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## Diary Notice: Conference to mark the World Day Against the Death Penalty

On Wednesday 10 October, celebrities and activists will mark the World Day Against the Death Penalty with a press conference hosted by the World Coalition Against the Death Penalty.

Speakers at the event will urge UN member states to vote in favour of a resolution for a universal moratorium on executions.

Speakers include: Sister Helen Prejean, author of *Dead Man Walking*; director and actor Tim Robbins; actor Mike Farrell, Death Penalty Focus; Souhayr Belhassen, President of the International Federation of Human Rights and Michel Taube, World Coalition Against the Death Penalty.

### DETAILS OF THE CONFERENCE:

**Date:** Wednesday, 10 October 2007

**Time:** 2.30 pm - 4.30 pm EST

**Venue:** Church Center, 777 UN Plaza, New York, NY 10017

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