



# SUDAN MORNING NEWS

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### Republic of Sudan Radio News Summary

- President Bashir reiterated Sudan's "rejection to hand over any Sudanese national" to the International Criminal Court (ICC).
- He also met the new ambassadors of Sudan to Indonesia, Mauritania, Oman, Brazil, and Romania, "lauding Sudanese diplomacy in overcoming challenges facing the country."
- Vice-President Taha addressed the opening session of the National Congress conference in Khartoum, saying that the "unifying of ranks" was "very important in national reconciliation."
- Presidential aide Dr. Nafi will begin his visit to North Darfur today. He plans to "inaugurate several projects" during his trip.
- During his current "European tour," Foreign Minister Deng Alor is planning to hold talks with French officials in Paris.
- Today, three courts in Khartoum, Omdurman, and Khartoum North are due to begin the trails of those accused of involvement in the May attack on Omdurman.
- The Sudanese army has denied involvement in the conflict in eastern Chad "between the Chadian army and the opposition."
- Foreign Ministry spokesman Ambassador Al-Sadiq said the Chadian accusation against Sudan of launching an attack on a military facility on Chadian territory is "baseless."

- The Arab League's envoy to Sudan "stressed the importance of an Arab role" in the peace process for Darfur.

### A Sampling of Newspaper Editorials

*Akbar Al-Yaam*

### ICC Just A Political Game

*Akhir Lahza*

### The ICC and The Snake

*Al-Ayaam*

### What If The European Union Imposed Sanctions on Sudan?

*The Citizen*

### "[JEM/Omdurman] Trials Should Not Only Be Fair; They Must Be Seen To Be Fair"

*Sudan Vision*

### "ICC Prosecutor Dealt Another Blow"

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