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28. On October 1, 2003, the IACHR adopted precautionary measures on behalf of the teacher and human rights defender Jorge Isaac Aramburu, who works in the Yurumanguí and Cajambre river basins in the municipality of Buenaventura. The information available indicates that he has been declared a military target and since September 2000 ten members of his family have been assassinated. In view of this situation, the IACHR asked the Colombian State to adopt the measures needed to protect his life and physical integrity and to report on the actions taken to investigate the facts and put an end to the threats. The Commission has continued to receive information on his situation.