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Bolivia: Amnesty International visits the country 23 February to 6 March

An Amnesty International delegation will visit Bolivia from 23 February to 6 March in order to carry out research on reports of human rights violations and assess the human rights situation in the country.

The delegation will be meeting with human rights organizations and victims of human rights violations, and has requested meetings with government representatives.

Who

Virginia Shoppee -- Bolivia Researcher, Amnesty International. Guadalupe Marengo -- Americas Programme Deputy Director, Amnesty International. Esteban Beltran -- Director, Amnesty International Spanish Section.

Itinerary

23 and 24 February – La Paz 24 to 27 February – Cochabamba 27 February to 2 March – Santa Cruz 2 to 6 March – La Paz

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