



Comisión Nacional de los Derechos Humanos

México

Recommendation 29/2011

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Matter: The case of the inhumane treatment and illegal detention of V1

Authority Responsible: Secretary of Federal Public Security

The National Commission of Human Rights has examined the details of the investigation CNDH/1/2010/4768/Q relating to the case of V1, who was detained by personnel of the Federal Police when visiting friends at a residence located in the colony of Lomas de la Cruz, in the city of Tepic, Nayarit. Those personnel of the Federal Police, who detained V1, beat them, causing the loss of a tooth and a possible nose fracture. V1 was then taken to a vehicle belonging to the Federal Police and taken to a location where they were beaten further by the personnel and had their picture taken holding a gun. Following this episode, V1 was taken to the headquarters of the Office of Special Investigations on Organized Crime, located in Mexico City, at which point they made their statement before the Public Prosecutor. A member of the Federal Police force was also present at this time however, as V1 was coerced and harassed in to including certain elements in to their statement, as the Federal Police saw fit. Upon analysis of the evidence provided by the aforementioned report, the CNDH established that V1's right to legal security, integrity and personal security were all violated – as recognized by Recommendation 29/2011