

# News in Brief

Department of Information and Culture  
Eritrean People's Party  
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## 1. Eritrean People's Party Mobilization Units Came under Attack

Eritrean People's Party Mobilization Units came under fire attack by Eritrean forces near Ksad Iqa in the morning hours of Tuesday, April 7, 2009. During the fighting, EPP Mobilization Units were able to fight off and defend themselves. Eritrean People's Party units sustained no casualties and returned to their stations safely, confirmed EPP Mobilization Units' statement. Eritrean People's Party Units were conducting political mobilization in the area of Ksad Iqa just before the Eritrean forces began firing at them.

## 2. Twelve Eritreans Entered Northern Ethiopia

Last week, 12 Eritrean refugees have crossed the Eritrean-Ethiopian border of Rama and entered in Northern Ethiopia. Out of the 12, 2 are reported to be members of Eritrean police force.

## 3. Eritrean Refugee Musicians play in Shere, Tigray Province

Eritrean refugee musicians from Mai Ayni and Shimelba refugee camp played music and songs in Shire, Tigray province over the weekend. This remarkable effort was aimed at restoring and establishing harmony and friendly relationship between both the peoples of Ethiopia and Eritrea.