

## Official Transcript: Ellis Odjurhe (Highlight)



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In this highlight, Ellis Odjurhe speaks on... high quality conditions of detention center

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## Ellis Odjurhe

- 00:00 Beside that, I think another thing that has made it, that has made all the detainees or yes all the detainees not to be that inclined to escape may be the condition of detention. Because I think the condition of detention here is really very good.
- 00:22 It's very good in the sense that we have seen from experience occasions when people are discharged after they are, they finish their, their, their time here, they, they, they are reluctant to go. Yes, they prefer this place. They said the outside is they don't consider outside that safe. We've had situations like that.
- 00:43 Lisa P. Nathan: Can you say more, what do you mean by not safe?
- O0:46 They, they I don't, I don't really, I cannot say specifically what they, they, they are afraid of, but they allege that, that the present, rather their, their antagonists or rather the, the other tribe in the, in Rwanda there will be hunting them and so forth. Those are their claims about it. I don't know how correct that is.