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Honorable Consul,

On Saturday December 10, Amnesty International Curaçao in co-operation with the University of the Netherlands Antilles organises a symposium about the death penalty. This symposium will take place at the U.N.A., Jan Noorduyweg 111, Curaçao.

The increasing serious criminality in Curaçao leads to the call for the death penalty, stronger and more often. The question is whether or not this is a positive development.

The aim of the symposium is to come to a well balanced opinion about the death penalty.

The program:

- 8.15 registration
- 9.00 opening
- 9.15 speech of prof Ezzat A. Fattah
- 10.00 opportunity for questions
- 10.15 break
- 10.30 discussion in small groups as to questions formulated bij prof Fattah
- 11.30 reaction of the panel on the results of the discussion in the small groups and discussion with the audience
- 13.00 closing

Prof Ezzat A. Fattah, former prosecutor in Cairo, Egypt, is criminologist at the Simon Fraser University in Vancouver, Canada. Prof Fattah has published several books and articles about the death penalty.

The panel consists of

mrs. J.M. Martis M.A.
Prof dr A.F. Paula
mr F.W. Stüger

Moderator is mr drs R.E. Blaauw.

Prof Fattah will hold his speech in the English language.
Other languages can be used in the discussion.

The organizers herewith specially invite you to participate
in the symposium and hope to welcome you at the U.N.A. on
December 10, 1994.

Yours sincerely,

Amnesty International
group Curaçao
mr G.J.J.M. Essink, chair

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