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TEXT: 1. IN EARLY APRIL 1991,

THE GOVERNMENT
BELIEVES CHILE IS IN A PHASE OF SELECTIVE EXTREME LEFT TARGETING OF
FIGURES OF MAJOR POLITICAL IMPORTANCE. IT IS ONLY A MATTER OF TIME
UNTIL TERRORISTS ACT ONCE MORE AGAINST A MAJOR GOVERNMENT OR
POLITICAL FIGURE.

CONSIDERABLE CONCERN OVER CARABINEROS HANDLING OF THE 29 MARCH ARMED DEMONSTRATIONS IN THE VILLA FRANCIA SECTOR OF SANTIAGO BY THE DISSIDENT FACTION OF THE MANUEL RODRIGUEZ PATRIOTIC FRONT (FPMR/D) AND THE LAUTARO FACTION OF THE UNITED POPULAR ACTION MOVEMENT (MAPU/L). THE GOVERNMENT ISSUED INSTRUCTIONS TO CARABINEROS DIRECTOR OF ORDER AND SECURITY GENERAL ALFREDO ((NUNEZ)) ALLENDES TO PREVENT SUCH ACTIONS AND MAKE MASS ARRESTS IF NECESSARY. THE CARABINEROS, HOWEVER, PERMITTED THE DEMONSTRATION TO OCCUR AND MADE FEW ARRESTS.

OBTAINED INTELLIGENCE ON A "TERRORIST SUMMIT", DURING THE VILLA FRANCIA DEMONSTRATIONS, OF THE FPMR/D, MAPU/L AND MILITARY FACTION OF THE MOVEMENT OF THE MILITARY LEFT (MIR/M), DURING WHICH THEY PLANNED THE KILLING OF PROMINENT RIGHTEST SENATOR JAIME ((GUZMAN)), AS SYMBOLIC OF THE FORMER DICTATORSHIP, AND MINISTER SECRETARY GENERAL OF GOVERNMENT ENRIQUE ((CORREA)) RIOS, AS A TRAITOR TO THE LEFT. THE FPMR/D AND MAPU/L WOULD PROVIDE ACTION GROUPS FOR SUCH ASSASSINATION ATTEMPTS.

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