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Further information on UA 325/97 (AMR 13/07/97, 17 October 1997) and follow-up (AMR 13/09/97, 22 October 1997) - Fear for Safety

**ARGENTINA** Mario Humberto GÓMEZ YARDEZ  
Gloria ALVAREZ (f)  
Natalia GÓMEZ (f), aged 5, daughter of above

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The *Juicio Oral y Público*, oral public proceedings, of the trial of the police officers accused of torturing Mario Humberto Gómez Yardez is now scheduled to take place on 20 November 1997. Amnesty International remains concerned for the safety of Mario Humberto Gómez Yardez and his family.

Please continue appeals as per the last update issued on this case (AMR 13/09/97, 22 October 1997) taking the above details into account and noting the following new action.

**NEW RECOMMENDED ACTION: Please send telegrams/faxes/express/airmail letters in Spanish or in your own language:**

- welcoming reports that an official date for the trial has been set for 20 November 1997;

**APPEALS TO:**

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and to diplomatic representatives of Argentina accredited to your country.

**PLEASE SEND APPEALS IMMEDIATELY.** Check with the International Secretariat, or your section office, if sending appeals after 20 November 1997.