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Baloch Human Rights Organization (BHRO) and Human Rights Council of Balochistan (HRCB or Hakkpaan in Balochi) have received and researched partial details of 77 cases of enforced disappearances and 18 cases of extra judicial killings during the month of January 2019. 70 previously missing persons were released due to the pressure built up by the families of missing persons' sit-in hunger strike in front of the Quetta press club for more than a decade.

According to the details security forces forcibly disappeared 77 persons from Awaran, Kech, Khuzdar Panjgur, Gwadar and Sibi districts of Balochistan. Whereas the rest 26 districts of Balochistan still remain inaccessible due to the media blockade introduced by authorities in Balochistan to suppress the voices raised against the violations committed by the forces.

On the other hand, ten decomposed beyond recognition bodies were brought by Edhi foundation to Teramil Graveyard, Dasht for burial on 08th January 2019. The bodies were buried without DNA analysis. The burial of the bodies without DNA analysis have caused anguish to the families of victims of enforced disappearances who have been sitting on a hunger strike in front of Quetta Press Club.



Muhammad Azeem s/o Phullan, resident of Gubord, Mand, abducted by forces on 02.01.2019. Photo:TBP

The victims of enforced disappearances include Muhammad Azeem s/o Phullan resident of Gubord, Mand district Kech. According to the locals Muhammad Azeem is a farmer and was working on the fields when security forces raided and abducted him on the evening of 02nd January 2019.

On 01 January 2019, Mohammad Ali s/o Abdo was whisked away by security forces from a military check post in Tirtej, Awaran. Family members say, Mohammad Ali was travelling back from Karachi in his truck along with a driver and a conductor. They were held in the check post and after a few hours both the

driver and the conductor were released whereas the whereabouts of Mohammad Ali still remain unknown.



Rashid s/o Abdul Rasool abducted by forces from Mondri, Gwadar on 17.01.2019. Photo:TBP

Rashid s/o Abdul Rasool was forcibly disappeared by the forces during a raid at his house at around 1:00 am. According to his extended family, Rashid was working as a labor in Middle East and was recently back home on holidays when he was abducted from Mondri area of Gwadar.



Jaffar s/o Abdul Rasool abducted by FC on 19.01.2019. Photo:TBP

On 19th January 2019, personnel of Frontier Corps (a paramilitary force) accompanied by personnel in civil dress, raided the house of Abdul Rasool and abducted his 17 years old son Jaffar.

On 27 January 2019, forces conducted a search operation in Dasht Sadi, a village near Pakistan-Iran border, district Gwadar and forcibly disappeared Ghani s/o Abbas. Women and children were beaten up.

On 28 January 2019, Salman s/o Dad Rehman and Malik s/o Mohammad were abducted from Nizarabad, Tump district Kech. Salman was abducted from his own shop which is locally famous as Salman's shop whereas Malik s/o Mohammad was abducted during the exams from the examination hall.

On 31 January 2019, security forces conducted a military operation in Gwarkop area of district Kech. Eight persons were abducted, including four of the same family. Abductees are Solo s/o Babu, Rasheed s/o Kamalan, Qamber s/o Yousuf, Muneer s/o Wali Mohammad, all from same family, Hasil and Musa Wahag are two brothers while Basheer and Sabzal Qadir Bakhsh are brothers.

70 persons were released from the custody of security institutions during the month, many of them were missing for years and some for months.

Eighteen persons were killed during the month of January, eight of them died from firing of unknown persons in Kech, Panjgur, Sibi and Quetta districts of Balochistan.

On 03 January 2019, a dead body was found dumped in Hub Chowki, district Lasbela. The deceased was later identified as Elahi Bakhsh Pir Jan resident of Dulechi Jhao district Awaran. Elahi Bakhsh was abducted by Pakistani security forces from Jhao, district Awaran on 07 May 2016. His whereabouts remained unknown till his body was found dumped in Hub, Balochistan.

On 7th January, a mutilated dead body was found in a sack on the eastern bypass in Quetta, the capital city of Balochistan. The dead body was later shifted to a hospital for identification. Later the deceased was identified as Shokat Ali s/o Saleh Mohammad, a resident of Musa Colony, Quetta whereas his hometown was Kardagap, Mastung. According to local sources he was a student in Degree College and was also working as a dispenser in Yaseen Hospital Quetta. He went missing on 06 January after leaving the house.

On 9 January, another body was found in Saryab Mill Colony, Quetta. The body was shifted by Edhi foundation to the hospital where he was identified as Mohammad Arif s/o Lateef Mastoi. According to the doctors he was died from a gunshot.

On 11 January, a dead body was found in Sangsela area of Dera Bugti. Levies accompanied by personnel of Frontier Corps shifted the body to the local hospital where he was identified as Shehan Bugti.

Phulan waju was killed and claimed by Balochistan Liberation Front (BLF) in Awaran on 19th January 2019. Spokesperson of BLF claimed the responsibility and stated that Phulllan was an informer of the military.

Balochistan presents a picture of a war zone, where the state military is confronted with the armed men, belong to nationalist armed groups. The armed groups emerged when the central government

pushed the local nationalists to the wall, when they demanded more autonomy and rights on the natural resources of the land, Balochistan. During the military rule, in late 1990's, central government pressed nationalists and started suppressing the voices raised against the newly announced projects, especially a multi-billion dollars project China Pakistan Economic Corridor. Gradually the armed resistance gained momentum and the civilian population is caught between states military, armed nationalists and religious extremists.

Vicitms of Enforced disappearances

Name	F.Name	Address	Date of Abduction	Status
Muhammed Asif	Abdul Kareem Zahri	Baghbana, Khuzdar, district Khuzdar	29-Dec-18	Missing
Mohammad Ali, Seth	Abdo	Malar, Awaran, District Awaran	1-Jan-19	Missing
Hakeem	Qadir Bakhsh	Mir Bazar, Hoshab, District Kech	2-Jan-19	Missing
Aram	Bahauddin	Mir Bazar, Hoshab, District Kech	2-Jan-19	Missing
Azeem	Phullan	Goburd, Mand, District Kech	2-Jan-19	Missing
Zabad	Jangiyan	Greshag, Khuzdar, District Khuzdar	7-Jan-19	Missing
Pir Jan	Jangiyan	Greshag, Khuzdar, District Khuzdar	7-Jan-19	Missing
Jumma	Issa	Gomazi Diz, Paroom, District Panjgur	10-Jan-19	Missing
Amin	Issa	Gomazi Diz, Paroom, District Panjgur	10-Jan-19	Missing
Darman	Yar Mohammad	Gomazi Diz, Paroom, District Panjgur	10-Jan-19	Missing
Zahoor	Are Mohammad	Gomazi Diz, Paroom, District Panjgur	10-Jan-19	Missing
Abdul Latif	Abdul Rasheed		11-Jan-2019	Missing
Arif	Abdul Qadir		11-Jan-2019	Missing
Hashim	Meher Dil		11-Jan-2019	Missing
Aslam	Muhammed Alim		11-Jan-2019	Missing
Waju Rahmat	Haji Ayub	Tump, District Kech	13-Jan-19	Missing
Sagheer Sajan	Muhammad Murad	Grade Bazar, Hoshab, District Kech	13-Jan-19	Missing
Sajjad	Basheer	Tump, District Kech	14-Jan-19	Missing
Rashid	Abdul Rasool	Hasadi, Dasht, District Kech	17-Jan-19	Missing
Basham	Jahangir	Guri, Balgatar, District Panjgur	18-Jan-19	Missing
Shafi	Jahangir	Guri, Balgatar, District Panjgur	18-Jan-19	Missing

Kumar	Luqman	Guri, Balgatar, District Panjgur	18-Jan-19	Missing
Ibrahim	Washdil	Sohi, Dasht, District Kech	18-Jan-19	Missing
Waju	Swali	Zarren Bug, Dasht, District Kech	18-Jan-19	Missing
Insaf			18-Jan-19	Missing
Altaf			18-Jan-19	Missing
Yaseen		Balochabad, Mand, District Kech	19-Jan-19	Missing
Imran	Basheer	Balochabad, Mand, District Kech	19-Jan-19	Missing
Murad Jan	Aziz	Tertij, Awaran, District Awaran	19-Jan-19	Missing
Ashraf	Murad Bakhsh	Tertij, Awaran, District Awaran	19-Jan-19	Missing
Char Shambay	Murad Bakhsh	Tertij, Awaran, District Awaran	19-Jan-19	Missing
Basheer	Mehrab	Tertij, Awaran, District Awaran	19-Jan-19	Missing
Basheer	Lakko	Tertij, Awaran, District Awaran	19-Jan-19	Missing
Ahmed Jan	Zehri Jan	Bidrang, Gresha, District Khuzdar	19-Jan-19	Missing
Wahid	Zehri Jan	Bidrang, Gresha, District Khuzdar	19-Jan-19	Missing
Ayaz	Faiz	Bidrang, Gresha, District Khuzdar	19-Jan-19	Missing
Barkat	Faiz	Bidrang, Gresha, District Khuzdar	19-Jan-19	Missing
Khalid	Mulla Hassan	Bidrang, Gresha, District Khuzdar	19-Jan-19	Missing
Abdul Wahid	Bazid	Bidrang, Gresha, District Khuzdar	19-Jan-19	Missing
Jaffar	Abdul Rasool	Nizarabad, Tump, District Kech	19-Jan-19	Missing
Hayat	Nizar	Beront, Keelkor, District Panjgur	19-Jan-19	Missing
Waheed	Shah Murad	Mara, Greshag, District Khuzdar	20-Jan-19	Missing
Hafeez	Dil Murad	Sohr Kuredi, Gresha, District Khuzdar	20-Jan-19	Missing
Abdul Majeed	Abdul Kareem	Daera Kumbi, Mashkai, District Awaran	21-Jan-19	Missing
Yaseen	Hashim	Bidrang, Gresha, District Khuzdar	22-Jan-19	Missing
Khair Jan	Mohammad	Bidrang, Gresha, District Khuzdar	22-Jan-19	Missing
Karim Jan		Kocha, Greshag, District Khuzdar	22-Jan-19	Missing
Gohar Khan		Kocha, Greshag, District Khuzdar	22-Jan-19	Missing
Sakim	Ganguzar	Apsar, Turbat, District Kech	22-Jan-19	Missing
Jumma Domki		Sabz Reik, Sibbi, District Sibbi	22-Jan-19	Missing
Khair Deen Domki		Sabz Reik, Sibbi, District Sibbi	22-Jan-19	Missing
Waheed		Gwargo, Panjgur, District Panjgur	23-Jan-19	Missing
Yousuf	Younus	Tase, Panjgur, District Panjgur	24-Jan-19	Missing
Tamar	Mohammad Hayat	Garok, Nal, District Khuzdar	25-Jan-19	Missing
Safar	Mohammad Ramzan	Garok, Nal, District Khuzdar	25-Jan-19	Missing
Bahadur	Mohammad Ramzan	Garok, Nal, District Khuzdar	25-Jan-19	Missing
Muhim Khan	Gohar Khan	Garok, Nal, District Khuzdar	25-Jan-19	Missing
Lawari	Shay Mohammad	Garok, Nal, District Khuzdar	25-Jan-19	Missing

Wali Mohammad		Garok, Nal, District Khuzdar	25-Jan-19	Missing
Rajab	Fateh Mohammad	Hasani, Gwadar, District Gwadar	26-Jan-19	Missing
Sagheer		Turbat, District Kech	27-Jan-19	Missing
Naveed		Turbat, District Kech	27-Jan-19	Missing
Ali Moor Bugti			27-Jan-19	Missing
Bahot	Sher Mohammad	Bidrang, Gresha, District Khuzdar	27-Jan-19	Missing
Nadir	Allah Bakhsh	Bidrang, Gresha, District Khuzdar	27-Jan-19	Missing
Ghani	Abbas	Sesdi, Dasht, District Kech	27-Jan-19	Missing
Sudheer	Gwahram	Damb, Hoshab, District Kech	27-Jan-19	Missing
Salman	Dad Mohammad	Nizarabad, Tump, District Kech	28-Jan-19	Missing
Malik	Mohammad	Kohad, Tump, District Kech	28-Jan-19	Missing
Solo	Babu	Mashkai, Gwarkop, District Kech	31-Jan-19	Missing
Mulla Rasheed	Kamalan	Mashkai, Gwarkop, District Kech	31-Jan-19	Missing
Qamber	Yousuf	Mashkai, Gwarkop, District Kech	31-Jan-19	Missing
Munir	Wali Mohammad	Mashkai, Gwarkop, District Kech	31-Jan-19	Missing
Hasil	Musa	Mashkai, Gwarkop, District Kech	31-Jan-19	Missing
Wahag	Musa	Mashkai, Gwarkop, District Kech	31-Jan-19	Missing
Basheer	Qadir Bakhsh	Mashkai, Gwarkop, District Kech	31-Jan-19	Missing
Sabzal	Qadir Bakhsh	Mashkai, Gwarkop, District Kech	31-Jan-19	Missing

Extra Judicially Killed

Name	F. Name	Address	Date of Abduction	Date of Killing	Mode of Killing
Mir Hazar Khan Mohammad Shahi		Faizabad, Saryab Road, District Quetta		2-Jan-19	Target Killing
Sikandar Ali		Jinnah Road, Sibbi, District Sibbi		2-Jan-19	Target Killing
Elahi Bakhsh	Pir Jan	Jhao, Dolegi, District Awaran	7-May-16	3-Jan-19	Custodial
Abdul Karim	Kamal	Raghay, District Washuk		4-Jan-19	Target Killing
Hafeez Sajidi		Greshag, Khuzdar, District Khuzdar		6-Jan-19	Target Killing
Shokat Ali	Saleh Mohammad Sarparah	Kardgap, Mastung, District Mastung	1-Jan-19	7-Jan-19	Mutilated
Mohammad Arif	Lateef Mastoi	Quetta, District Quetta		9-Jan-19	Mutilated

Haji Mohammad Ameer	Haji Mohammad Raheem	Gosabad, Quetta, District Quetta		9-Jan-19	Target Killing
Shehan Bugti		Sangsila, District Dera Bugti		11-Jan-19	Mutilated
Ali Ramzan		Sorab, District Kalat		12-Jan-19	Encounter
Baz Mohammad Adil		Mohajir Adda, District Loralai		12-Jan-19	Target Killing
Ahmed Sasoli				12-Jan-19	Encounter
Shahdad Baloch				12-Jan-19	Encounter
Phullan Waju		Awaran, District Awaran		19-Jan-19	Target Killing
Nasir	Haji Luqman	Washbod, Panjgur, District Kech		27-Jan-19	Target Killing
Ismail	Ghulam Mohammad	Paroom, Pangur, District Panjgur		31-Jan-19	Firing
Shah Dad	Bahram	Paroom, Pangur, District Panjgur		31-Jan-19	Firing
Nawaz	Nizar	Paroom, Pangur, District Panjgur		31-Jan-19	Firing