





His Majesty  
King Abdullah bin Abdul Aziz Al Saud  
The Custodian of the two Holy Mosque  
Office of His Majesty The King  
Royal Court, Riyadh  
Saudi Arabia

Your Majesty,

I am very concerned about the cases of Nigerian national Suliamon Olyfemi and Indonesian domestic worker Siti Zainab Binti Duhri Rupa, who are at imminent risk of execution in Saudi Arabia.

Considering the death penalty to be the ultimate cruel, inhumane and degrading punishment, I call for the death sentences of all those on death row in Saudi Arabia - including Suliamon Olyfemi, Siti Zainab Binti Duhri Rupa and many others - to be commuted as a matter of urgency, with a view towards the abolition of the death penalty.

I call on you to ensure that international standards for fair trials be observed.

Yours sincerely,

Ministry of Justice, Transparency and Human Rights  
Christos Geraris  
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Greece

Dear Minister,

I am writing to you in the case of Konstantina Kouneva. I urge you that the main investigation into the case of Konstantina Kouneva to continue, and for it to be thorough, independent and impartial leading to the perpetrators being brought to justice.

Please keep Konstantina Kouneva informed about the progress in the investigation.

I urge you to protect the rights of migrant workers by fully implementing existing legislation.

I demand the protection of other human rights defenders and trade union members from similar attacks.

Yours sincerely,

Director of the Public  
Security Bureau of Shaoyang  
Li Xiaokui Juzhang  
Public Security Bureau of Shaoyang  
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Shaoyang City  
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VOLKSREPUBLIK CHINA

Dear Director,

I am writing to you with regard to the prisoner of conscience Zhu Chengzhi who is held under "residential surveillance".

I urge you to immediately and unconditionally release Zhu Chengzhi; and to ensure that in the meanwhile he is not held in secret and incommunicado detention.

I call on you to guarantee that Zhu Chengzhi and his family are free from harassment and able to exercise their rights to liberty of movement and freedom of expression.

Yours sincerely,

King Shaikh Hamad bin 'Issa Al Khalifa  
Office of His Majesty the King  
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Rifa'a Palace  
Manama  
BAHRAIN

Your Majesty,

I am writing to you to express my concern about Mahdi 'Issa Mahdi Abu Dheeb, former board member of the Bahrain Teacher's Association (BTA).

I urge you to release Mahdi 'Issa Mahdi Abu Dheeb immediately and unconditionally, as he is a prisoner of conscience, held solely for exercising his rights to freedom of expression and assembly.

I call on you to order an immediate independent and impartial investigation into his allegations of torture and other ill-treatment, publish the results and bring anyone found responsible to justice.

Yours sincerely,

Señor Juan Manuel Santos  
Presidente de la República  
Palacio de Naríño  
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Bogotá  
KOLUMBIEN

Dear President,

I am writing to you to express my concern for the safety of members of SINTRAMIENERGETICA, included Edgar Muñoz Araujo, Henry Ayala, Ricardo Machado, Cesar Florez, Juan Aguas Romero, Rubén Morrón Guerrero, Luis Manuel Mendoza, Yonis Ojeda Lobo, Miguel Corvacho Ortiz, Sabas Brito Mendoza, Horacio Llanos and Sergio Becerra Moreno, and of SINTRACARBON who received death threats.

I call on you to provide protection for those threatened in accordance with their wishes.

I urge you to conduct a full and impartial investigation into the death threats, and to make the results public and bring those responsible to justice.

I call on you to take immediate action to dismantle paramilitary groups and break their links with the security forces, in line with repeated UN recommendations.

Yours sincerely,

Head of the Judiciary  
Ayatollah Sadegh Larijani  
Howzeh Riyasat-e Qoveh Qazaiyeh  
(Office of the Head of the Judiciary)  
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Tehran  
Islamic Republic of Iran

Dear Excellency,

I am writing you to express my concern about the detention of the painter and decorator Shahrokh Zamani, who was sentenced to 11 years imprisonment by the Revolutionary Court of Tabriz in August 2011.

I urge you to release Shahrokh Zamani immediately and unconditionally, as he is a prisoner of conscience, held solely for exercising his rights to freedom of expression and association.

In the meantime, I call on you to grant him access to his family and lawyers.

Yours sincerely,

Co-Minister of Home Affairs  
Kembo Mohadi  
Ministry of Home Affairs  
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Zimbabwe

Dear Minister,

I am writing to you to express my concern for the safety of prominent trade unionist Gertrude Hambira. Her home was attacked by armed men, her office has been raided by officers from the CID, and she is now in fear of her life.

I urge you to provide her with effective protection and to carry out a prompt, full and impartial investigation into the circumstances of her attack in her family home. The perpetrators should be brought to justice in a fair trial. I also urge you to ensure that the Zimbabwean police immediately stop the harassment of Gertrude Hambira.

Finally I urge you to investigate and end the harassment and intimidation of human rights defenders and political activists by state security agents.

Yours sincerely,