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Statement on On-Going Protests in Sudan

The U.S. Embassy is aware of the occurrence of protests in Sudan this week, some of which have turned violent. The Embassy has received regrettable reports of serious casualties and damage to property.

We call on the authorities to respect the civil liberties of those protesting and, in particular, their right to assemble peacefully and express their views. We urge all parties to refrain from the use of violence.

During this challenging time for Sudan, it is vital that all sides exercise caution and restraint.