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SNHR is a Primary Source in the US Department of State's Syria 2017 Human Rights Report

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The Syrian Network for Human Rights (SNHR), founded in June 2011, is a non-governmental, independent group that is considered a primary source for the OHCHR on all death toll-related analyses in Syria.



The Bureau of Human Rights, Democracy, and Labor of the US Department of State released its annual reports on human rights practices in the world for the year 2017 on Friday, April 20, 2018. The 57-page report on Syria focused on several patterns of violations, including enforced-disappearance, torture, arbitrary arrest, detention center conditions, freedom of expression, internal displacement, protection of refugees, sexual violence, and human trafficking among other multiple violations of basic civil rights.

The report clearly exposes the Syrian regime's responsibility for the overwhelming majority of violations in terms of scale and quantity. The report also sheds light on the terrorist group ISIS's responsibility for various and wide patterns of violations.

The report draws upon a number of sources, including U.N. commissions and organs, as well as other human rights groups, such as Human Rights Watch, Amnesty International, and SNHR as a national local organization concerned with documenting various patterns of human rights violations in Syria. The report cites reports and figures released by SNHR in 25 different places. Collaboration and coordination between the US Department of State's Bureau of Human Rights and SNHR on the state of human rights in Syria continues for a sixth year.

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