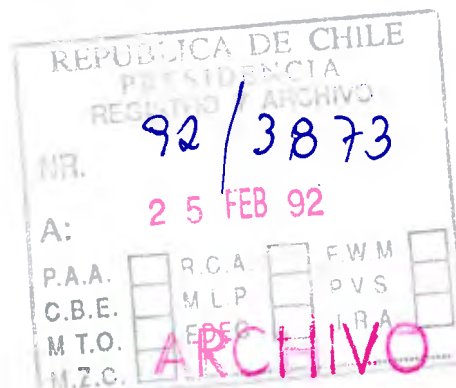


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Sr. Patricio Aylwin Azocar
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Palacio de la Moneda
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Dear President,

I take the liberty to address you as a member of Amnesty International, a politically impartial and independent organization with purely humanitarian aims, to express my deep concern about death threats received by members of CODEPU. "Comite de Defensa de los Derechos del Pueblo" on 29th January 1992.

I kindly ask you to initiate an investigation into the sources of those threats and those found responsible should be brought to justice. Also adequate steps should be taken to protect the lives and physical integrity of all members of CODEPU.

Furthermore I would be grateful if you could assure that measures are taken by the government to ensure that members of human rights groups are able to conduct their legitimate activities without fear of reprisal.

I am only one of many throughout the world who will be grateful for your intervention.

Yours respectfully and sincerely,

Liane Bastian

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