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Further information on UA 421/93 (ASA 36/08/93, 30 November 1993) - Death Penalty

SINGAPORE: Fung Yuk Shing, Hong Kong citizen, aged 22

Amnesty International has just learned that Fung Yuk Shing is scheduled to be executed on 4 March 1994.

Fung Yuk Shing was sentenced to death on 5 December 1992 for drug trafficking. His appeal to the Court of Criminal Appeal was rejected on 27 August 1993, leaving his last hope for clemency with President Ong Teng Cheong.

FURTHER RECOMMENDED ACTION: Please send telegrams or faxes in English or your own language:

- expressing deep concern that Fung Yuk Shing is scheduled to be executed on 4 March 1994;
- urging President Ong Teng Cheong to reconsider his decision and to grant Fung Yuk Shing clemency by commuting his death sentence;
- stating Amnesty International's unconditional opposition to the death penalty.

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