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TUNIS (Reuters) - Tunisia's interim government has granted the main Islamist group, Ennahda, permission to form a political party, the official TAP news agency said on Tuesday. The move will allow Ennahda, a moderate Islamist movement that had been banned for two decades under toppled President Zine al-Abidine Ben Ali's rule, to participate in upcoming elections.

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