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Further information on EXTRA 32/95 (ASA 21/21/95, 23 March 1995) -
Imminent Execution

INDONESIA Karta Cahyadi alias Yongki, aged 32, married with children

Amnesty International has learned with deep regret that Karta Cahyadi was executed early on the morning of 26 April in Kali Sari village, East Jakarta. This is the third execution in Indonesia this year - Kacong Laranu and Chan Ting Chong, were executed in January 1995. Until this point, there had been no executions since December 1992. Amnesty International fears that the three executions increase the risk of imminent execution of others on death row who have had their appeals for presidential clemency rejected -- the last legal obstacle to execution.

Karta Cahyadi, along with **Tugiman bin Sikin**, had been found guilty of robbery and murder and sentenced to death in September 1990 in the Surakarta District Court, Central Java. The fate of Tugiman bin Sikin is unclear.

Amnesty International is unreservedly opposed to the use of the death penalty, which it believes to be a violation of the most fundamental right - the right to life.

FURTHER RECOMMENDED ACTION: Please send telegrams/telexes/faxes/express and airmail letters in English, Bahasa Indonesia or your own language:

- expressing deep regret at the execution of Karta Cahyadi on 26 April;
- appealing to President Suharto to show clemency and to commute all death sentences that come before him;
- expressing opposition to the death penalty as a violation of the right to life and the right not to be subjected to cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment.

APPEALS TO:

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President Suharto
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Salutation: Dear President Suharto

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Salutation: Dear Minister

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and to the diplomatic representatives of Indonesia accredited to your country

PLEASE SEND APPEALS IMMEDIATELY. Check with the International Secretariat, or your section office, if sending appeals after 22 June 1995.