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Further information on UA 243/98 (AI Index: ASA 37/24/98, 11 September 1998)  
- Fear of torture

SRI LANKA Thirugnanam Sampanthan  
Kasinathan Naguleswaran  
Rajendran Sudarsan  
Rajaratnam Rajavel

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Amnesty International has been informed that the above four people, who were taken prisoner by the Liberation Tigers of Tamil Eelam (LTTE), have been released. Thirugnanam Sampanthan, Kasinathan Naguleswaran and Rajendran Sudarsan were released on 13 September 1998 and Rajaratnam Rajavel was released on 16 September. A fifth person, E Nayavel (Amudan), (whose name appeared in the original Urgent Action), was not taken prisoner as had been reported earlier.

No further action is required from the UA network. Thank you to all those who sent appeals.