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 FM AMEMBASSY LIMA
 TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 9197

INFO AMEMBASSY LA PAZ
 AMEMBASSY QUITO
 USAFSO HOWARD AFB PM
 USCINCSO QUARRY HTS PM
 AMEMBASSY PANAMA
 DEAHQS WASHDC
 AMEMBASSY SEOUL
 AMEMBASSY TOKYO
 C O N F I D E N T I A L LIMA 25214
 TERREP
 DEA FOR OF, PS, OC, OI
 PANAMA FOR ADS

DEPARTMENT OF STATE A/CDC/MB

REVIEWED by Paul DATE OCT 3 1998

RELEASE DECLASSIFY
 EXCISE DECLASSIFY in PART
 DENY Non-responsive info.

FOL EO or PA exemptions _____

_____ TB authority to:
 CLASSIFY as _____ OADB
 DOWNGRADE TB to () S or () C, OADB

E.O. 12356: DECL: OADR
 TAGS: PTER, ASEC, PE, ALOW, KN
 SUBJECT: BOMBING ATTACK ON NORTH KOREAN COMMERCIAL
 - RESIDENTIAL COMPOUND INJURES THREE PERSONS
 1. AT 1225 (LOCAL TIME) ON APRIL 30, 1997, THE NORTH
 KOREAN COMMERCIAL/RESIDENTIAL COMPOUND WAS ATTACKED BY
 TWO OR THREE PERSONS WHO, ACCORDING TO PRELIMINARY
 REPORTS, FORCED THEIR WAY INTO THE COMPOUND. THE

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ATTACKERS RAN UP TO THE COMMERCIAL ANNEX AND LEFT AN
 ATTACHE CASE OR SMALL SUITCASE WHICH CONTAINED AN
 UNDETERMINED AMOUNT OF EXPLOSIVES. AS THE ATTACKERS
 FLED THE SCENE, THE DEVICE EXPLODED INJURING THREE
 PERSONS: A SECRETARY AND POSSIBLY TWO NORTH KOREAN
 COMMERCIAL REPRESENTATIVES.

2. PERUVIAN AUTHORITIES HAVE NOT YET CONFIRMED THIS
 ATTACK. BEST SUSPECT AT THIS TIME IS SENDERO LUMINOSO

(SL), WHICH IN AN INTERNAL DOCUMENT HAS CRITICIZED GOP-
 NORTH KOREA LINKS.

3. WE WILL SEND FOLLOW-UP CABLE WHEN MORE COMPLETE AND
 ACCURATE INFORMATION IS OBTAINED. WATSON

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