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Further information on UA 172/93 (AMR 34/30/93, 27 May 1993) - and follow-up:
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GUATEMALA: Ramiro de LEON CARPIO, Human Rights Procurator

José LOBO DUBON, President of Congress

Juan José RODIL PERALTA, President of the Supreme Court

Edgar TUNA VALLADARES, Acting Attorney General

Amnesty International has learned that Ramiro de León Carpio, previously Human Rights Procurator, was sworn in as President of the Republic of Guatemala on 6 June 1993. He was voted as President almost unanimously by Congress, following the withdrawal of the only other candidate.

Edgar Tuna Valladares, José Lobo Dubon and Juan José Rodil Peralta are no longer under any threat of arrest.

No further appeals are required from the Urgent Actions Network. Thank you to all those who sent appeals.