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MINISTER OF JUSTICE
LAW AND JUSTICE DIVISION
MINISTRY OF LAW, JUSTICE AND PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS
BUILDING NO – 04
BANGLADESH SECRETARIAT
DHAKA – 1000
BANGLADESH

Place and date _____

Honourable Minister,

I call on you to immediately and unconditionally drop all charges against **Shahnewaz Chowdhury**, who is charged under Bangladesh's Digital Security Act (DSA) and if convicted faces up to a decade in prison just for expressing his views on Facebook.

The DSA is being weaponized by the government and powerful non-state actors to stifle dissent, and the least powerful are disproportionately targeted. I call on you to repeal or amend the DSA and other domestic laws in line with international human rights standards on the right to freedom of expression.

Yours sincerely,

(signature)

Sender _____

PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF CAMEROON
PALAIS PRÉSIDENTIEL
YAOUNDÉ
CAMEROON

Place and date _____

Your Excellency,

I am writing to demand the immediate and unconditional release of **Dorgelesse Nguessan**, who is detained solely for the peaceful exercise of her rights to freedom of expression and peaceful assembly.

Dorgelesse was arrested in Douala, while attending her first ever protest. She had never been politically active, but her concerns about the state of Cameroon's economy led her to join the demonstrations.

Dorgelesse was found guilty of "insurrection, assembly, meetings and public demonstrations" and after an unfair trial by a military court she was sentenced to five years in prison. She must be freed and returned to her family, who rely on her as the main wage-earner.

Yours sincerely,

(signature)

Sender _____

PRESIDENT OF CUBA
C/O EMBASSY OF CUBA IN BELGIUM
AVENUE BRUGMANN 80
1190 FOREST, BRUXELLES
BELGIUM

Place and date _____

Dear President,

I call on you to immediately and unconditionally release prisoner of conscience **Luis Manuel Otero Alcántara**. All charges against him must be dropped, as he has been detained solely for peacefully exercising his rights to freedom of expression and peaceful assembly. **Luis Manuel**'s trial was unfair and took place behind closed doors without access for independent human rights monitors or journalists.

While being held in a maximum-security prison, **Luis Manuel**'s health has reportedly deteriorated. Pending his release, please ensure that he is not ill-treated in detention, and has access to adequate healthcare and regular contact with his family and lawyers.

Yours sincerely,

(signature)

Sender _____

Juges d'instruction (Investigating judges)
Tribunal judiciaire de Lyon
67 RUE SERVIENT
69003 LYON
FRANCE

Place and date _____

Dear Investigating Judges,

I am writing to demand full accountability for the killing of **Zineb Redouane**, who died due to an alleged unlawful use of tear gas grenades during a protest. The responsibility of the officer who fired the grenade and his chain of command should be fully ascertained. Please duly consider all the existing evidence and, if the evidence warrants it, ensure that all suspects are tried in proceedings that respect their right to a fair trial.

Yours sincerely,

(signature)

Sender _____

SECRETARY FOR JUSTICE
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
G/F, MAIN WING, JUSTICE PLACE
18 LOWER ALBERT ROAD
CENTRAL
HONG KONG

Place and date _____

Dear Secretary,

I call on you to immediately and unconditionally release human rights lawyer **Chow Hang-tung** and drop all charges against her, as she has been charged solely for peacefully exercising her rights to freedom of expression and peaceful assembly.

Chow is serving 22 months in jail for peacefully remembering the victims of the Tiananmen Square crackdown in 1989. She is also facing further wrongful imprisonment for allegedly endangering national security through her entirely peaceful actions.

Yours sincerely,

(signature)

Sender _____

HEAD OF IRAN'S JUDICIARY
C/O EMBASSY OF IRAN TO THE EUROPEAN UNION
AVENUE FRANKLIN ROOSEVELT NO. 15
1050 BRUSSELS
BELGIUM

Place and date _____

Dear Sir,

I urge you to release **Vahid Afkari** immediately as he is being arbitrarily detained for his peaceful participation in protests, quash his unjust convictions and sentences and drop all charges relating to the peaceful exercise of his human rights.

Vahid Afkari is being held in solitary confinement in Adelabad prison in Fars province and the large body of evidence proving his innocence is being ignored by the authorities. Pending his release, he must be held in conditions meeting international standards for the treatment of prisoners, with access to adequate healthcare – outside prison if necessary – and to his family.

Yours sincerely,

(signature)

Sender _____

HEAD OF MOROCCAN GOVERNMENT
PALAIS ROYAL – TOUARGA
RABAT 10070
MOROCCO

Place and date _____

Your Excellency,

I call on you to immediately and unconditionally release protest leader **Nasser Zefzafi** and quash his unfair conviction, as he is imprisoned for exercising his right to protest.

Nasser is being held in terrible conditions, causing his health to deteriorate significantly. He is suffering from health conditions including respiratory and eyesight problems and nerve pain.

The prison authorities have denied him the medical care he needs. Pending his release, please ensure that **Nasser** is protected from torture and other ill-treatment and that he has access to adequate healthcare in prison.

Yours sincerely,

(signature)

Sender _____

PRESIDENT OF THE SUPREME COURT OF JUSTICE OF PARAGUAY
PALACIO DE JUSTICIA DEL PARAGUAY
MARIANO ROQUE ALONSO Y TESTANOVA
ASUNCIÓN

C.P. N°001001
PARAGUAY

Place and date _____

Your Excellency,

I call on you to guarantee all means to legally recognize the identities of **Yren Rotela and Mariana Sepúlveda**, two transgender women. Denying them the right to legally change their names and obtain identity documents matching their gender identity is discriminatory. It impacts their ability to gain equal education, employment, housing, healthcare, and further exposes them to violence, harassment, and stigma.

In Paraguay, trans activists are silenced and their protests are often banned or attacked. I call on you to guarantee legal frameworks to end this discriminatory practice. Without legal gender recognition, a transgender person's ability to live in dignity, equality, and security, and with the rights and protections afforded to other members of society, is severely compromised.

Yours sincerely,

(signature)

Sender _____

THE PROSECUTOR OF SAINT PETERSBURG
2/9 POCHTAMTSKAYA STREET
SAINT PETERSBURG
190000
RUSSIAN FEDERATION

Place and date _____

Dear Prosecutor,

I call on you to ensure the release of **Aleksandra Skochilenko**, who is being detained for criticizing Russia's war against Ukraine. Everyone has a right to freely express their opinions, including **Aleksandra**. All charges against her must be dropped and she should immediately and unconditionally be released from prison.

I also call on you to ensure that, pending her release, **Aleksandra** is held in conditions that comply with international standards, and she has access to adequate healthcare as well as the food she needs in relation to her medical condition. **Aleksandra** must also be protected from harassment by detention centre employees and her cellmates.

Yours sincerely,

(signature)

Sender _____

PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF ZIMBABWE
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
MUNHUMUTAPA BUILDING
SAMORA MACHEL AVENUE
P. BAG 7700
CAUSEWAY
HARARE
ZIMBABWE

Place and date _____

Your Excellency,

I call on you to immediately and unconditionally drop all charges against **Joanah Mamombe, Cecilia Chimbiri and Netsai Marova**, charged solely for the peaceful exercise of their rights to freedom of expression and peaceful assembly.

Cecilia, Joanah and Netsai were arbitrarily arrested following a protest in Harare, taken to a police station, and forcibly driven out of the city to a place where they were beaten and sexually assaulted. While still hospitalized, they were charged with offences related to the protest and later charged with faking their ordeal. To date, no one has been held accountable.

Cecilia, Joanah and Netsai have suffered continuous harassment since their arrest and must be protected.

Yours sincerely,

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