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1. ON THE FOLLOWING IS A LIST OF TERRORIST AND TERRORIST-RELATED INCIDENTS FOR THE YEAR BEGINNING AUGUST 5. WE COMPILED THE LIST FROM PRESS REPORTS, CONTACTS WITH PERU'S ANTI-TERRORISM POLICE UNIT (DISCOTE), AND OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE GOP. 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. ATTACKS AGAINST THE PRESIDENTIAL PALACE AUGUST 5, AGAINST ECONOMIC ADVISOR DANIEL CARONETTO AUGUST 6, AND AGAINST A BRANCH OF CITIZANS AUGUST 7 WERE REPORTED IN REFS B AND C AND WILL BE MENTIONED ONLY BRIEFLY IN THIS CABLE.

AUGUST 5, 1987

LIANCAY - AN OFFICIAL OF THE PERUVIAN MINISTRY OF HEALTH WAS KILLED BY SUSPECTED SENIOR TERRORISTS IN THE SOJO DISTRICT OF AREQUIBA ON AUGUST 4. ACCORDING TO PRESS REPORTS, A GROUP OF TERRORISTS

STAYING IN THE VILLAGE OF... HE WAS HEARING... UNDER CONSTRUCTION... GARRY TAMAYO, WAS FORCED OUT OF THE TRUCK AND SHOT IN THE HEAD. THREE WORKERS WHO WERE TRAVELING WITH GARRY WERE WARNED NOT TO COOPERATE WITH THE GOVERNMENT IN THE FUTURE.

LIANCAY - FOUR TARGETS WERE BOMBED IN THE PROVINCE OF AREQUIBA, INCLUDING THE HOME OF A LOCAL APRA LEADER AND THE PROVINCE SUB-PREFECT. THE BLASTS CAUSED SOME DAMAGE BUT NO INJURIES. ACCORDING TO PRESS REPORTS, THE APRA LEADER, CARLOS ESPINOZA TAMAYO, RESIGNED HIS POSITION FOLLOWING THE ATTACK.

LIMA - TWO RIFLE-LAUNCHED GRENADES WERE FIRED AT THE PRESIDENTIAL PALACE CAUSING SOME DAMAGE (REFS B AND C).

CAJAMARCA - A POLICE BUS PARKED IN FRONT OF A CAJAMARCA POLICE STATION WAS BOMBED BY SUSPECTED TERRORISTS. SERIOUS DAMAGE WAS CAUSED TO THE BUS, BUT THERE WERE NO INJURIES.

AUGUST 6

LIMA - UNKNOWN SUSPECTS TOOK AN AUTOMATIC WEAPON FROM ONE OF ECONOMIC ADVISOR DANIEL CARONETTO'S BODYGUARDS. THE BODYGUARD REPORTEDLY SHOT ONE OF THE SUSPECTS (REFS B AND C).

HUANCAVELICA - SIX FARMERS WERE KILLED BY SUSPECTED SL MEMBERS IN HUANCAVELICA AND TWO OTHERS WERE WOUNDED. ACCORDING TO DISCOTE, THE FARMERS WERE TRAVELING FROM SANTA BARBARA TO HUANCAVELICA WHEN THEY WERE ATTACKED.

AUGUST 7

LIMA - SUSPECTED MIRA TERRORISTS BOMBED A BRANCH OF CITIZANS IN THE MIDDLE-CLASS NEIGHBORHOOD OF SAN BORJA. TWO BYSTANDERS WERE INJURED, AND ONE OF THEM HAS SINCE DIED (REF C).

LIMA - THE AUTOMOBILE OF THE DEFENSE ATTORNEY WHO REPRESENTS JUD IN GALVAN ("Chato" JUDITH) AND SIBILA ARELLANO, BOTH ON TERRORISM CHARGES, WAS SHOT BY

TERRORISTS BOMBED AT LEAST FOUR TARGETS IN HUANCAVELICA HITTING THE PREFECT'S HOME, A BRANCH OF BANCO CENTRAL HIPOTECARIO, A COURTHOUSE, AND A CREDIT AGENCY ACCORDING TO PRESS REPORTS. TEN

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PEOPLE WERE INJURED IN THE CREDIT AGENCY AND ALL FOUR TARGETS SUFFERED DAMAGE.

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AUGUST 8

ICHIMOTEI - BRANCHES OF THE BANCO DE CREDITO AND THE CENTRAL CREDIT COOPERATIVE (CC) WERE BOMBED AT APPROXIMATELY THE SAME HOUR AS PRESIDENT GARCIA WAS SCHEDULED TO ARRIVE IN TOWN ON HIS TOUR OF SOUTHERN PERU. THE EXPLOSIONS CAUSED DAMAGE, BUT THERE WERE NO REPORTED INJURIES.

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POLICE STATIONS WERE BOMBED BY
ATACAMA - 27; HUANCABAMBA - 30; CUCICO - 16;
POMA - 08; PUNO - 09; TACNA - 12;
JUNIN - 12; APURIMAC - 10; HUANCABAMBA - 9;
LA LIBERTAD - 7; LAMBAYEQUE - 4; ANCASH - 2;
AREQUIPA - 2; LORETO - 1; ICA - 1; AND
CAJAMARCA - 1. ACCORDING TO 'EL COMERCIO,'
21 OF THE VICTIMS WERE OFFICERS. THE
ASSASSINATIONS HAVE LEFT 160 WIDOWS
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CHILDREN.

3. REF. COMMENT

MOYOCCHI - THE PREFECT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF APURIMAC WAS ASSASSINATED IN HIS HOME BY SUSPECTED SL TERRORISTS WHO ALSO KILLED HIS 12-YEAR-OLD SON AND THEIR POLICE GUARD. ACCORDING TO PRESS REPORTS, THE VICTIM, GILBERT VASCOLO VALER, HAD RETURNED TO HIS RESIDENCE SEVERAL HOURS BEFORE THE ATTACK AFTER SPEAKING AT A PUBLIC RALLY IN FAVOR OF THE BANK NATIONALIZATIONS. TERRORISTS APPARENTLY FORCED THE GUARD STATIONED AT THE FRONT DOOR INTO THE LIVING ROOM WHERE HE WAS KILLED, ALONG WITH THE PREFECT AND HIS SON. THE PREFECT'S WIFE AND FOUR OTHER CHILDREN WERE IN ANOTHER PART OF THE HOUSE AND WERE NOT INJURED.

AUGUST 10

LIMA - A POLICE PATROL VEHICLE WAS ATTACKED BY SUSPECTED MRTA TERRORISTS WHO KILLED ONE OFFICER AND INJURED ANOTHER. ONE TERRORIST WAS ALSO WOUNDED. SHORTLY FOLLOWING THE ATTACK, POLICE RAIDED A SUSPECTED MRTA SAFE HOUSE, ARRESTING

SEVEN POSSIBLE TERRORISTS AND RECOVERING SOME EXPLOSIVES, ONE WEAPON, AND MRTA PROPAGANDA.

AUGUST 11

LA CRUYA - TERRORIST-CAUSED EXPLOSIONS DERAILED AN ORE TRAIN TRAVELING TO LA CRUYA. A SECTION OF THE TRACK AND SEVERAL CARLOADS OF ORE WERE DESTROYED.

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3. NET COMMENT LIMA'S TENSION LEVEL
AGAIN APPEARS TO BE RISING DUE BOTH TO
TERRORIST ACTS AND THE GENERAL TURMOIL
BEING CAUSED BY THE INTENSE DEBATE ON
NATIONALIZING THE BANKS. DESPITE THE
MEDIA'S PREOCCUPATION WITH THE BANK
SITUATION, THE ATTACK AGAINST THE
PRESIDENTIAL PALACE, THE CARDONETTO INCIDENT,
AND THE ASSASSINATION OF THE APLUMAC
PROFESSOR WERE ALL FRONT-PAGE NEWS. WITH
THE POLITICAL ENVIRONMENT BECOMING MORE
POLARIZED, THE RESPONSIBILITY FOR TERRORIST
ACTIONS HAS ENTERED INTO THE GENERAL DEBATE.
AS REPORTED DEF C, PRESIDENT GARCIA VOICED
HIS SUSPICIONS THAT THE NAVY MIGHT HAVE
BEEN RESPONSIBLE FOR THE ATTACK AGAINST
THE PRESIDENTIAL PALACE. LATER, AFTER
THE CARDONETTO INCIDENT, NEWSPAPERS
SPECULATED ON TERRORISM BY THE RIGHT.
THESE CHARGES ARE HARD TO SUSTAIN, BUT
THE ATTACK AGAINST STOLA ARREDONDO'S
ATTORNEY DEFINITELY RAISES QUESTIONS.

ALTHOUGH THE PRESS REPORTED THAT THE VICTIM
OF A GUNSHOT WOUND WHO DIED FOLLOWING THE
CARDONETTO INCIDENT WAS THE MAN SHOT BY
CARDONETTO'S BODYGUARD, THE POLICE CANNOT
CONFIRM THIS. THEY ALSO DO NOT CONFIRM
REPORTS THAT THE SUSPECTS ARRESTED
FOLLOWING THE MURDER OF A POLICE
OFFICER WERE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE ATTACK
AGAINST THE PRESIDENTIAL PALACE.

DIOCOTE SOURCES ARE NOW CONVINCED THAT
FREDDY REA GALLINDO, ARRESTED LAST MONTH
IN CUSCO DEF AJ, WAS THE SL MILITARY

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