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Further information on UA 39/96 (ASA 20/06/96, 16 February 1996) and follow-up (ASA 20/14/96, 25 March 1996) - Death Penalty

INDIA Gantela Vijayavardhana Rao, aged 25 Satuluri Chalapathi Rao, aged 24

Amnesty International has learned that the Supreme Court hearing concerning the death sentences passed by the High Court on Gantela Vijayavardhana Rao and Satuluri Chalapathi Rao, which took place on 2 April, was adjourned. The appeal is expected to come up for final hearing in July 1996.

No further action by the UA Network is requested at present. Thank you to all who sent appeals.