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27. On November 30, 2009, the IACHR asked the State of the Dominican Republic to provide information within a 48-hour time frame on the whereabouts of Mr. Almonte Herrera and on the security situation of his relatives and representatives, among other matters. To date, the IACHR has not received any response to that request for information. In addition, the IACHR received information on December 5, 2009, indicating that relatives and representatives of Mr. Almonte Herrera had reportedly been followed and subject to harassment on the part of agents of the National Police since the date on which Mr. Almonte Herrera was detained. Given the gravity and urgency of the situation, and the lack of response regarding the whereabouts of Mr. Almonte Herrera, the Inter-American Commission requested that the government of the Dominican Republic report on the whereabouts of Juan Almonte Herrera, his state of health, and his current security situation; that it adopt the necessary measures to guarantee the life and physical integrity of Juan Almonte Herrera, Yuverky Almonte Herrera, Joel Almonte, Ana Josefa Montilla, Genaro Rincón, and Francisco de León Herrera; and that it report on the actions taken to investigate the facts that led to the adoption of precautionary measures.