

**To: The Embassy of the Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia**

Attn: His Excellency the Ambassador

Avenue de Tervueren 64

1040 Etterbeek, Brussels, Belgium

**Date:** May 15, 2026

**Subject:** Formal petition regarding the current situation in Tigray

Your Excellency,

As members of the Tigray community in the Netherlands, we would like to thank you for the opportunity to present our concerns during this meeting. As members of the Ethiopian diaspora, we remain deeply committed to the well-being, safety, and future of our people in the Tigray region.

We are submitting this letter to formally urge the Ethiopian government to take the following essential measures:

1. **Upholding the Constitution and Safety:** To strictly uphold the Ethiopian Constitution and fulfill its sovereign obligation to ensure the security and physical safety of the people in Tigray.
2. **Protection of Basic Services:** To ensure that the people of Tigray are not deprived of the basic needs and public services they are entitled to receive from the government. It is imperative that the civilian population is spared from the consequences of the political conflict between the TPLF and the federal government.
3. **Territorial Integrity and Return of Displaced Persons:** To fully restore the territorial integrity of Tigray in accordance with the constitutional boundaries, and to facilitate and ensure the safe, voluntary, and dignified return of Internally Displaced Persons (IDPs) to their original homes.
4. **Aversion of Further Conflict:** To recognize that the people of Tigray have endured immense suffering, war, and destruction. We urge the government to exhaust all possible avenues to prevent any further military conflict in the region.
5. **Restoration of Democratic Governance:** To ensure that the people of Tigray can exercise their democratic rights in the upcoming elections, leading to the establishment of a properly elected government and a fully functional regional parliament.

We believe that addressing these points is fundamental to achieving lasting peace and stability for both Tigray and Ethiopia as a whole. We look forward to a constructive response and tangible progress on these matters.

Respectfully,  
Members of Tigray Community in the Netherlands