



FREE LILIANY OBANDO—

***COLOMBIAN LABOR RIGHTS
ACTIVIST, INDEPENDENT
FILM MAKER,
SOCIOLOGIST...AND
POLITICAL PRISONER!***

Lilianny was arrested and charged with “Rebellion” in August 2008. Lilianny’s case is important because she is the first person to be arrested as part of the so-called “farc-politica”—a policy of Colombia’s Uribe Administration to intimidate and marginalize legal opposition to policies of war and repression. The farc-politica has been used to investigate and/or arrest opposition leaders based on evidence that the international police agency, INTERPOL, said could not be authenticated and “did not conform to internationally recognized principles”. The “evidence” against Lilianny is based on emails allegedly found on a computer recovered from a guerrilla camp bombed by the Colombian military—a camp that was engaged not in planning military offensives but the release of FARC held captives. According to testimony by Colombian Police Captain Ronald Hayden Coy Ortiz, who oversaw the initial investigation, the computers contained NO EMAILS, but only easily manipulated Word Documents. Lilianny was arrested the very week that a report she authored was released detailing the murders of over 1,500 members of

the Rural Workers’ Union by the Colombian military and paramilitaries. The Colombian military and paramilitaries have received billions of dollars aid from the United States Government.

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