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Further information on UA 239/95 (EUR 49/06/95, 18 October 1995) and follow-up (EUR 49/07/95, 21 November 1995) - Fear of imminent execution

BELARUS **Igor Yurevich Kopytin, aged 24**
(???? ??????? ??????? in Russian)

Amnesty International has just learned that Igor Yurevich Kopytin's death sentence has been repealed by the Supreme Court of Belarus and substituted for 15 years' imprisonment. This decision followed a call by his lawyer for a judicial review. No further details are available at present.

No further action by the Urgent Action Network is requested. Thank you to all who sent appeals.