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Dear Inspector General,

I wish to express my concern about Papuan activist Steven Itlay. He was arrested on 5 April 2016 by the Mimika Baru Sector Police for his peaceful political activities and charged with rebellion under Article 106 of the Indonesian Criminal Code. He is suffering from chest pain and frequent headaches due to poor detention conditions, but has been denied access to adequate medical treatment. He has also been granted only limited access to his family and lawyer.

I respectfully urge you to immediately and unconditionally release Steven Itlay and drop the charges against him as he has been detained solely for peacefully exercising his right to freedom of expression and assembly.

Pending his release, please ensure that he is protected from torture or other ill-treatment, has unrestricted access to his family and a lawyer of his choice, and that he is given any medical treatment he may require.

Thank you for your attention to this urgent matter. I am kindly awaiting your reply.

Yours sincerely,

(Naam, adres)