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Minni Arko Minawi heads to Darfur to discuss implementation of the Abuja Agreement

(Al-Ayyam)

President Al-Bashir: We will give the decision back to the people to select whomever they want in the elections (Al-Sudani)

Ministry of Interior warns political entities against resorting to violence and chaos during the elections, promises to provide 27,000 policemen to secure the elections

(Al-Ray Alaam)

SPLM directs its cadre to sabotage elections by rallying the support of northern opposition political parties (Akhir Lahza)

In the presence of Obama's Special Envoy, NCP and SPLM sign today in Juba an agreement to overcome pending issues in the CPA

(Akhbar Al-Youm)

SPLM concludes its political bureau meeting in Juba today

(Akhbar Al-Youm)

SPLM: We will not cause trouble in the north and will not meddle with the NCP (Akhir Lahza)

[Special Envoy Scott] Gration arrived in Juba yesterday and is hopeful that the NCP and SPLM will overcome their differences

(Akhir Lahza)

Egyptian President warns of the dangers of the secession of southern Sudan (Al-Ray Alaam)

Fighting erupted between rival militias in Unity State, southern Sudan, on Tuesday (SudanTribune.com)

The National Elections Commission (NEC) pledges good conditions for elections

(Khartoum Monitor)

900,000 internally displaced persons return to southern Sudan, including to Abyei and South Kordofan

(Khartoum Monitor)

SPLA interrupts an NCP political student rally at Juba University, Juba

(*Al-Intibaha*)

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