

Solidarity/Clemency Statement for Nagaenthran by Environmentalists

As Environmentalists, we stand for life. When we fight for the planet, we fight for all the life it harbours, including Nagaenthran's.

We recognise that the death penalty, like the climate crisis, disproportionately impacts marginalised communities. There are no less than 50 people on death row in Singapore today, many of whom are minorities from low income brackets.

Names like Nagaenthran K Dharmalingam and Syed Suhail Syed Zin are telling of the communities from which death row inmates are disproportionately drawn.

As the effects of the climate crisis grow exponentially worse in the years to come, these inequalities will only become more pronounced.

It is therefore incumbent on all of us to recognise these inequalities today and do whatever we can to reduce them. When we reduce inequality and centre the most marginalised among us in all our decision-making processes, everyone else does better.

We believe that a just transition must not only mean a reorientation to how we treat our planet, but also to how we treat one another. If we accord dignity and sanctity to life, we must do so unconditionally. Nagaenthran deserves to live, just as every life does.

It is for these reasons that we appeal to the honourable President Halimah Yacob to grant clemency to Nagaenthran K Dharmalingam.

This statement is signed by 7 environmental/civil society organisations and 39 individuals:

Organisations

1. SG Climate Rally
2. NTU Divest
3. Orang Laut SG
4. Fossil-free Yale-NUS
5. Speak for Climate
6. Project bECOME
7. Activism in Crisis

Individuals

1. Qiyun, creator of The Weird and Wild
2. Farah, Co-founder of FiTree
3. Firdaus Sani, Founder of Orang Laut SG
4. Kanksha, NTU Divest
5. Minjie, Climate Activist

6. Beverly, SG Climate Rally
7. Bianca, Speak for Climate
8. Chloe Prasetya
9. Jiahui
10. Muhammad Faez Bin Mohd Effandi
11. Syuhada Hassan
12. Damien
13. Janani Arathi Karthikeyan
14. Yeo Jing Ying
15. Julian Lo
16. Tyler Thia
17. Riccia
18. Alison
19. Sumita Thiagarajan
20. Tamas S
21. Nura Wong
22. Ms Vickreman Harvey Chettiar
23. Chia Shin Yin
24. Summer Ong
25. Rubi
26. Clarence Lam
27. Jo Lim Yue Rong
28. Tan Hang Chong
29. Refeel
30. Nina
31. Alvin Koh
32. Shanice Saurajen
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34. Shuli Law
35. N (Anonymous individual)
36. B (Anonymous individual)
37. D (Anonymous individual)
38. L (Anonymous individual)
39. T (Anonymous individual)