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A 34-year-old Moroccan agricultural engineer, arrested by the political police. Ismail LGHAZAOUI was sentenced, following an unfair trial, to one year of imprisonment and a fine of 5000 MAD (approximately €450) for exercising his constitutional right to freedom of expression:

On October 25, 2024, in the street in Casablanca, where he called on people to "lay siege" to the American Consulate in protest against the United States' full support for the Zionist occupation of Palestine and its role in the ongoing genocide against the Palestinian people.

On November 15, 2024, during a sit-in in front of the Tanger Med Port, where he condemned the docking of ships carrying American military equipment intended for the genocidal army of Israel.

On November 15, 2024, during the same sit-in in Tangier, where he warned the Moroccan authorities about the potential risk of being accused of complicity in the crime of genocide by international bodies.

Ismail was sentenced in an unjust political trial: the verdict is another clear attempt to deprive Palestine supporters from their right to freedom of expression and to criminalize calls of support for Palestine.

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