Head of Penal Colony #2
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**Ref: Immediate and unconditional release of Dzmitry Paliyenka**

Dear Mr. Trutko,

I urge the authorities to immediately and unconditionally release Dzmitry Paliyenka, as is a prisoner of conscience, targeted solely for his peaceful activism.

Pending his release, I call on the authorities and especially you to provide Dzmitry Paliyenka with access to all health care he may require and ensure that he is not placed in conditions that will exacerbate his health problems.

Furthermore, I urge the authorities and especially you to ensure that Dzmitry Paliyenka is able to enjoy all legal safeguards in detention - including regular contact with his family and access to, and opportunity to speak confidentially with, his lawyer.

Sincerely,