

DECISION No. 44/1996 (COLOMBIA)

Communication addressed to the Government of Colombia
on 3 October 1995.

Concerning: Jorge Luis Ramos, Rafael Jaramillo, Víctor Manuel Huérfanos, Alvaro Solano Martínez and José Tiberio Beltrán, on the one hand and Colombia, on the other.

1. The Working Group on Arbitrary Detention, in accordance with the revised methods of work adopted by it and in order to carry out its task with discretion, objectivity and independence, forwarded to the Government concerned the above-mentioned communication received by it and found to be admissible, in respect of allegations of arbitrary detention reported to have occurred.
2. The Working Group notes with appreciation the information forwarded by the Government concerned in respect of the cases in question within 90 days of the transmittal of the letter by the Working Group.
3. The Working Group also notes that the Government concerned has informed the Group that the above mentioned persons are no longer in detention.
4. In the context of the information received and having examined the information available to it, and without pre-judging the nature of the detention the Working Group decides to file the cases of Jorge Luis Ramos, Rafael Jaramillo, Víctor Manuel Huérfanos, Alvaro Solano Martínez and José Tiberio Beltrán.

Adopted on 3 December 1996.