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SUBJECT: TERRORIST ATTACKS IN LIMA AND PROVINCIAL CAPITALS

1. (U) DURING JULY 2 - 3 PERIOD TERRORISTS ATTEMPTED SEVERAL ASSASSINATIONS OF APRISTA LEADERS IN THE PROVINCES, AS WELL AS KILLINGS OF POLICE AND NAVY PERSONNEL IN LIMA, AND BOMBINGS OF FOREIGN EMBASSIES. ON JULY 2, TERRORISTS KILLED ONE POLICEMAN AND WOUNDED ANOTHER IN THE LIMA NEIGHBORHOOD OF LA VICTORIA. TERRORISTS AMBUSHED AND KILLED A NAVY

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 NCO IN A LIMA SUBURB ON JULY 3. POLICE ATTRIBUTE ALL THREE SHOOTINGS TO SENDERO LUMINOSO (SL). POLICE ALSO BLAME SL FOR THE JULY 3 ASSASSINATION OF THE APRA ORGANIZATION SECRETARY FOR JUNIN PROVINCE IN HUANCAYO, AND FOR THE WOUNDING OF THE PUNO DEPARTMENT APRA SECRETARY GENERAL THAT SAME DAY. BOTH VICTIMS WERE AMBUSHED AS THEY LEFT THEIR HOMES FOR WORK.

IN ADDITION, FIVE PEOPLE WERE WOUNDED JULY 3 WHEN A BOMB EXPLODED NEXT TO THE MAYOR'S OFFICE IN HUANUCO.

2. (U) TERRORISTS THREW DYNAMITE BOMBS EARLY EVENING OF JULY 4 AT THE CHINESE AND ITALIAN EMBASSIES, AT

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THE SOVIET-PERUVIAN FRIENDSHIP SOCIETY, AND AT A BUST OF JOHN F. KENNEDY IN MIRAFLORES. POLICE REPORT ONLY MATERIAL DAMAGE. IN ADDITION, A BOMB EXPLODED IN A BATHROOM ON THE NINTH FLOOR OF THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE, PRODUCING MATERIAL BUT NO PERSONAL DAMAGE. NO GROUP TOOK RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE ATTACKS; HOWEVER, SL PREVIOUSLY HAS ATTACKED BOTH THE CHINESE AND SOVIET EMBASSIES. ON JULY 6, TWO TERRORISTS REPORTEDLY DIED WHEN A CAR BOMB THEY WERE BUILDING EXPLODED PREMATURELY; THESE TERRORISTS REPORTEDLY WERE MRTA MEMBERS.

3. (C) COMMENT: PRESS HAS REPORTED ALLEGED SL NOT CLAIMING THAT ASSASSINATION ATTEMPTS AGAINST APRA OFFICIALS WERE RETALIATION FOR DEATHS OF SL PRISONERS DURING RECENT PRISON RIOTS, AND THAT SEVERAL APRISTAS WOULD DIE FOR EACH SL DEATH. EVEN IF THIS REPORT IS FALSE, ATTACKS UNDERSCORE THE VULNERABILITY OF GOP OFFICIALS IN LIMA AND IN THE PROVINCES. IN A MOVE PROBABLY CALCULATED TO DEMONSTRATE HIS COMMITMENT

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TO HIS SUBORDINATES, GARCIA DISPATCHED HIS PERSONAL AIRCRAFT, CARRYING APRA SECGEN AND SENATOR ARMANDO VILLANUEVA, TO PUNO TO MEDEVAC WOUNDED APRISTA OFFICIAL.

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