

See pardon.bradleymanning.org

Amnesty International and the Bradley (now Chelsea) Manning Support Network initiated a <u>peti</u> tion on WhiteHouse.gov

calling on Barack Obama to "grant clemency to Pvt. Bradley Manning." The petition requires 100,000 signatures by September 20 for the White House to have to comment on it, or it will die. So far there are just over 24,000 signers.

We are almost 25% of the way to 100,000 signers, and must pick up momentum quickly. On Monday September 16, #PardonManning Day, will you sign the peititon, and do the work to be sure that 5 of your friends, family, or colleagues do so?

<u>Sign the petition</u> AND <u>Add your photo</u> in support of Pvt. Manning's request for presidential pardon.

President Obama has already granted pardons to 39 other prisoners, and a White House spokesperson said he would give consideration to PVT Manning's request. Showing public support for PVT Manning's application is the best way to give her a real chance of being released in 3 years, or even sooner. Sign the petition on Whitehouse.gov, and then submit your photo with a personal message at pardon.bradleymanning.org.

You can steal (copy + paste) tweets to promote the action here such as:

Monday 9-16 #PardonManning Day. 76,000 signers needed Now. Do the work to get 5 more to sign for justice 4 #Manning http://1.usa.gov/13Ut7aV

You KNOW how to reach your people. Let's come together by Monday with a mass outpouring for Chelsea Manning's freedom.

We've gotten some response that supporters of Manning don't with to give the White House

their email addresses. We are all for privacy rights. But have you read the news since June 5? The NSA via direction by the Obama administration *already has* so much more than your email address. Defense of Manning and Edward Snowden is exactly what's called for in response to the government's vast surveillance against whole populations.