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## USA (ARIZONA) Luis MATA

Luis Mata, who was scheduled to be executed in Arizona on 12 July 1995, received a stay of execution from the Arizona Supreme Court. The stay was granted partly on the grounds that Mata received poor legal representation at an earlier sentencing. Oral arguments on this and other issues are scheduled to take place before the Court on 11 October 1995.

Thank you to everyone who sent appeals on Luis Mata's behalf. No further action is required at this time.