

Dear \_\_\_\_\_,

I am writing to express my deep concern about the mental health of **Yohanes Boserren** who is detained in Biak prison and on trial for his involvement in events on 1 May 2013 to commemorate the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the administrative transfer of Papua to Indonesia in 1963.

I understand that Yohanes Boserren's mental health has deteriorated as a result of a heavy beating he suffered on arrest. He was provided with some treatment in a mental hospital, but then was returned to Biak prison.

I am also concerned about the trial of five other men arrested in Biak at the same time as Yohanes Boserren; Oktavianus Warnares, Yoseph Arwakon, Markus Sawias, George Syors Simyapen and Jantje Wamaer. They were arrested on charges of treason and possession of ammunitions and explosives. I am aware of reports that fabricated evidence was planted on them in order to charge them with these crimes and I am concerned that they may be facing false allegations simply because they were engaged in peaceful political activities.

I urge you to order the immediate and unconditional release of Yohanes Boserren and ensure that he receives proper medical treatment for his illness.

I further urge you to drop all charges against Oktavianus Warnares, Yoseph Arwakon, Markus Sawias, George Syors Simyapen and Jantje Wamaer and order their immediate release.

Yours sincerely,