Akhbar Al-Youm)
- Casualties in Chadian Govt Forces ranks (Al-Sharg)
- Following flash visit to Muhajryia, Defence Minister: Were warmly welcomed by Muhajryia citizens (Akhbar Al-Youm)
- NCP Kordofan Section spearheads major mobilisation campaign in localities. Parties & localities forewarn of sedition that lead to catastrophe (Akhbar Al-Youm)
- GoNU voices disappointment with Obama's ICC statements (Al-Khartoum)
- Khaleil menaces UNAMID (Al-Mustagila)
- Interview with SAF spokesperson: Intervened in Muhajryia to aid legitimacy embodied in Mannawi's Movement. JEM intended to assess our coordination with SLM-M. SAF pro-democracy, committed to impartiality and value election outcomes (Al-Mustagila)
- Sudan elucidates stance on dealing with ICC to Geneva Human Rights Council (A-Ayam)
- ICC to receive full legal dossier of memo rejecting lawsuit against Al-Bashir tomorrow (Al-Wifaq)
- Khaleil holds intensive meetings with field commanders in Um Jaras (Al-Wifaq)
- Parliament Speaker Al-Tahir: 1800 Jewish organisations back rebellion, ICC smuggles witnesses (Al-Wifaq)
- GoNU: Chad not earnest in normalisation between two countries. Chadian opposition assaults towns in Northern Darfur, approaches Faya-Largeau (Al-Raed)
- Text of Doha framework agreement between GoNU & JEM. Earnest dialogue on power division, wealth sharing and arraigning crime perpetrators. Three months for the signing of the Darfur Final Peace Agreement (Al-Sahafa)
- Khaleil Ibrahim: Movements in Darfur shifted to armed pillage (Al-Rai Al-Aam)

### ***Basic Infrastructure and Settlement development***

- South Darfur Govt committed to rehabilitate Gereida Agricultural Scheme & Um Dafog barrage (Alasema)
- Rehabilitation of Babanusa-Waw railway line (Al-Akhbar)

### ***Protection and Human Rights***

- Minister of Defence: SAF besiege JEM rebels in eastern Jebel Marra (Al-Sudani)
- 35 PDF commanders defect to SPLM in Nuba Mountains. Abu Jubayhah Commissioner welcomes joining of leaders and Mujahidin group (Akhbar Al-Youm)
- Has UNMAID botched up Muhajryia's test (Al-Khartoum)
- UN: Muhajryia in need of food, water & medicines (Al-Ayam)
- Resumption of fighting in Abyei (Khartoum Monitor)
- SAF expels JEM from Labadu area (Sudan Vision)
- UNAMID: Thousands of IDPs in need of assistance (Al-Rai Al-Aam)

## ***DDR***

- DDR of 5,000 combatants launches in Blue Nile State (Khartoum Monitor)
- Demobilisation is stalled, Sudan peace terms not implemented – UN chief (Khartoum Monitor)
- 500 pieces of weaponry collected in Torit (Ajras Al-Horyah)
- South Sudan DDR inaugurates branch office in Torit (Al-Sahafa)

## ***Governance and rule of Law***

- Launch of campaign for issuance of identity documents (Al-Sudani)
- Main campaign for issuance of identity papers in Darfur states. Civil Registry dispatches six teams to Darfur (Al-Raed)

## ***Health and Nutrition***

- Health Minister of Southern Sudan lauds UAE (Khartoum Monitor)

## ***Funding***

- \$30m for rehabilitation of Babanusa-Waw railway line (Al-Akhbar)