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Mexico: Amnesty International delegation visits Mexico

An Amnesty International delegation will visit Mexico between 10 and 25 June to carry out research on the human rights situation. The delegates, Rupert Knox, Monica Costa and Laura Fine, will visit Mexico City, Veracruz, Oaxaca and Guerrero to meet with human rights organizations, victims of human rights violations, government authorities and other important specialists in the field of human rights.

The delegation will meet with members of Guerrero State Congress to support the initiative of local human rights organizations campaigning for the adoption of a bill to criminalise forced disappearance in the state.

In Mexico City the delegation will meet federal authorities to discuss a range of issues including legislative reforms and the development of the National Human Rights Programme.

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