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19. On April 3, 2008, the IACHR granted the request for precautionary measures for Messrs. Alberto López Pérez, Víctor Manuel Gómez Mendoza and their respective families. The request seeking precautionary measures alleges that Messrs. López Pérez and Gómez Mendoza had been the targets of threats, acts of intimidation and attacks as a result of their union activities. The Commission requested that the State of Guatemala adopt the measures necessary to guarantee the life and physical integrity of the beneficiaries and their families, and report on the measures adopted to conduct a judicial inquiry into the events that prompted the adoption of precautionary measures. The Commission continues to monitor the situation.