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## AMNESTY INTERNATIONAL DELEGATION TO KENYA PRESS CONFERENCE

An Amnesty International delegation is in Kenya between 6 and 12 September 1997 to launch a worldwide campaign on human rights in Kenya. The delegates include Hilary Fisher and Kathy Daniel, from the East Africa team at the organization's London-based International Secretariat, Everist Mbuya, Chair of Amnesty International's Tanzania Section and Frank Johansson, Media Officer.

During their visit, the delegation will be meeting with members of non-governmental organizations and the donor community, and holding workshops on women's rights and using information technology to protect and promote human rights.

At the Press Conference, Ms Fisher will officially launch the organization's campaign, outlining Amnesty International's concerns about the deteriorating human rights situation throughout the country and the upcoming elections.

## Press conference details:

- 10 September 11.00 am
- Nairobi Hilton Hotel

To launch the campaign, Amnesty International has prepared a media pack including Video News Release (Betacam), Audio News Release, and press materials.

For further information, to arrange an interview, or to obtain copies of the media pack please call:

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