

Deportation is no solution!

Immediate protest against the mass deportations to Afghanistan, Serbia and Macedonia on Wednesday, 22 February 2017

Meeting: Holzmarkt Tübingen (next to the central church), 19:00 / 7:00pm

For the third time since autumn 2016, a nationwide mass deportation of refugees from Germany to Afghanistan is now scheduled for February 22nd. This time, the deportation will go from Munich airport back to this war-torn country which is also continuously suffering from terrorism.

We want to show our protest against these deportations on the streets directly and immediately.

We are calling out to all people to show their solidarity with the refugees who are about to be deported: you are invited to join us on Holzmarkt in Tübingen, on Wednesday February 22nd, 19:00 / 7:00pm.

By bringing and holding funeral lights in our hands, every single one of us can show a symbolic and quiet, but still powerfully visible sign of dissent.

More information and links (in German):

<https://bleiberecht.mtmedia.org/2017/02/18/afghanistan-abschiebung-22-02-2017>

According to the latest UN report all regions of Afghanistan are still subject to an internal armed conflict. There are no "safe regions" to which refugees could be sent back from Germany against their own decision.

Because of this UN report, several German states (Schleswig-Holstein, Berlin, Bremen, Niedersachsen, Rheinland-Pfalz, Hamburg, Nordrhein-Westfalen) have already decided to actively stop their support for deportations to Afghanistan.

On the contrary, the green-black government in Baden-Württemberg still sticks to its hard-line asylum politics, and will continue to support the deportation of "dismissed" refugees to Afghanistan and other countries suffering from war and crisis.

These deportation politics against Afghan refugees are only the tip of the iceberg, though. On the very same day, we also want to protest against another mass deportation, scheduled from Baden-Airpark Karlsruhe to the Balkans, to the so called "safe countries of origin", Serbia and Macedonia.

This deportation aims at Roma families, who would be forced to return to countries where they would live a life of misery, would be subject to racism and without any perspective for themselves.

Our message will be very clearly:

NOT IN OUR NAME! NO HUMAN BEING IS ILLEGAL!

Human rights must not be sacrificed to the electoral campaigns in Germany!