Communities in Adre commit to living peacefully

Adre, 30 June 2009 – Two communities in Adre, eastern Chad, have agreed to reconcile and live peacefully together. As part of an Intercommunity Dialogue, launched last month, the Adre local authorities and MINURCAT, the UN mission in Chad and the Central African Republic, have brought the Zaghawa and Massalit communities together on 30 June to formalize the end to a long-standing feud between them.

The encounter is the culmination of reconciliation efforts between the communities and paves the way for the return of the Massalit community members to their original settlements. Both communities have committed to living peacefully side by side with their fellow countrymen.

The Intercommunity Dialogue, a joint initiative between Chadian authorities, the European Union and MINURCAT, seeks to promote dialogue between different communities with the aim of reducing tensions, and fostering a culture of peace and tolerance.

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