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Oral sources, including anonymous sources

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collecting data on political repressions in the country. The contact preferred to remain anonymous for security reasons.

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