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USA (Texas) James MEANES

James Meanes, black, remains scheduled to be executed on 29 August 1995.

## FURTHER RECOMMENDED ACTION: Please telephone, or send telegrams or faxes, in English if possible:

- urging the Board to recommend that Governor George W. Bush grant clemency to James Meanes;
- expressing concern and sympathy for the families of violent crime;
- expressing opposition to the death penalty in all cases.

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