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Amnesty International: restoring the rule of law

- Two years after extrajudicial killings and forced disappearances, the perpetrators must be prosecuted.
- The challenge of these legislative elections will be to restore the rule of law in Mali.
- A human rights agenda will be released on November 30th.
- Link to press release (English):

<http://www.amnesty.org/en/library/asset/AFR37/008/2013/en/79f7ef50-b024-4c75-a23d-f9c8a59c45e5/afr370082013en.html>

General Sanogo charged with murder

- Ex-coup leader General Sanogo has been charged for murders and assassinations that occurred during the March 2012 coup d'état.
- The March 2012 coup led to an upsurge of Islamist militants and created a severe cleavage within the military, between 'green' and 'red' hats.
- Link to article (English):

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/world-africa-25130505>

"The authorities need to investigate and prosecute the perpetrators of unlawful killings, forced disappearances, torture and sexual abuse." – Gaëtan Mootoo (Amnesty International's Mali researcher)

Kidal: Tuaregs stop Mali's PM's visit

- Several hundred youth and women, supported by the MNLA, demonstrated at Kidal airport in order to stop Mali's PM from visiting the city.
- Demonstrators say the Malian military shot three protestors; the Malian army denies the incident.
- The Prime Minister has cancelled his trip.
- Link to article (English):

<http://www.news24.com/Africa/News/Tuaregs-stop-Mali-PM-visiting-town-20131129>