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Below:

2 documentary news reports (by The Real News)

Report From Land Occupations In Post-Coup Honduras:
Poor farmers are taking land from agribusiness that supported the 2009 military coup - and paying with their lives
(The Real News, March 31, 2011, 9:46 minutes)
<a href="http://therealnews.com/t2/index.php?option=com\_content&task=view&id=31&Itemid=74&jumival=6513">http://therealnews.com/t2/index.php?option=com\_content&task=view&id=31&Itemid=74&jumival=6513</a>

Honduran Teachers Get Shock Treatment Post-coup regime in Honduras carrying out unprecedented assault on the most organized sector of the resistance, the teachers

(The Real News, April 28, 2011, 18:34 minutes)
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### WHAT TO DO - DELEGATION TO GUATEMALA

# RIGHTS ACTION DELEGATION: JULY 3 TO 10, 2011 "ELECTIONS; NO DEMOCRACY"

Join a Rights Action delegation to Guatemala from July 3 to 10, 2011. This pre-elections delegation will speak with human rights and social movement organizations struggling to create conditions for truly democratic processes, and limit the control organized crime and big business hold over the state through illegal networks of influence.

### **MEET WITH:**

Human rights organizations pressing forward the 'exemplary cases' against war crimes; even as they meet constant setbacks; Land rights movements of communities that support each other against the appropriation of their lands by politically influential plantation owners and organized crime bosses;

Indigenous rights movements that seek full recognition of their rights including recognition of traditional authorities and their territory; Justice reform activists who seek to reform legal mechanisms that maintain impunity and criminalize human rights defenders; and Communities defending their territory against transnational interests (mines, dams or biofuels) backed by political power holders.

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## WHAT TO DO - MAKE TAX-DEDUCTIBLE DONATIONS for HONDURAS' PRO-DEMOCRACY MOVEMENT

To make a tax-deductible donation for community based organizations in Honduras' pro-democracy movement working to defend human rights and the environment and to eradicate poverty and re-found their nation-state, make check payable to "Rights Action" and mail to:

UNITED STATES: Box 50887, Washington DC, 20091-0887 CANADA: 552 - 351 Queen St. E, Toronto ON, M5A-1T8

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### QUESTIONS, COMMENTS, MORE INFORMATION???

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