**Personal statement regarding the request for asylum**

Name:

Date of birth:

Country of origin:

*[date]*

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1. **Family history**

*[Please mention here all your close family members, including siblings, parents or other persons who are very close to you, including their date of birth and current place of residence]*

1. **Education / Working experience**

*[Please explain in detail, when you went to which school/university in which town; list your working experience (including exact tasks, place and year]*

1. **Threats in my country of origin**
2. **General threats**

*[Please explain here in detail, what threats exist in your country of origin in general; you may also refer to reports from organizations such as Amnesty International, UNHCR or Flüchtlingshilfe]*

1. **Personal threats**

*[Please explain here in detail, why exactly it is for you especially dangerous in your country of origin. Mention any negative experience you have had with all relevant details, including your emotions and feelings. You may also describe what happened to other people and why you fear that this might happen to you as well. Explain in detail why you were afraid in your country of origin and why you fled the country. If you are member of a specific group (e.g. race, religion, political party, sexual orientation) and if you are threatened because of that you should mention this here as well.]*

1. **Reasons for fleeing**

*[Please explain here, why you left your country on exactly that day – what happened the days before which made you leave? Who was informed about your plan to flee?]*

1. **My journey to Switzerland**

*[Explain in detail how you left your country, show what your journey to Switzerland looked like, including places, dates, other persons accompanying you, threats during your trip, etc ]*

1. **Ongoing threats in my country of origin**

*[Please explain why it still is dangerous for you to return to your country today. Explain in detail, what might happen to you (what you are afraid of) in case you would have to return to your country of origin]*

Kind regards

*[your signature]*

*[your name]*

**Annex:**

*[Mention here potential annexes such as copies of credit statements, identity documents, maps, reports of organizations, etc.]*