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*Nicaragua
Luis Somoza
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1. EX-PRESIDENT LUIS SOMOZA OF NICARAGUA LV MANA 20 SEP, REPORTEDLY SCHEDULED STOP OVER TAMI PRESUMABLY WILL BE WEST GR.
2. SOMOZA LIKELY STATE PUBLICLY AND IN PRIVATE HIS PLANS TO LIBERATE CUBA, WHICH ENVIAGE POOLING LATIN AMERICAN RESOURCES TO INVADE CUBA; NEEDLESS STRESS WITH HIM AS "MAXIMUM LEADER."
3. WASH CONSIDERS SOMOZA PLAN UNREALISTIC AND WANTS NO PART OF IT, BUT FYI WELCOMES HIS OFFER OF OPS BASES TO ACTIVIST CUBAN EXILE ELEMENTS END I VI.
4. UNFORTUNATELY SOMOZA HAS ALLIED SELF WITH CUBAN EX-PRESIDENT CARLOS PRIO SOCORIAS WHOSE ANTECEDENTS DO NOT COMMEND HIM TO THOSE CUBAN ELEMENTS, BOTH INSIDE AND OUTSIDE, WITHOUT WHOSE ACTIVE PARTICIPATION NO ENTERPRISE CAN PROSPER. ALSO NEIGHBORING CENTRAL AMERICAN COUNTRIES ESPECIALLY COSTA RICA DISTURB AND FEAR SOMOZA AND WOULD NOT WELCOME HIM IN ARROGATED

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ROLE OF ALLIANCE LEADER AGAINST CUBA.

... WOULD WELCOME ANY INFLUENCE AMI CAN BRING TO
... PROBABLY PROBABLY PROBABLY PROBABLY PROBABLY
... WITHIN 12 MONTHS...
... ESPECIALLY IN THE CASE OF
... DRAWING ON OWN EXPERIENCES...
... SILENT GROUNDWORK
... WHICH AT THIS STAGE
... HEAVY
... BOASTFUL PLEDGES.

6. REALISE ABOVE MAY BE... LINE OF REASONING...
... NOTHING TO LOAD...
... INVIDIOUS COMPARISON...
... MAINLAND...

STATEMENT... OF SOMOZA'S...
... POLICY...

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BY [redacted]
ON [redacted]

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SEE NICARAGUAN RESOURCES HARNESSSED IN CONTEXT REALISTIC PLANNING AND INTER-AMERICAN TRANQUILITY, AVOIDING ALL ACTS AND STATEMENTS LIKELY TO INFLAME ALREADY STRONG FEELINGS ABOUT REPUGNANT FEATURES SUCH AS DICTATORSHIP. THIS, WE FEAR, MIGHT DOOM OUR PRIME EFFORT TO ENCOURAGE CENTRAL AMERICAN NATIONS TO SINK NATIONAL ANTIQUITIES AND PLAY CONSTRUCTIVE ROLE IN THE PROMOTION OF REALISTIC OPERATIONAL OBJECTIVES. END FYI. PLEASE ADVISE NEXT LEG SOMOZA'S TRIP.

3. FOR [redacted] IN ABSENCE POSITIVE INFO PRESUME SOMOZA WILL STOP OVER AND TOUCH BASE WITH CCL. IF SO, ABOVE GUIDANCE WOULD APPLY MUTATIS MUTANDIS.

END OF MESSAGE

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