

Influx of Eritrean Refugees

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The Eritrean People's Party sources have confirmed reports of a continuous daily influx of Eritreans into Northern Ethiopia.

Over the last three weeks – October 26 to November 4, 2009, 422 Eritrean refugees have reached Shimelba and MaiAyni refugee camps in Northern Ethiopia. Of these arrivals, 126 are soldiers, 260 civilians, and 36 children under the age of 16.