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Dear Chief Minister,

Salima Memcha, a human rights defender in Manipur, north-eastern India, has faced ongoing threats and harassment due to her determination to achieve justice for the death of her husband, who is believed to have been extrajudicially executed in 2010. On 7 April 2018, the same day that Salima was due to give a statement to the Criminal Investigation Department on her husband's case, paramilitary and state police personnel vandalised Salima's house and gave a threatening warning that they were keeping a close eye on her.

Salima is just one of hundreds of people in Manipur who have lost family members in alleged extrajudicial executions. Together, these families have formed a collective – the Extrajudicial Execution Victim Families Association, Manipur (EEVFAM). EEVFAM members and activists associated with EEVFAM have documented many of these alleged instances of extrajudicial executions.

I would like to urge you to ensure an end to intimidation, harassment and attacks against Salima Memcha and all Human Rights Defenders associated with EEVFAM.

Yours sincerely

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