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18. On July 31, 2008, the IACHR granted the request for precautionary measures on behalf of Emildo Bueno Orguís, Dielal Bueno, Minoscal De Olis Oguiza, Gyselle Baret Reyes and Demerson De Olis Baret. The request seeking precautionary measures alleges that these individuals, born in the Dominican Republic of parents of Haitian origin, have been threatened and have been the targets of acts of violence, presumably in retaliation for the legal actions brought to obtain papers identifying them as Dominican citizens. The Commission asked the Dominican Republic to take the measures necessary to protect the lives and physical integrity of the beneficiaries and to report what measures are being taken to conduct a judicial inquiry into the facts that prompted the adoption of precautionary measures. The Commission continues to monitor the situation.