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SPECIAL REPORT ABOUT VENEZUELAN  
PARLIAMENT MEMBERS' SITUATION

(LEGISLATIVE PERIOD 2016-2021)



Special Commission on Justice and Peace  
Sub-commission on Attention to Victims

SPECIAL REPORT ABOUT VENEZUELAN PARLIAMENT MEMBERS' SITUATION  
(LEGISLATIVE PERIOD 2016-2021) UNDER HARASSMENT OR AGGRESSION BY THE STATE  
OR ITS OPPRESSIVE AGENTS SUCH AS PARAMILITARY GROUPS  
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In the following pages, there is an account of the violations of the human rights of Venezuelan members of parliament during the current legislative period. Most of these have been timely reported to the Human Rights Committee for Parliament Members. These cases are related to:

- Torture, abuse and other acts of violence
- Threats and intimidating acts
- Arbitrary and temporary arrests
- Failing in procedural guarantees during the investigation stage
- Arbitrary delay in judicial procedures
- Violation of free speech and expression
- Violation of free assembly and association
- Violation of freedom of movement
- Unlawful suspension or cancellation of the parliamentary term
- Violation of parliamentary immunity
- Other measures that prevent the execution of the parliamentary term
- Other violations: the right to privacy
- Persecution by paramilitary groups

Within the description of each of these types of harassment, determined by the Interparliamentary Union, there is also the cancellation of passports or travel documents, attacks to the property of the parliament members and their relatives that carry out legal activities allowed by the Constitution of Venezuela, and family harassment.

It is noteworthy to mention that data is presented in the order each case was reported and sent to the Interparliamentary Union, if it applied:

## Biagio Pilleri



### Type of abuse and current situation

There was a judicial process before being elected as Member of Parliament in 2010, he was arrested and later released (2011). The process is still open.



Reported to the PIU

Revision of the cases' current situation.  
March 2017

## Reported to the PIU

Revision of the **cases'** current situation. March 2017

PHRC 19 -2019



### Type of abuse and current situation

There was a judicial process before being elected as Member of Parliament in 2010, he was arrested and later released (2011). The process is still open. When travelling to a ParlaSur meeting in Montevideo he was held in the International Airport and his passport was taken away. On February 23rd, when he was on the road with other deputies in San Antonio del Táchira, they were surrounded by paramilitary groups that fired at the car they were using which forced the deputies to look for shelter in a house in the area. A few days before the issuing of this document, SEBIN officers went to the hotel where he was staying and asked for his registry information, they also inspected the room he had occupied.

## José Sánchez Montiel



## Hernán Claret Alemán



### Type of abuse and current situation

There was a judicial process before being elected as Member of Parliament, the process is still open.



Reported to the PIU

Revision of the **cases'** current situation. March 2017

## Reported to the PIU

Revision of the **cases'** situation March 2017 June 29th 2017 July 17th 2017  
PHRC 12 2019



### Type of abuse and current situation

Old judicial process and recent violation to parliamentary immunity, with an arrest warrant. He is currently in exile.

## Richard Blanco



## Julio Borges



### Type of abuse and current situation

He has been subjected to physical abuse, persecution, abuse of family context, the violation to his parliamentary immunity by unlawful forced entry and arrest warrant.

He is currently exiled in Bogota, Colombia.

### Reported to the PIU

Revision of the **cases'** current situation. March 2017  
PHRC 26 2017  
PHRC 06 2018  
PHRC 09 2018

## Reported to the PIU

Revision of the **cases'** current situation. March 2017  
July the 8th 2017

### Type of abuse and current situation

She has been subjected to physical abuse and arbitrary arrest. Together with Deputy Renzo Prieto, in April she was arrested for more than one hour, she was robbed and beaten by the Bolivarian National Guard (GNB in Spanish)

## Nora Bracho



## Ismael García



### Type of abuse and current situation

He has been subjected to physical abuse, persecution, abuse of family context, the violation to his parliamentary immunity by unlawful forced entry and arrest warrant. He is currently exiled.

### Reported to the PIU

Reported on December 11th 2014.  
PHRC 01 2018

## Reported to the PIU

Reported on January 12th 2017 PHRC 12-2018 PHRC 14-2019 PHRC 19 -2019

### Type of abuse and current situation

Physical abuse, persecution and passport cancellation. The Deputy Has been a victim of threats and arbitrary arrests, and other various aggressions. The last days he has been abused by the political police of the regime, and threatened by armed paramilitary groups which support the regime. He has a precautionary measure of the IACHR. His son, appointed as ambassador in Austria by President (interim) Juan Guaido, has also been subject of persecution and threats. On February 23rd the car that was taking him and other deputies in San Antonio del Táchira was profoundly requisitioned, the drivers were abused by GNB officers.

## Williams Dávila



Nirma Guarulla



### Type of abuse and current situation

The representative of Amazonas state, she has been a victim of judicial harassment, they tried to cancel her term and prevent her from taking her seat in the National Assembly. She was the object of serious and groundless allegations of fraud.



### Reported to the PIU

Revision of the **cases'** current situation. March 2017

### Reported to the PIU

Revision of the **cases'** current situation...March 2017



### Type of abuse and current situation

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Julio Ygarza



Romel Guzamana



### Type of abuse and current situation

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### Reported to the PIU

Revision of the **cases'** current situation...March 2017

### Type of abuse and current situation

The representative of Amazonas state, she has been a victim of judicial harassment, they tried to cancel her term and prevent her from taking her seat in the National Assembly. She was the object of serious and groundless allegations of fraud. He has been subjected to abuse of family context, she is today exiled. These last days her family has been abused by the political police of the regime. She was accused by Diosdado Cabello (CNA President) of participating in the alleged Coup d'etat on the 30th April 2019 and she was threatened with cancellation of her immunity.



### Reported to the PIU

Addendum to the report  
PHRC 14 2019  
PHRC 18 2019

Mauligmer Baloa





Rosa Petit



### Type of abuse and current situation

The representative of Amazonas state, she has been a victim of judicial harassment, they tried to cancel her term and prevent her from taking her seat in the National Assembly. She was the object of serious and groundless allegations of fraud. In February, together with other deputies in Táchira, she was kidnapped for more than 3 hours and robbed by people wearing military uniforms and balaclavas, when she was on her way to support the entrance of the humanitarian help. She has been threatened and attacked by paramilitary groups and her house was marked with paint to let others know it was a "target", she has also received death threats. She was accused by Diosdado Cabello (CNA President) of participating in the alleged Coup d'etat on the 30th April 2019 and she was threatened with cancellation of her immunity.

### Reported to the PIU

Addendum to the report  
PHRC 14 2019  
PHRC 18 2019



### Type of abuse and current situation

Physical and verbal abuse, limitation of his freedom of speech.  
His radio show was closed.

Arnoldo Benítez



Rosmit Mantilla



### Type of abuse and current situation

He was a political prisoner, severely tortured. When he was elected he was not allowed to immediately be released. When he was released he was persecuted. He is currently exiled.

### Reported to the PIU

Revision of the **cases'**  
current  
situation...March 2017



### Type of abuse and current situation

He was a political prisoner, severely tortured. When he was elected he was not allowed to immediately be released. He occupies his seat today in the Assembly and he is a victim of persecution. Recently, together with deputy Solorzano, his life was threatened by paramilitary groups. With deputy Nora Bracho, in April he was arrested for more than 1 hour, he was robbed and beaten by GNB. These last days his house has been painted with threatening graffiti. Currently under harassment by the president of the CNA.

### Reported to the PIU

Revision of the **cases'**  
current  
situation...March  
2017



Renzo Prieto



Gilberto Sojo



### Type of abuse and current situation

He was a political prisoner, severely tortured. When he was elected he was not allowed to immediately be released.



### Reported to the PIU

Revision of the **cases'** current situation...March 2017

### Reported to the PIU

Reported on January 12th 2017 addendum PHRC 09 2019 addendum



### Type of abuse and current situation

He was a political prisoner after being elected as a deputy, with serious violations to due process of the law. He received a freedom measure. He was arrested and disappeared by the political police (SEBIN) until June 17 when he was released.

Gilber Caro



Luis Florido



### Type of abuse and current situation

He has received serious death threats, he has suffered physical and verbal abuse. Recently, his parliamentary immunity was violated, as the result of unconstitutional measure from the CNA and there is a arrest warrant with his name. He is currently exiled. On May 10th his house was covered with threats painted by paramilitary groups of the area. Currently, there are SEBIN officers watching his house.



### Reported to the PIU

January 12th 2017  
July the 6th 2017  
PHRC 12 2019  
Addendum PHRC  
Report14 - 2019

### Reported to the PIU

Reported on March 22nd 2017.



### Type of abuse and current situation

While being the subchief of the PIU, he was subjected to serious physical abuse in Maiquetia International Airport, where his passport was taken away. He has been subjected to verbal abuse, harassment in the workplace and to family members.

Eudoro González



Jorge Millán



### Type of abuse and current situation

Coming back from a parliament official mission, he was subjected to serious physical abuse in the Maiquetia, International Airport where he was beaten and his passport was taken away. He has been a victim of verbal abuse and his family members as well.



Reported to the PIU

June 29th 2017 July 17th 2017

Reported to the PIU

July the 8th 2017



### Type of abuse and current situation

He has been seriously threatened and he has been a victim of verbal and physical abuse.

Armando Armas



Américo De Grazia



### Type of abuse and current situation

He has been harassed and attacked by the regime, even by Nicolas Maduro. He has suffered physical and verbal abuse. Recently, his parliamentary immunity was violated by an unconstitutional measure from the CNA and there is an arrest warrant with his name. He is currently a guest in the Embassy of Italy in Caracas.



Reported to the PIU

July the 6th 2017  
July the 8th 2017  
PHRC 12 2019

Reported to the PIU

July the 6th 2017  
July the 8th 2017  
PHRC 12 2019



### Type of abuse and current situation

He has been a victim of verbal abuse and threats. He is a victim of harassment in the workplace, some of his goods have been stolen

Luis Carlos Padilla





José Regnault



### Type of abuse and current situation

He was brutally beaten by paramilitary groups inside the headquarters of the Legislative Federal Palace.



Reported to the PIU

July the 8th 2017

Reported to the PIU

Aggression against opposition deputies by Bolivarian National Guards June 2017 PHRC 26-2017



### Type of abuse and current situation

She has been a victim of harassment and persecution by the authorities of Cojedes State, she is constantly persecuted and threatened. she was brutally beaten inside the Legislative Federal Palace by General Bladimir Lugo next to Deputy Lozano and Solorzano.

Dennis Fernández



Olivia Lozano



### Type of abuse and current situation

She has been a victim of harassment and persecution by the authorities of Bolivar State, she is constantly persecuted and threatened. She was brutally beaten inside the Legislative Federal Palace by General Bladimir like deputies Fernandez and Solorzano also were.



Reported to the PIU

Aggression against opposition deputies by Bolivarian National Guards June 2017 June 29th 2017

Reported to the PIU

Reports about intimidatory attacks April 2017 Aggression against opposition deputies by National Guard June 2017 June 29th 2017 PHRC 03 2019 PHRC 07 2019



### Type of abuse and current situation

She has been a victim of verbal abuse and persecution by the authorities of the State. She is constantly persecuted and threatened, her family has received death threats even inside her home; her house has been broken-in twice without a search warrant, her husband has received direct death threats by the dictatorship. There is a judicial process open for her and deputy Henry Ramos Allup. She was brutally beaten inside Legislative Federal Palace by General Bladimir lugo along with deputies Lozano and Fernandez. Her passport has been cancelled and together with Deputy Renzo Prieto they have received serious death threats by paramilitary groups. Currently under harassment by the president of the ANC.

Delsa Solórzano



Robert Alcalá



### Type of abuse and current situation

He is victim of harassment from local authorities of Sucre State, he has received death threats and there have been several attempts of breaking into his house.

Reported to the PIU

June 29th 2017



Reported to the PIU

June 29th 2017



### Type of abuse and current situation

This deputy was victim of constant physical and verbal abuse. While being Vice-President of the commission for domestic affairs, there was an arrest warrant with her name without violating her parliamentary immunity. She is currently exiled.

Gaby Arellano



Carlos Bastardo



### Type of abuse and current situation

He has been a victim of verbal abuse and serious physical threats. With deputy María Gabriela Hernández, he has been subject of harassment by Monagas State local authorities.

Reported to the PIU

June 29th 2017



Reported to the PIU

June 29th 2017



### Type of abuse and current situation

She has been a victim of physical and verbal attacks, she has been constantly threatened, identified and persecuted by the dictatorship officials.

Marialbert Barrios



Amelia Belisario



### Type of abuse and current situation

She has been attacked by paramilitary groups, GNB and PNB officials. She is a frequent victim of threats. She has been a victim of verbal and physical abuse and so has her family.



Reported to the PIU

June 29th 2017  
PHRC 29-2017

Reported to the PIU

29 de junio de 2017



### Type of abuse and current situation

He has been attacked by paramilitary groups, GNB and PNB officials. He is a frequent victim of threats.

Marco Bozo



Miguel Pizarro



### Type of abuse and current situation

He has been attacked by paramilitary groups, GNB and PNB officials. He is a frequent victim of threats. Recently, his parliamentary immunity was violated by an unconstitutional measure from the CNA. He is currently hiding.



Reported to the PIU

June 29th 2017  
PHRC 15 2019

Reported to the PIU

June 29th 2017

PHRC 30 2017

PHRC 15 2019



### Type of abuse and current situation

He has been attacked by paramilitary groups, GNB and PNB officials. He is a frequent victim of threats and he was attacked. He has been harassed in the workplace with father, Alexis Paparoni and the rest of his family. parliamentary immunity was violated by an unconstitutional measure from the CNA. He is currently hiding.

Carlos Paparoni



Alexis Paparoni



### Type of abuse and current situation

With his son, Alexis Paparoni has been subjected to harassment in the workplace. He is constantly persecuted by SEBIN officials. On February 22nd and 23rd, together with other victims, they were victims of attacks by paramilitary groups in Táchira state.

Reported to the PIU

PHRC 19 -2019



Reported to the PIU

29 de junio de 2017



### Type of abuse and current situation

He has been attacked by paramilitary groups, GNB and PNB officials. He is a frequent victim of threats. In February, together with other Táchira deputies, he was kidnapped for more than three hours and robbed by people wearing military uniforms and ski masks, this happened while he was going to support the entrance of humanitarian help.

José Brito



Yanet Fermín



### Type of abuse and current situation

She has been attacked by paramilitary groups, GNB, SEBIN and PNB officials. She has been a victim of verbal abuse and constant threats. She has been arbitrarily arrested.

Reported to the PIU

June 29th 2017  
2nd addendum to the  
report  
PHRC 14 2019



Reported to the PIU

June 29th 2017  
PHRC 16 2019



### Type of abuse and current situation

She was a victim of constant physical and verbal abuse. Due to her family tie with Fernando Aban, who was murdered by the dictatorship, she received serious threats against her life, her liberty and physical integrity. She is currently exiled.

Dinorah Figuera



Winston Flores



### Type of abuse and current situation

He has been attacked by paramilitary groups, GNB and PNB officials. He is a frequent victim of threats. His parliamentary immunity was violated by an unconstitutional decision of the illegitimate Supreme Court. Currently in the exile.



Reported to the PIU

Aggression against opposition deputies by National Guard June 2017 June 29<sup>th</sup> 2017 PHRC 15 -2019

Reported to the PIU

June 29th 2017



### Type of abuse and current situation

He is victimized by senior State officials, such as the President of the illegitimate CNA, Diosdado Cabello.

Omar González



Stalin González



### Type of abuse and current situation

He has been attacked by paramilitary groups, GNB and PNB officials. His passport was recently cancelled.



Reported to the PIU

June 29th 2017  
PHRC 26 2017

Reported to the PIU

June 29th 2017 PHRC  
01 -12.01.19 PHRC  
02 2019 PHRC 04  
2019



### Type of abuse and current situation

He is the President (interim) of Venezuela. He has been attacked by paramilitary groups, GNB and PNB officials. He is a frequent victim of threats, he has been arbitrarily arrested, his right to due process and parliamentary immunity has been recently violated by the CNA with an alleged and unconstitutional immunity breach. He is a victim of harassment, and his family members as well. His family has been persecuted and threatened. His family is in exile.

Juan Guaidó





## Tomás Guanipa



### Type of abuse and current situation

He is a victim of constant harassment in his home. In several occasions his house has been broken in by the political police officers or paramilitary groups. He and his family have been seriously threatened; his passport has been cancelled. With his brother, Juan Pablo Guanipa, they have been subjected to harassment in the workplace. His parliamentary immunity was illegally withdrawn by the Supreme Court on June 12, 2019 and the sentence is published on August 12 of the same year.

### Reported to the PIU

June 29th 2017  
July the 6th 2017

PHRC 03 2018  
PHRC 05 2018

### Reported to the PIU

PHRC 10 2018

Addendum to the  
report  
PHRC 14 2019

### Type of abuse and current situation

He is a frequent victim of all types of threats by dictatorship officials. He is constantly persecuted by repressive agents of the state. He has been brutally beaten and arbitrarily arrested. His house was recently painted and identified with threatening graffiti made by paramilitary groups.

## Juan Pablo Guanipa



## José Guerra



### Type of abuse and current situation

He has received physical and verbal threats from the dictatorship and his context has also been abused. His parliamentary immunity was illegally withdrawn by the Supreme Court on June 12, 2019 and the sentence is published on August 12 of the same year.

### Reported to the PIU

June 29th 2017

### Reported to the PIU

June 29th 2017  
July the 6th 2017

PHRC 27 2017

### Type of abuse and current situation

While he was free, he was attacked by paramilitary groups, GNB and PNB officials. He received serious injuries in one leg.

After that, his parliamentary immunity was violated by the CNA, he has an arrest warrant. For the last two years he has been a guest in the embassy of Chile in Venezuela.

## Freddy Guevara



Rafael Guzmán



### Type of abuse and current situation

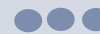
He has been attacked by paramilitary groups, GNB and PNB officials. He is a frequent victim of threats.

On May 29th 2019, the illegitimate Supreme Court violated his parliamentary immunity when they decided to involve him in the commission of a series of serious crimes, and without a trial they asked the unlawful CNA the cancellation of his immunity, and the sentence is published on August 12 of the same year.

Reported to the PIU

June 29th 2017

PHRC 20 2019



Reported to the PIU

June 29th 2017



### Type of abuse and current situation

She has been a victim of verbal abuse and serious physical threats. Together with Deputy Carlos Bastardo, he has been subject of harassment by Monagas State local authorities. She has asked for a cautionary measure before the IACHR.

María G. Hernández



Piero Mauron



### Type of abuse and current situation

He has been a victim of verbal abuse and serious physical threats. He has been subject of harassment by Monagas State local authorities.

Reported to the PIU

June 29th 2017



Reported to the PIU

June 29th 2017 PHRC  
13 2019 PHRC 15 -  
2019



### Type of abuse and current situation

He has been attacked by paramilitary groups, GNB and PNB officials. Recently, his parliamentary immunity was violated by a unconstitutional measure from the CNA and there is a arrest warrant with his name. He is currently hiding.

Juan A. Mejía



Julio Montoya



### Type of abuse and current situation

He denounced the corruption of several senior officials of the dictatorship, due to this he has been a victim of serious and frequent threats. He has also suffered from harassment in the workplace by the expropriation of business offices that belonged to his family; his family context has also been attacked.



Reported to the PIU

June 29th 2017

Reported to the PIU

June 29th 2017

PHRC 14 2019



### Type of abuse and current situation

He and his family have been seriously attacked. In first place, his brother was arbitrarily arrested so as to silence him. These **last days the headquarters of the foundation "Manos para Vargas", led by Deputy Olivares, was painted with threatening messages** by the groups of the area. He is currently in exile.

José M. Olivares



Henry Ramos Allup



### Type of abuse and current situation

He has been a victim of judicial harassment by means of several open processes that intend to deter his freedom of speech. He has been attacked by paramilitary groups, GNB and PNB officials. He is a frequent victim of threats. There are judicial processes open for him and deputy Delsa Solorzano. Recently, his parliamentary immunity was violated by an unconstitutional measure from the CNA and there is an arrest warrant with his name. Deputy Ramos has decided he will not ask for asylum in any country or embassy. He continues to work in the National Assembly.

Reported to the PIU



June 29th 2017  
July the 6th 2017

PHRC 12 2019

Reported to the PIU

June 29th 2017

PHRC 08-2018 and Addendum

PHRC 09 2018



### Type of abuse and current situation

While he was free, he was attacked by paramilitary groups, GNB and PNB officials. His parliamentary immunity was violated by an unconstitutional measure from the CNA. and he is currently politically arrested in the SEBIN headquarters. His sister Rafaela Requesens was also arrested at that moment and released a few hours later. During the first days of his arrest he was tortured and subjected to numbing and psychotropic substances, he was recorded and exposed naked in scatological conditions. His hearings before court are constantly suspended without reason.

Juan Requesens



Luis E. Rondón



### Type of abuse and current situation

He was attacked by the security guards of the State and abused in Maiquetia Airport.



Reported to the PIU

June 29th 2017

Bolivia Suárez



### Type of abuse and current situation

She was attacked by the security guards of the State.

Carlos Valero



### Type of abuse and current situation

He was attacked by the security guards of the State.



Reported to the PIU

June 29th 2017

Reported to the PIU

June 29th 2017  
PHRC 16 2019



### Type of abuse and current situation

She was attacked by the security guards of the State paramilitary groups. She and her family were victims of harassment and threats. They are currently abroad.

Milagro Valero



Germán Ferrer



### Type of abuse and current situation

He is the husband of the General Prosecutor of the Republic. His parliamentary immunity was violated by an unconstitutional measure from the CNA. He has an arrest warrant. He is currently exiled.



Reported to the PIU

PHRC 20 2017

Reported to the PIU

PHRC 22 2017

PHRC 28 2017



### Type of abuse and current situation

She was attacked by the State security guards, she was administratively suspended for political reasons and she was threatened to death by paramilitary groups and the local authorities of the electoral circuit she represents: Guarenas and Guatire in Miranda State. She is currently in exile

Adriana D'Elia



Adriana Pichardo



### Type of abuse and current situation

She is a political leader and HR activist; she has been attacked for defending the rights of political prisoners and missing persons. She has been injured in peaceful demonstrations. Her house was recently broken-in by members of the political police.



Reported to the PIU

PHRC 11-2018

Reported to the PIU

PHRC 22 2017

PHRC 14 2019

PHRC 19 -2019



### Type of abuse and current situation

A serious case of judicial harassment. Constantly called before court to unlawfully declare. He is also a victim of harassment in the workplace. The dictatorship has closed his radio stations and pharmacies, his farm has been broken-in and his cattle have been killed. The last days he has received threats by paramilitary groups which support the regime.

Luis Lipa





Carlos Berrizbeitia



### Type of abuse and current situation

He is constantly threatened by the dictatorship and the local authorities of Carabobo state. His passport was cancelled. He was sentenced to pay a high fee in a judicial process for allegations of corruption against former Ministry of Food while executing his role as a congressman.



Reported to the PIU

PHRC 17 2017  
PHRC 01 2018

Reported to the PIU

PHRC 10 2019

Addendum to PHRC  
Report 14 - 2019



### Type of abuse and current situation

She has been a victim of harassment and permanent threats from the local authorities of Delta Amacuro state. Her house was recently painted and identified with threatening graffiti made by paramilitary groups. These last days her family has been abused by the political police of the regime.

Larissa González



Manuela Bolívar



### Type of abuse and current situation

She has been attacked by paramilitary groups, GNB and PNB officials. She is a frequent victim of threats.



Reported to the PIU

PHRC 02 2018

Reported to the PIU

PHRC 04 2018



### Type of abuse and current situation

He was attacked by paramilitary groups in a proselytist act His life was seriously threatened. His motor skills are still compromised due to brain injury, he is still in the recovery process.

Teodoro Campos



José Trujillo



### Type of abuse and current situation

This deputy is a physician and a Health Rights activist. He has been brutally assaulted while visiting hospitals. He was accused by Diosdado Cabello (CNA President) of participating in the alleged Coup d'état on the 30.04.19 and he was threatened with cancellation of his immunity.



### Reported to the PIU

Reported to the PIU by the deputy  
PHRC 16 -2019  
PHRC 18 -2019

### Reported to the PIU

PHRC 06 2019  
PHRC 13 2019  
PHRC 14 2019  
PHRC 15 -  
-2019



### Type of abuse and current situation

He is a constant victim of verbal abuse and threats. He has been subjected to abuse of family context. His house was brutally and illegally broken-in by the political police. Recently, his parliamentary immunity was violated by an unconstitutional measure from the CNA and there is an arrest warrant with his name. His house was recently painted and identified with threatening graffiti made by paramilitary groups. He is currently hiding.

Sergio Vergara



Franklyn Duarte



### Type of abuse and current situation

He has been brutally attacked and threatened by paramilitary groups in Táchira state. There are continuous posts that point him out as the objective of paramilitary groups. His house was recently painted and identified with threatening graffiti made by paramilitary groups. Members of the group "José Leonardo Chirinos" announced that they will ask the CNA for the cancellation of his parliamentary immunity. On May 27th 2019, they delivered in his house a CICPC warrant addressed to him, it is not known why.



### Reported to the PIU

Addendum to the report  
PHRC 14 2019  
PHRC 19 -2019

### Reported to the PIU

Reported on April  
03rd 2019.



### Type of abuse and current situation

He was harassed by immigration authorities in Maiquetia Airport. His passport was taken away so as to stop him from being in the 140 PIU Assembly in Doha.

Oscar Ronderos



Mariela Magallanes



### Type of abuse and current situation

She was harassed by immigration authorities in Maiquetia Airport. His passport was taken away so as to stop him from being in the 140 PIU Assembly in Doha. Her parliamentary immunity was violated by an unconstitutional measure from the CNA and there is an arrest warrant with her name. She is currently a guest in the Embassy of Italy in Caracas.



Reported to the PIU

Reported on April 03rd 2019.

PHRC 12 2019

Reported to the PIU

Addendum to the report  
PHRC 14 2019



### Type of abuse and current situation

She is a Venezuelan lawyer and Health Rights activist; she has been seriously threatened, attacked and harassed by the State security officials. Her house has been under surveillance for the last two weeks.

Oneida Guanipe



Luis Silva



### Type of abuse and current situation

He was kidnapped by police officers that stole his credentials, cell phone and vehicle. He has been threatened by the former governor of Bolivar State. His its final closure. Recently, he has been harassed business was also broken into, which caused by the political police (SEBIN) and his house his house was painted with threatening graffiti made by paramilitary groups.



Reported to the PIU

Addendum PHRC  
Report14 - 2019  
PHRC 19 -2019

Reported to the PIU

Addendum to the report  
PHRC 14 2019



### Type of abuse and current situation

Recently his house was recently identified with threatening graffiti made by paramilitary groups and in the last days he has been a victim of harassment by the political police of the regime. He is currently abroad.

Rachid Yasbek



María Beatriz Martínez



### Type of abuse and current situation

She is a constant victim of harassment and threats. She has been attacked by the GNB and persecuted by the CICPC. Recently her house was recently identified with threatening graffiti made by paramilitary groups and in the last days she has been a victim of harassment by the political police of the regime.



Reported to the PIU

PHRC 16 2017  
PHRC 14 2019  
PHRC 16 -  
-2019

### Type of abuse and current situation

Reported to the PIU

PHRC 14 2019



She was a victim of harassment by a group of people wearing ski masks who stayed frequently in front of her house, screaming insults to the deputy and her family, they also threw objects, stones, frozen water containers, her son was pushed and her mother was threatened to death. These last days her house has been painted with threatening graffiti by paramilitary groups.

Milagros Sánchez Eulate



José Antonio Mendoza



### Type of abuse and current situation

Recently, his house was painted with threatening graffiti made by paramilitary groups, he was harassed and persecuted by the political police of the regime (SEBIN) and he was threatened by paramilitary groups in his house and his family workplace.



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### Type of abuse and current situation

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His house was recently painted and identified with threatening graffiti made by paramilitary groups "Now is your turn Eliezer".

Eliezer Sirit



Dennicis Pazos



### Type of abuse and current situation

Recently his house was recently identified with threatening graffiti made by paramilitary groups and in the last days he has been a victim of harassment in his house by the political police of the regime.



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### Type of abuse and current situation



Recently his house was recently identified with threatening graffiti made by paramilitary groups and he has been a victim of harassment in his house by the political police.

José Gregorio Graterol



Karim Vera



### Type of abuse and current situation

Her house was recently painted and identified with threatening graffiti made by paramilitary groups. Since May 9th she is being attacked by repressive agents.



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### Type of abuse and current situation

He has been directly threatened by the president of the unlawful CNA, because of the reports he has filed before many institutions regarding Deputy Juan Requesens. Likewise, his family has been harassed since his brother, leader Oscar Lopez, is asking for asylum in the United States due to an arrest warrant with his name for political reasons.

Ramón López





Freddy Superlano



### Type of abuse and current situation

Recently, his parliamentary immunity was violated by an unconstitutional measure from the CNA and there is an arrest warrant with his name. Officers from the Intelligence Bolivarian Service (SEBIN) have stayed near his family house in Barinas state. He is currently hiding.



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### Type of abuse and current situation

He is a constant victim of verbal abuse and threats. His h was recently painted and identified with threatening gr made by paramilitary groups.

Alfonso Marquina



Franco Casella



### Type of abuse and current situation

He and his family have received serious threats. Recently, he had to take his daughters abroad due to threats received by the paramilitary groups. Also, there is a public threat of being arrested; His parliamentary immunity was violated by unconstitutional decision of the illegal Supreme Court. He is currently a guest at the Embassy of Mexico in Caracas.



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### Type of abuse and current situation

She is a constant victim of harassment and threats. She has asked for a cautionary measure before the IACHR to be protected against the representatives of regional government and PSUV leaders.

María Gabriela  
Hernández



Armando López



### Type of abuse and current situation

He has been a victim of harassment and persecution by the regime in two opportunities: April 19th 2017 his car was withheld for more than 3 hours next to 18 people by Carabobo state police in the “Navas Espinola” station, they were coming back from a peaceful demonstration that was repressed.

Later, on February 21st 2019 he was kidnapped by armed groups for more than 3 hours and he was robbed, together with other deputies, when they were going to San Antonio, Táchira state, to support the entrance of humanitarian help.

Elimar Díaz



### Type of abuse and current situation

Together with several deputies, on February 23rd 2019 she was seriously threatened to death and kidnapped by paramilitary groups in Táchira state.

Yajaira Forero



### Type of abuse and current situation

Together with several deputies, on February 23rd 2019 she was seriously threatened to death and kidnapped by paramilitary groups in Táchira state.

### Type of abuse and current situation

He has been subject of harassment by Carabobo State local authorities, due to the opinions broadcasted during the deputy's radio programme.

He has been denounced by the former 2 governors that support the regime in Carabobo state and he has been cited before court, without respecting his parliamentary immunity.

Leandro Domínguez



Edgar Zambrano



### Type of abuse and current situation

First Vice-President of the Venezuelan National Assembly. He was subjected to a spurious process without due process, which concluded in an unlawful order of the CNA that violates his parliamentary immunity. There was an illegal arrest warrant with his name, this ended up in a clumsy kidnapping in which the deputy was taken by the political police in his own vehicle in a crane.

He was taken in the middle of the night to Court without allowing him to be assisted by his lawyers and today he is in a military prison in Fuerte Tiuna. He is in the isolation cell and cannot be visited by his family or lawyers.

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### Type of abuse and current situation

He was subjected to a spurious process without due process, that concluded in an unlawful order of the CNA that violates his parliamentary immunity. In February, together with other Táchira deputies, he was kidnapped for more than three hours and robbed by people wearing military uniforms and ski masks, this happened while he was going to support the entrance of humanitarian help. It has been said that he is currently hiding.

José Simón Calzadilla



Maribel Guedez



### Type of abuse and current situation

Her house was beset by paramilitary groups and it was declared a military target.

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### Type of abuse and current situation

He is Carabobo's deputy, his house was beset by paramilitary groups and it was declared a military target.

Ángel Álvarez



Kerrins Mavarez



### Type of abuse and current situation

These last days he has been the object of threatening graffiti and he has been harassed by the State security officers.



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### Type of abuse and current situation

These last days she has been harassed by the SEBIN.

Gilmar Márquez



Karin Salanova



### Type of abuse and current situation

Persecuted by SEBIN officials in vehicle without license plates and subsequently hit by the same vehicle.

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### Type of abuse and current situation

He is a victim of harassment by the political police of the regime; he is constantly photographed and watched in his workplace and in his house.

Antonio Geara



Jony Rahal



### Type of abuse and current situation

He has been a victim of attacks and disrespect for his parliamentary immunity. In September 2016 the State security agents tried to break into his house. Recently, from their Twitter account, the United Socialist Party of Venezuela (PSUV), in Nueva Esparta state, threatens him and his family.



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### Type of abuse and current situation

In the last 8 days, SEBIN cars with heavily armed officers wearing ski masks have stayed for hours in front of the **deputy's house; they have done the same in front of his family business and those of people related to the deputy and his family.**

Ylidio Abreu



Emilio Fajardo



### Type of abuse and current situation

He is frequently threatened by the regional spokesperson of the regime. These last days his family has been abused by the political police of the regime. Likewise, the walls of his house have been painted with threatening graffiti by paramilitary groups.



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### Type of abuse and current situation

On a wall located at the entrance of the housing development where the deputy lives in Merida city, on May 13th there was a graffiti that accused him of being a traitor to the motherland and that he would pay for that.

Luis Loaiza



José Gregorio Hernández



### Type of abuse and current situation

There is an open process in the penal court that Aragua's governor, who is also PSUV leader, started in 2016, accusing him of several crimes related to the ENC. He is not allowed to go abroad due to this process.

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Ramón Flores Carrillo



### Type of abuse and current situation

He has been a frequent victim of verbal abuse and persecution by unidentified people, due to his reports about the impact of the Orinoco Mining sector.

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PHRC 16-2019



Joaquín Aguilar



### Type of abuse and current situation

In a recent TV show he has been threatened to be arrested, under the alleged responsibility of violence in front of military command in Trujillo state. He has been pointed out as a war objective by paramilitary groups in front of his house.

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César Cadenas



### Type of abuse and current situation

Deputy Cadenas and his family have been constantly harassed by irregular groups (Bolivarian Freedom Force) in Barinas state. He has suffered diverse types of threats and kidnap.

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José Gregorio Noriega



### Type of abuse and current situation

His house was broken in and he has been persecuted by the SEBIN and Sucre governor.



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### Type of abuse and current situation

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During the attack on the parliament on July 5, 2017, her daughter was seriously threatened with death by the paramilitary groups and was forced to remove her from the country.

María Concepción Mulino de Saavedra



Arkiely Perfecto



### Type of abuse and current situation

Her mother's house was broken in by the SEBIN and she was recently the victim of a kidnapping attempt by paramilitary groups.



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### Type of abuse and current situation

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PHRC 16-2019



She has been threatened by the Secretary of Government of Zulia State.

Marianela Fernández



Guillermo Luces



### Type of abuse and current situation

He was accused by Diosdado Cabello (CNA President) of participating in the alleged Coup d'état on the 30.04.19 and he was threatened with cancellation of his immunity.



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PHRC 18-2019

Juan Carlos Velasco



### Type of abuse and current situation

He has been a victim of attacks by paramilitary groups, this included the setting on fire of his vehicle. He was also attacked by the Municipal Police of Lagunillas, when they tried to arrest him in April 2019 in a peaceful demonstration.



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PHRC 19 -2019

Carmen María Sivoli



### Type of abuse and current situation

She has been attacked by regional police and GNB; she is a constant victim of unfounded accusations by Merida governor and the mayor of Campo Elías Municipality. The SEBIN went to her house with the state governor and tried to arrest her. On February 23rd the car that was taking her and other deputies in San Antonio, Táchira State, was deeply searched and the passengers were abused by GNB officers



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### Type of abuse and current situation

He has been constantly physically attacked and also verbally attacked by the official governor of Yaracuy state and the PSUV mayors. He was reported to the Public Prosecutor by the governor of the state who accused him of treason to the motherland, and other serious offenses, a similar action was taken by San Felipe Municipality mayor, who accused him of hate crimes. He has been recently threatened with graffiti painted by paramilitary groups in his house, which is also watched by a SEBIN patrol.



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Luis Parra



Juan Pablo  
García



### Type of abuse and current situation

He has been threatened by representatives of various public powers in Monagas state. He has been informed of the intentions of these representatives of destroying him with accusations that take him to jail. Recently, he has been threatened by Diosdado Cabello in his show Con el Mazo Dando. His parliamentary immunity was violated by the Supreme Court on August 12, 2019 and raided on the same date by the CNA.

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### Type of abuse and current situation

She has been constantly harassed by paramilitary groups and her house is frequently beset by these groups. Recently, the walls of his house have been painted with threatening graffiti by paramilitary groups.

Milagros Paz



Conrado Pérez



### Type of abuse and current situation

Since 2017 he is chased by different cars without plate, likewise, unidentified people have been found inspecting the cars used by the deputy; both actions are done without discretion and with obvious intimidatory intentions. On May 11th graffiti with a threatening phrase was painted in the outer wall of deputy Pérez' house.

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### Type of abuse and current situation

In February, together with other deputies that were going to Táchira, she was kidnapped for more than 3 hours and robbed by people wearing military uniforms and balaclavas, when she was on her way to support the entrance of the humanitarian help.

Lucila Pacheco



Jesús Yáñez



### Type of abuse and current situation

These last few days he has been persecuted by Sebin officers.

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### Type of abuse and current situation

On February 23<sup>rd</sup>, together with other deputies, she was persecuted by paramilitary groups in Ureña, Táchira state, while she was going to support the entrance of humanitarian help. In 2017 she was beaten by GNB officers and in 2016 she was beaten and robbed by GNB officers and armed paramilitary groups. She has been a victim of persecution by Sebin officers.

Desiree Barboza



Sonia A. Medina G.



### Type of abuse and current situation

As a member of the Committee of Judicial Applications of the National Assembly she collaborated in selecting 33 new judges for the Supreme Court. Therefore, in July 2017, she was accused of treason to the motherland and usurpation of functions; she was threatened with being incarcerated. She is currently exiled.

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The year 2019 has produced a new and stronger attack of the regime against the Parliament and its members, actions are more violent, such as the attack against the deputies on the 22nd and 23rd of February 2019 when a group of parliament members that were going to Táchira state was kidnapped for several hours by paramilitary groups that support the government. Parliament members were robbed and pointed at with fire guns. This all happened under the complicity of several uniformed officers that were supposedly part of the Bolivarian National Guard.

Likewise, there have been transcending measures against the deputies that deter the practice of parliamentary immunity, these are the result of orchestrated actions by illegitimate public powers that violate the separation of powers which is essential for any democracy and which disrespect constitutional rules about parliamentary jurisdiction. These actions prove that, beyond doubt, we face a new and brutal attack of the regime of Nicolas Maduro against the legislative power with the purpose of silencing deputies and disassemble parliament, which was democratically elected in 2015.

This plan against parliament has unchained recent actions by illegitimate General Prosecutor of the Republic, decisions by the illegitimate Supreme Court (TSJ) and fraudulent Constituent National Assembly, which has violated the immunity of 17 deputies in less than a month. The unconstitutional measures issued by these institutions take away from the Parliament members their jurisdiction and there are arrest warrants against them to be judged in ordinary courts.

On May 2nd 2019, the Supreme Court compromised the responsibility of Deputy Edgar Zambrano, who is the First Vice-President of the National Assembly, in the commission of serious offenses such as Treason to the motherland, incitement to sublevation, Civil Rebellion, among others. An identical decision is applied on May 7th to deputies Henry Ramos Allup, Luis Florido, Marianella Magallanes, José Simón Calzadilla, Américo De Grazia and Richard Blanco. That same afternoon, without any legal or constitutional competence for that, the CNA ordered breaking the parliamentary immunity of the aforementioned 7 deputies.

These decisions repeat in an orchestrated way, on May the 8th it is then the turn of deputies Sergio Vergara, Freddy Superlano y Juan Andrés Mejía in the Supreme Court. On May 14th a decision of this illegitimate court affects the parliament members Carlos Paporoni, Miguel Pizarro, Franco Casella and Winston Flores. In the afternoon, the spurious CNA was doing its part by breaking the immunity of both groups of deputies. Finally, on May 29 this unconstitutional measure was taken against deputy Rafael David Guzmán.

When facing the possibility of going to jail and being subjected to humiliations, torture, and denial of justice, many parliament members have decided to remain in hiding or in exile.



Additional to the **decisions that cancel the parliament members' jurisdiction**, there are two actions that are intended to intimidate and harass them. On the one hand, the threats by armed paramilitary groups, that happened almost simultaneously the 10th and 11th of May; they were written in the outer walls of the homes of many parliament members that were herein mentioned. On the other hand, the tracking and surveillance that the State intelligence and security bodies have performed towards deputies and their relatives.

A whole chapter is necessary to explain the **permanent and systematic attack to the parliamentary institution**, which started with the decision of the illegitimate supreme court to declare the National Assembly in contempt so as to try to override it. This has caused disregard for its decisions; denial of budget allocation which drastically affects its performance; usurpation of functions, illegal occupation of headquarters, and illegal appropriation of its goods by the void Constituent National Assembly; the siege of facilities by armed groups that support the regime, which involved physical attacks to parliament members in complicity with the Bolivarian National Guard; and the suspension of salary payments and remunerations to deputies. All these attacks have been timely reported before the Committee for the Human Rights of the Interparliamentary Union

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Note: A copy of this report, updated on May the 14th, was sent to the Committee for the Human Rights of the Parliament Members of the Interparliamentary Union.