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Zimbabwe: Invitation to a press conference

Amnesty International invites journalists to a press conference on the preliminary findings of its latest mission to Zimbabwe. The conference shall be held in Johannesburg, South Africa tomorrow.

During its visit, members of the Amnesty International delegation met Zimbabwean human rights activists and gathered evidence of growing harassment, arrest and torture of those who peacefully oppose the government. They discovered a level of fear among human rights activists that has rarely been seen before.

Further Conference Details

DATE: 24 January 2003

TIME: 12h00 Johannesburg Time (10:00GMT)

VENUE: Melville Mini Conference Centre

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