

Senior Jubaland official detained in Mogadishu

The bad blood between Somalia and the semi-autonomous state of Jubaland has intensified with the arrest of Jubaland's Security Minister Abdirashid Janan. A report on the [allAfrica](#) site notes that police who detained Janan shortly after his arrival at the Mogadishu airport from Dolow on Saturday are accusing him of **'serious crimes which are currently under investigation'**. They did not elaborate. Deputy police commissioner Zakia Hussen said the authorities were now monitoring all passengers entering Jubaland. [Legalbrief](#) reports that Islamist militants in 2006 gained control of most of Jubaland and a new autonomous administration dubbed Azania was formalised in 2012.