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The Permanent Mission of the Republic of Azerbaijan to the United Nations Office and other international organizations at Geneva presents its compliments to the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights and has the honour to transmit herewith the response received from the Ministry of Internal Affairs of the Republic of Azerbaijan regarding the communication AZE 2/2013 dated 1 February 2013.

The Permanent Mission requests the Office to share the enclosed information with the relevant mandate holders of the Human Rights Council.

The Permanent Mission of the Republic of Azerbaijan to the United Nations Office and other international organizations at Geneva avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights, the assurances of its highest consideration.

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Response received by the Ministry of Internal Affairs of the Republic of  
Azerbaijan on the communication AZE 2/2013

The 46 out of 62 persons (The name of A.Panjaliyeva has been indicated twice in the communication.) indicated in the communication were detained by employees of Nasimi and Sabail District Police Departments for the participation in the rally in the central streets of the city of Baku which has not been organized in accordance with the national legislation.

According to the paragraphs 298.1 (for the violation of the law-defined order of holding assemblies, meetings, protests, street rallies, pickets by the organizer) and 298.2 (for attending assembly, meeting, protest, street rally or picket not being organized by the law-defined order) of the Code of Administrative Offences, 1 person was administratively detained, 20 persons were fined, other 25 persons were left free after the verbal warning.

Administrative penalties were applied in accordance with the legislation of the Republic of Azerbaijan, international norms and standards.

The information on the other 16 persons was reflected wrong in the list and they were not absolutely detained by the police officers.