



# Comisión Nacional de los Derechos Humanos

## México

### **Recommendation 21/2011**

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**Matter: CNDH TRAINS SECURITY STAFF**

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The National Commission of Human Rights believes that in order to severely reduce the current level of violations of fundamental rights it is important to tighten efforts in training civil servants. In 2010, 526 training activities were carried out, including courses, conferences, qualifications and seminars, for a total of 33 thousand 268 people whose work is related to public safety. In the Secretariat of National Defense, 133 procedures were carried out aimed at promoting respect for the human rights of the civil sector amongst members of the armed forces. 17 thousand 656 people of this department, including generals, cornels and members of the troops participated in 20 federal entities and Mexico City. The organization of activities for seven thousand 851 people was carried out with the participation of the Secretariat of Public Safety and numerous Human Rights state commissions. The CNDH emphasizes that a better service to citizens shall only be achieved with the adequate training of civil servants.