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EL SALVADOR:Adolfo AGUILAR PAYÉS, sociology student

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Amnesty International has learnt that the trial of Adolfo Aguilar Payés took place on 2 December 1992 and that the jury found him not guilty. An order for his release was signed the following day.

Amnesty International had called for him to be given a fair trial and expressed its concern that the only evidence against him appeared to be a statement which he had been forced to sign after being tortured while in police custody.

No further action is required on his behalf. Many thanks to all those who participated in appeals.