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Amnesty International Slovenia has commented on the issue regarding the police demand from protesters to show IDs, stopping potential protesters in the street and limiting the access to Republic Square in Ljubljana, saying that the freedom of peaceful assembly and freedom of expression in the country have become threatened.

Participating in gatherings and their organisation are rights, not a privilege. Exercising these rights does not require permission from the state, the organisation quoted its director Nataša Posel in a recent press release.

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