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**Note to Editors
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Amnesty International would like to point out that Ms Bianca Jagger's recent statement, calling for NATO ground troops to be sent in to Kosovo, Federal Republic of Yugoslavia, does not express the position of the organization. Ms Bianca Jagger is a member of Amnesty International USA. She is not a designated spokesperson of the organization's International Secretariat, and contrary to press reports, has never travelled to Macedonia and Albania as an Amnesty International representative.

Amnesty International works to promote and protect human rights. Our role in situations of armed conflict is to focus on the human rights aspects of the conflict and to help identify solutions to safeguard human rights -- with the aim of ensuring that human rights and humanitarian law are respected by all parties to the conflict under all circumstances. In our efforts to do this, Amnesty International takes no position on the question of military intervention.

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