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ZAIRE:MUKENDI wa Mulumba aged 46, lawyer, former chairman of the bar (batonnier) and advisor to the Prime Minister Major Mpika, aged 48, security advisor to Prime Minister Lieutenant Ngbaka, aged 36 years, security advisor to PM Dieudonne Nyangele, aged 38, security advisor to PM Justin Mobikayi, aged 30, protocol official Michel Kembo, aged 28 OLENGA Nkoy, aged 28 chargé de mission

M. Akoy, aged 35, Journalist at UMOJA newspaper

Amnesty International has received confirmation that all eight of these individuals have been released. Sources have suggested that they were freed some time between the night of 15 December and the morning of 17 December 1992. Thank you to all those who sent appeals on their behalf. No further action is required.