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USA (Texas): Cesar FIERRO, Mexican national

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Cesar Fierro, who was scheduled to be executed in Texas on 10 August, was granted an indefinite stay of execution from the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals (the state's highest court) on 5 August. According to press reports, the Court also ordered a hearing into Fierro's allegations that US police suppressed information at trial relating to their involvement with Mexican police in their investigation of the murder for which Fierro was sentenced to death.

Thank you to everyone who sent appeals on Cesar Fierro's behalf. No further action is necessary at the present time.