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1. (U) THE FOLLOWING IS A LIST OF TERRORIST AND TERRORIST-RELATED INCIDENTS FOR THE WEEK BEGINNING APRIL 8. WE COMPILED THE LIST FROM PRESS REPORTS, CONTACTS WITH PERU'S ANTI-TERRORISM POLICE UNIT (DIRCOTE) AND OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE MILITARY JOINT COMMAND. WHEN THE DATE OF THE INCIDENT IS UNKNOWN OR BEFORE THE PERIOD COVERED IN THIS CABLE, IT WILL BE LISTED UNDER THE DATE IT IS FIRST REPORTED PUBLICLY. THE SINFERO LUMINOSO ATTACK AGAINST A LIMA RESTAURANT; THE DESTRUC-

TION OF A BRIDGE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF JUNIN; THE RAID AGAINST THE JUNGLE TOWN OF CUTCHO AND THE DEATH OF TWO POLICE OFFICERS IN A CUTCO TRAIN STATION WERE ALL REPORTED
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 SEPARATELY (REFS B, C AND D) AT WASHINGTON
 MENTIONED ONLY BRIEFLY IN THIS MESSAGE

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(AYACUCHO) - PRESUMED SENDERO LUMINOSO (SL) TERRORISTS ATTACKED THE ARMY BARRACKS AT QUICAPATA, DEPARTMENT OF AYACUCHO, ON APRIL 7, KILLING TWO SOLDIERS. ACCORDING TO PRESS REPORTS, THE TERRORISTS STAGED A SNIPER ASSAULT AND THEN THREW EXPLOSIVES BEFORE BEING CEASED OFF. TWO SL MEMBERS, BEING HELD FOR KILLING A SOLDIER LAST MONTH, ARE REPORTEDLY JAILED AT THE BARRACKS.

(LIMA) - A POLICE OFFICER WAS KILLED BY A WOMAN TERRORIST WHO SHOT HIM WITH HIS OWN GUN

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 ABOARD AN INTER-DISTRICT BUS OUTSIDE OF IMPERIAL IN THE DEPARTMENT OF LIMA. THE WOMAN REPORTEDLY ENGAGED THE OFFICER IN CONVERSATION THEN GRABBED HIS PISTOL AND SHOT HIM AT LEAST FOUR TIMES. ACCORDING TO PRESS ACCOUNTS, THERE WERE TWO OTHER TERRORISTS ABOARD THE BUS, AND ALL BEGAN YELLING REVOLUTIONARY SLOGANS, INCLUDING "THE DOGS WHO GUARD THE INTERESTS OF CAPITALISM WILL DIE LIKE THIS." THE VICTIM WAS ASSIGNED TO BANK GUARD DUTY.

(TRUJILLO) - TERRORISTS ATTACKED A POLICE STATION WITH DYNAMITE AND GUNFIRE. WITNESSES REPORTED THAT BEFORE THE ATTACK, SOME OF THE WALLS HAD BEEN PAINTED WITH MRTA-MIR PROPAGANDA. THE ASSAULT CAUSED DAMAGE TO THE BUILDING BUT NO INJURIES.

(CHIMBOTE) - A REPORTED TEN SUSPECTED TERRORISTS ATTACKED THE MINING CAMP OF PASTO BUENO, STEALING MONEY AND CLOTHING FROM THE MINERS AND PREACHING REVOLUTION. THE TERRORISTS WERE REPORTEDLY FRIGHTENED OFF BY A GROUP OF POLICE OFFICERS AND ESCAPED WITHOUT OBTAINING ANY EXPLOSIVES.

(CHICLAYO) - TERRORISTS STAGED A SECOND ATTACK AGAINST THE POLICE STATION AT PUERTO BLEN, OUTSIDE OF CHICLAYO, SINCE THEN 48 HOURS AFTER AN ASSAULT WHICH LEFT 10 OFFICERS DEAD

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(REF A). THE SECOND ASSAULT WAS SUCCESSFULLY
FOUGHT OFF WITHOUT INJURY

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(PUNO) - THE LEFTIST MAYOR OF SAN JUAN DE
SALINAS, DEPARTMENT OF PUNO, WAS KILLED BY

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TERRORISTS WHO CONDEMNED HIM TO DEATH IN A

PEOPLE'S COURT. ACCORDING TO PRESS REPORTS,

11 TERRORISTS INTERRUPTED A PUBLIC MEETING IN

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THE TOWN SQUARE, STAGED THE HEARING, AND THEN

EXECUTED THE MAYOR. THE VICTIM, ZENOBIO

HUARSAYA SONCCO, WAS REPORTEDLY ON AN SL DEATH

LIST AFTER HE REFUSED THEIR DEMAND TO RESIGN.

APRIL 9

(LIMA) - TERRORISTS THREW A GRENADE AT A POLICE PATROL CAR WHICH EXPLODED WITHOUT CAUSING DAMAGE OR INJURIES.

(LIMA) - SIX PEOPLE, INCLUDING TWO ARMY OFFICERS, WERE KILLED DURING A TERRORIST ATTACK

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AGAINST A LIMA RESTAURANT (REF F). SERIOUSLY INJURED IN THE ATTACK. WAS KILLED, BRINGING THE ATTACK'S DEATH COUNT TO SEVEN.

(LIMA) - TERRORISTS STAGED AN UNSUCCESSFUL ATTACK AGAINST A BRANCH OF INTERPANC, APPARENTLY INTENDED TO OCCUR SIMULTANEOUSLY WITH THE RESTAURANT ATTACK (REF E).

(LA OROYA) - THE BRIDGE CROSSING THE MANTARO RIVER ON THE CENTRAL HIGHWAY, ABOUT TEN MILES OUTSIDE OF LA OROYA, WAS BLOWN UP BY TERRORISTS COMPLICATING TRANSPORTATION TO AND FROM CERRO DE PASCO AND TINCO MARIA (REF B).

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APRIL 10

(LIMA) - A FEMALE POLICE OFFICER DIRECTING TRAFFIC IN DOWNTOWN LIMA WAS ATTACKED WITH GUNFIRE FROM A MOVING VEHICLE. SHE WAS NOT INJURED.

(LIMA) - VARIOUS LIMA NEIGHBORHOODS WERE BLACKED OUT FOR SEVERAL HOURS. (COMMENT: THE BLACKOUT WAS ATTRIBUTED TO TECHNICAL FAILURES, BUT ANY BLACKOUT IN LIMA IS SUSPECT. END COMMENT.)

APRIL 11

(TOCACHI) - TERRORISTS BLEW UP THE CITY HALL AND FORCED THE MAYOR AND ASSISTANT PREFECT TO LEAVE TOWN (REF C).

(CUZCO) - TWO POLICE OFFICERS GUARDING A CUZCO TRAIN STATION WERE KILLED (REF D).

(CHIMPOTE) - A BRAND NEW COMMUNITY TELEPHONE OFFICE WAS ATTACKED ON THE DAY IT WAS SCHEDULED TO BE DEDICATED. ACCORDING TO PRESS REPORTS, WHICH ATTRIBUTE THE ASSAULT TO THE MRTA, TERRORISTS USED SEVERAL BOMBS TO

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DESTROY TELEPHONE EQUIPMENT AND TAMBOGAN TSE
BUILDING.

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(HUANUCO) - SUSPECTED SL TERRORISTS
TOOK OVER THE TOWN OF TAMBOGAN, DISTRICT OF

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 CEORUBAMBA, HUANUCC, HOLDING THE TOWN FOR AT
 LEAST A DAY. ACCORDING TO PRESS REPORTS, THE
 MAYOR AND OTHER OFFICIALS WENT INTO HIDING
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 AFTER BEING TOLD THEY WOULD BE KILLED IF THEY
 DID NOT RESIGN. SEVERAL OFFICIALS IN NEARBY
 COMMUNITIES HAVE RESIGNED AFTER RECEIVING
 SIMILAR THREATS.

(LIMA) - POLICE CONFIRMED THE ARREST OF
 THREE SUSPECTS IN THE ATTACK AGAINST A LIMA
 RESTAURANT APRIL 9.

(AYACUCHO) - THE MILITARY COMMAND HAS
 ATTRIBUTED A FIRE WHICH DESTROYED A 422-YEAR-
 OLD CHURCH IN AYACUCHO TO TERRORIST ACTION.
 THE BLAZE AT THE MAGDALENA CHURCH BEGAN

FOLLOWING A RELIGIOUS PROCESSION AND LEFT THE
 STRUCTURE IN RUINS. MUCH OF THE AYACUCHO AREA
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HAS ALSO BEEN PLAGUED BY

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(LIMA) - POLICE ANNOUNCED THE DISCOVERY OF A TERRORIST EXPLOSIVE CACHE IN THE LOWER CLASS NEIGHBORHOOD OF SAN MARTIN DE PORRES. A REPORTED 1,500 STICKS OF DYNAMITE WERE RECOVERED AND ONE PERSON ARRESTED.

(APURIMAC) - SUSPECTED SL TERRORISTS ATTACKED A POLICE STATION IN ANDAHUAYLAS, APURIMAC, OVERPOWERING TEN POLICE OFFICERS, TYING THEM UP, AND STEALING THE STATION'S ARSENAL, INCLUDING 15 MACHINE GUNS AND TEN GRENADES. ACCORDING TO PRESS REPORTS, THE

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TERRORISTS ENTERED THE STATION PRETENDING TO BE LOCAL CATTLEMEN WHO WANTED TO PAY THEIR RESPECTS.

APRIL 13

(LUNO) - A BOMB EXPLODED IN THE MAIN ENTRANCE OF A BANCO DE CREDITO OFFICE IN LUNO CAUSING DAMAGE BUT NO INJURIES. ACCORDING TO PRESS REPORTS, WALLS NEAR THE BANK WERE PAINTED WITH MRTA-MIR SLOGANS.

(TRUJILLO) - TWO BOMBS WERE FOUND ON THE SECOND FLOOR OF A BRANCH OF THE BANCO DE LA NACION. BOTH WERE DISARMED WITHOUT INCIDENT.

(LIMA) - PRESUMED TERRORISTS ATTACKED AN OFFICIAL OF THE STATE RICE MARKETING ENTERPRISE, WOUNDING HIM IN THE HEAD. ACCORDING TO PRESS REPORTS, THE VICTIM, JOSE PAREDES, WAS SHOT OUTSIDE HIS HOME, IMMEDIATELY AFTER BEING DROPPED OFF BY HIS BROTHER WHO IS A POLICE CAPTAIN. POLICE SPECULATE HIS ASSAILANTS MAY HAVE CONFUSED HIM WITH HIS BROTHER.

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(LIMA) - ONE POLICE OFFICER AND A 15-YEAR-
OLD BYSTANDER WERE INJURED WHEN AT LEAST FOUR
TERRORISTS, DISGUISED AS STUDENTS AND EVANGELIST
STREET MINISTERS, OPENED FIRE ON THEM. PRESS

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 ACCOUNTS ON THE EVENTS DIFFER WITH SOME INDICA-
 TING THE TERRORISTS HAD BEEN PLANNING TO BOMB A
 BANK WHEN THEY AROUSED POLICE SUSPICION AND

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 CIBERS SAYING IT WAS A TERRORIST AMBUSH. SENDERO
 LUMINOSO PROPAGANDA WAS REPORTEDLY RECOVERED
 AT THE SCENE.

(HUAPAZ) - SUSPECTED TERRORISTS PLACED
 BOMBS OUTSIDE OF TWO HUAPAZ HOTELS CAUSING DAMAGE
 BUT NO INJURIES.

2. (C) COMMENT: SEVERAL REPORTS INDICATE THAT
 POLICE ARE ON "RED ALERT" THIS WEEK DUE TO THE
 FIERCE LEVEL OF TERRORIST VIOLENCE. THERE IS
 CONTINUED PRESS SPECULATION THAT THE SITUATION

WILL ONLY GET WORSE AS THE NATIONAL ARMY PART OF THE
 ARMED STRUGGLE AND THE JUNTA ANNIVERSARY OF THE
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PRISON RIGHTS APPROACH. SL HAS CLEARLY ADOPTED THE STRATEGY OF SURPRISE AND EFFORTS TO GAIN ACCESS TO ITS VICTIMS. IN ADDITION TO THE POLICE UNIFORMS SL HAS BEEN USING, THIS WEEK MEMBERS ALSO PRESENTED THEMSELVES AS STUDENTS, STREET PREACHERS AND RANCHERS, ALL WITH DISMAYING SUCCESS. THE NUMBER OF TERRORIST INCIDENTS IN HUARAZ IS INCREASING AND IS AT LEAST PARTIALLY DIRECTED AGAINST THE TOWN'S TOURIST INDUSTRY. HUARAZ IS AN ESPECIALLY POPULAR DESTINATION DURING EASTER WEEK. LINCOTE HAS ANNOUNCED THAT ONE OF THE SUSPECTS ARRESTED IN CONNECTION WITH THE BASH OF BANK BOMBINGS IN LIMA, GLADYS CAROL ESPINOZA GONZALES, 33, LIVED IN THE SOVIET UNION FOR EIGHT YEARS AND STUDIED LAW AT THE UNIVERSITY OF KIEV. WATSON

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