



Ayotzinapa to Ottawa Caravan

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"Ayotzinapa to Ottawa" caravan begins activities in Canada calling Members of Parliament to demand action from Mexican government in case of 43 missing students

Delegation of family and representatives of disappeared students seeks broad support for Canada to change foreign policy with Mexico

In response to the disappearance of 43 student-teachers from Ayotzinapa, Mexico, by government forces on September 26, 2014, a broad coalition of organizations from across Canada is launching a nation-wide tour of **Hilda Legideño Vargas**, a single mother who lost her son in the attack, and **Jorge Luis Clemente Balbuena**, a student leader and classmate of the disappeared students. At this press conference, they will talk to the Vancouver press about their struggle to find the missing students and their tour through Canada to tell their story to policymakers and the public, which will culminate in their giving testimony before the Committee for International Human Rights of the Canadian Parliament in Ottawa on 28 April. **At this press conference Ms. Legideño Vargas and Mr. Clemente Balbuena will be accompanied by Grand Chief Stewart Phillip (President of the Union of BC Indian Chiefs) and by MP Libby Davies (NDP).**

What: Press Conference to launch "Ayotzinapa to Ottawa" Caravan in Vancouver

When: TODAY Monday, 13 April, 10 AM

Where: Consulate General of Mexico (1177 Hastings Street)

Who: A mother and a classmate of 43 students disappeared by Mexican police, accompanied by Grand Chief Stewart Phillip (President of the Union of BC Indian Chiefs) and by MP Libby Davies (NDP).

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