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47. On October 7, 1999, the Commission granted precautionary measures in favor of Mr. Alvaro José Robelo González and his wife Lucía Raffone, on the basis of information received to the effect that the State of Nicaragua had canceled Mr. Robelo's Nicaraguan passport, and that he had received death threats by telephone. In response to the Commission's request, by note of October 12, 1999, the Nicaraguan Government informed the Commission that it had transmitted the request for precautionary measures to the Ministry of Government so that, in consultation with the interested parties, it could be implemented. Subsequently, on February 29, 2000, the State reported that it had provided Mr. Alvaro Robelo with the services of an agent of the National Police for his own security and that of his family for a period of four months, as from October 27, 1999. It also reported that Mr. Robelo and his wife had left Nicaragua on November 4, 1999, that to date they had not returned to the country, and that Mr. Robelo retained his Nicaraguan passport.