

Indonesia: Update on the GAIA 3

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Dear all,

As a follow up on Yuyun's kind update on the situation of our friends Gigie Cruz, Shibu Nair and Neil Tangri, we are very relieved to let you know that the GAIA 3 left Jakarta today and they're flying back home right now. They're fine, despite the tiredness and stress of the whole experience. They were deported after all, and were not allowed to continue with their plan to go to Bali to attend the climate meetings.

We want to thank everybody for their solidarity and rapid support to our colleagues, and all the caring messages sent. The international support was very helpful to get them back home. We're also so thankful to Yuyun for keeping them company from start to finish and for keeping them safe all the time, and to our colleagues in Indonesia who pushed locally for their release. Also, we congratulate our Fantastic Five (Gigie, Neil, Shibu, Roni and Yuyun) for their strong faith and vigilance!

We're planning to release a statement to draw attention on this at the Bali meetings, so we will be asking for your support once again in the coming days.

Thanks again for being there and helping get our friends back home.

All the best,

The GAIA Coordination Team