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 TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 4643
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EO 12356: NA
 TAGS: PTER, PE
 SUBJ: TERRORIST EXPLOSIONS IN LIMA INAUGURATE GENERAL STRIKE

1. A COORDINATED SERIES OF DYNAMITE EXPLOSIONS, APPARENTLY THE WORK OF SENDERO LUMINOSO (SL) TERRORISTS, HIT METROPOLITAN LIMA EVENING OF MARCH 21. THE EXPLOSIONS CAME HOURS SHORT OF INITIATION OF MARCH 22 GENERAL STRIKE.

2. PRELIMINARY REPORTS INDICATE THAT ALL EXPLOSIONS, WHICH AFFECTED FIVE DISTINCT SECTIONS OF CAPITAL AREA, PRODUCED

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MUCH NOISE, BUT LITTLE DAMAGE. CASUALTIES INCLUDE TWO

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POLICEMEN AND ONE CIVILIAN, ALL OF WHOM APPARENTLY SUFFERED SUPERFICIAL WOUNDS. REPORTS ON TERRORISTS CASUALTIES ARE VAGUER. FOUR OR MORE APPEAR TO HAVE BEEN DETAINED, INCLUDING AT LEAST ONE OF WHOM WAS HURT BY PREMATURE DYNAMITE EXPLOSION.
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