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43. On October 4, 2002 the Commission granted precautionary measures in favor of Antonio García Barrios, Israel Barreiro D., Henry Gordon A., Magangue, Jesús Tovar C., Lidys Jaraba B., Carmen Torres de Orozco, Nicolás Castro O., Edgar Pua Samper, Tomas Ramos Quiroz, José Meriño Camelo, Euripides Yance Rodríguez, Campo Elias Quintero Ortiz, Limberto Carranza Vanegas, Magangue, Jaime Camargo, Ismael Martínez Salcedo, Evelio Mancera Sánchez, Agedo Llorente Arteagas, Jaime Castillo Rogero, Plinio Avila Cassianis, Hernán Arturo Durango Patrillau, Luis Fernando Arevalo Restrepo, members of the subdirective of the Department of Atlántico of the Central Trade Union. The request presented to the Commission indicates that the beneficiaries were declared a military objective by the AUC. Illegal armed groups under the denomination of “Los Chamos”, “Los Mezas”, “Muerte a activistas revolucionarios” and “Braca el que no falla” distributed written threats in the metropolitan area which read “you will suffer the same fate as Ricardo Orozco, because you are guerrillas.” Mr. Orozco was an ANTHOC union leader, assassinated on September 27, 2001. The State reported on the provision of security measures and the initiation of a formal investigation regarding these threats.