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Further information on UA 165/01 (ASA 21/026/2001, 3 July 2001) - Possible "disappearance"

INDONESIA Hubertus Wresman

Amnesty International has received information which indicates that Hubertus Wresman is being held by Kopassus officers stationed near his village. The Kopassus officers are based in Betaf, the main town in Pantai Timur Sub-district, Jayapura District, Papua.

Hubertus Wresman is believed to be held incommunicado and is at high risk of torture or ill-treatment.

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

- asking for confirmation that Hubertus Wresman is being detained by Kopassus in Betaf;
- urging the authorities to release him immediately and unconditionally and, in the meantime, to guarantee that he will not be harmed and has access to lawyers, his family and medical treatment;
- calling on the authorities to launch a full, immediate and impartial investigation into the alleged abduction and ill-treatment of Hubertus Wresman by Kopassus, and to ensure that the perpetrators are brought to justice.

APPEALS TO:

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Salutation: Dear Major General

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Salutation: Dear Lt. General

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and to 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 17 August 2001.