

UPDATES

Last year, hundreds of thousands of people in more than 200 countries and territories took part in our global **Write for Rights** campaign, resulting in more than 3 million actions. Here's an updates on the 12 cases.

BANGLADESH

Kalpana Chakma

We are still waiting for the Police Superintendent of Rangamati Hill District to submit her report on the investigation of Kalpana Chakma's case.

CHINA

Liu Ping

For the first time, Liu Ping's daughter was allowed to visit her in prison at the end of 2014. We believe the international attention generated by Write for Rights contributed to this.

GUATEMALA

Yolanda Oquelí

On 15 July 2015 an appeal court ordered the suspension of construction work at the El Tambor mine until proper consultations are conducted with the affected communities of San Pedro Ayampuc and San José del Golfo. It's a huge victory for Yolanda and other activists campaigning against the damage caused by the mining project.

NIGERIA

Moses Akatugba

The Governor of the Niger Delta responded to pressure from Amnesty supporters and granted a full pardon to Moses, who had been sentenced to death aged 16 for allegedly stealing three phones.

NORWAY

John Jeanette Solstad Remø

Following our campaign in support of John Jeanette, the Norwegian government said it would change the law, so that people who want to change their legal gender can do so without undergoing compulsory medical treatment.

PHILIPPINES

Alfreda Disbarro

The two policemen identified by Alfreda as her torturers were found guilty of grave misconduct. Both received a one-rank demotion.

SAUDI ARABIA

Raif Badawi

He was flogged on 9 January 2015 – the first 50 lashes in his sentence of 1,000. The news quickly went around the world and boosted the campaign for his release. Although his sentence was upheld in June, he has yet to endure further flogging.

SRI LANKA

Prageeth Eknaligoda

There has been no further progress in the case, although the election of a new President of Sri Lanka in January 2015 brought hope of change to the country.

TURKEY

Hakan Yaman

The investigation into the police attack on him continues. Our campaign has ensured attention from the Ministry of Justice for the case.

UNITED ARAB EMIRATES

Dr Mohammed al-Roken

The human rights lawyer remains in prison, serving a 10-year sentence. However, our international campaign has helped human rights activists and prisoners' families in the UAE feel less isolated from the world.

USA

Chelsea Manning

Together, we took more than 240,000 actions for Chelsea Manning, serving 35 years in prison for leaking classified US government material. She remains in prison and is preparing a court-martial appeal. The US military have agreed to provide her with hormone therapy treatment.

UZBEKISTAN

Erkin Musaev

The family of Erkin Musaev, falsely accused of spying and jailed for 20 years after unfair trials, told us your letters gave him 'strength, optimism and faith'. Erkin thanks everyone who took action. He remains in prison.

