

## **Libyan government announce cease-fire - August 21, 2020**

The Libyan government announced a cease-fire Friday and ordered the military to stop all combat operations. The Tripoli-seated Government of National Accord said the "cease-fire requires the areas of Sirte and al-Jufra to be demilitarized within security arrangements" and it called for presidential and parliamentary elections in March. In a similar time, Aguila Saleh, speaker of the pro-Khalifa Haftar Libyan parliament, called on all parties to adhere to an immediate cease-fire.