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Further information (2) on UA 69/96 (ASA 03/02/96, 11 March 1996) and follow-up (ASA 03/03/96 25 March 1996) - Legal concern/Fear of ill-treatment

CAMBODIA/VIET NAM Ly Chandara  
Ly Thara  
Nguyen Phong Seun

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Amnesty International learned today that Nguyen Phong Seun has been released from an Interrogation Centre in Ho Chi Minh City, Viet Nam, and has returned to Phnom Penh. His release was apparently permitted because of a very serious illness, and he will not face charges in Viet Nam. Ly Chandara and Ly Thara remain in detention in an Interrogation Centre in Ho Chi Minh City. They are not held at Chi Hoa prison, as was previously reported. Amnesty International has received information indicating that the Vietnamese authorities may be willing to release the two men, and they are no longer in immediate danger.

No further action is required by the Urgent Action Network at this time. Thank you to all who sent appeals.