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REF: LAPA 4894 (IN 54668)\*

1. IN COMPLIANCE REF REQUEST LAPA, WOULD LIKE MEXI ARRANGE FOR TRANSLATION FOLLOWING TEXT AND SEND VIA COMMERCIAL TELEGRAM TO PERSON PARA 4 REF.

"HAVE RECEIVED CHINESE PEOPLES PROTEST OVER ARREST MARIO MONJE, FIRST SECRETARY COMMUNIST PARTY OF BOLIVIA. WE GLAD CHINESE PEOPLE AND HSINHUA CAN LEND SUPPORT TO PROTEST THIS UNJUST REPRESSION BY BOLIVIAN GOVERNMENT. PROTEST QUOTED BELOW.

"THE ALL-CHINA FEDERATION OF TRADE UNIONS, OTHER MASS ORGANIZATIONS REPRESENTING CHINA'S YOUTH, STUDENTS, WOMEN, AND WRITERS, AND THE PRESIDENTS OF THE CHINA-CUBA FRIENDSHIP ASSOCIATION AND THE CHINA-LATIN AMERICAN FRIENDSHIP ASSOCIATION PROTEST THE ARREST OF COMRADE MARIO MONJE, FIRST SECRETARY OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF BOLIVIA, AND OTHER LEADING CADRE. THESE UNJUST ARRESTS FOLLOW THE IGNOBLE PERSECUTION OF THE HEROIC COMMUNIST PARTY OF BOLIVIA BY THE POLITICAL PUPPETS OF U. S.

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**MONOPOLY CAPITAL AND YANKEE IMPERIALISM AND THEIR FUTILE ATTEMPTS TO REPRESS THE BOLIVIAN PEOPLES NATIONAL LIBERATION STRUGGLE.**

"THE SHAMELESS BOLIVIAN REGIME'S POLICY OF REPRESSION UNDERMINES THE INDEPENDENCE AND FREEDOM OF THE PEOPLE OF BOLIVIA AND THEIR NATIONAL CULTURE. IT STIFLES THE JUST STRUGGLES OF THE COLONIAL AND SEMI COLONIAL PEOPLES AGAINST IMPERIALISM AND COLONIALISM AND THEIR MEANS OF ACHIEVING NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE AND FREEDOM. THE CHINESE PEOPLE ALWAYS WHOLEHEARTEDLY AND STEADFASTLY SUPPORT THESE JUST AND GLORIOUS STRUGGLES.

"FOR THE LAST TWO YEARS AND MORE, THE PEOPLE OF LATIN AMERICA HAVE STRENGTHENED THEIR UNITY STEADILY IN THEIR FIGHT AGAINST THE COMMON ENEMY, U. S. IMPERIALISM. AS THIS UNITY OF 200 MILLION LATIN AMERICANS IS ACHIEVED U. S. IMPERIALISM AND FORCES OF REACTION WILL TRY TO USE EVERY OPPORTUNITY TO SPLIT AND DISINTEGRATE THE LATIN AMERICAN PEOPLE'S ANTI-U.S. UNITED FRONT. BUT THE PEOPLE'S JOINT STRUGGLE AND COMMON DESTINY IS KEEPING THEM CLOSELY UNITED AND THIS U.S.

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BE DESTROYED. NO FORCE ON EARTH COULD HALT THE ADVANCE OF THE SURGING AND SWEEPING MOVEMENT OF THE 200 MILLION LATIN AMERICANS AGAINST U. S. IMPERIALISM AND FOR THEIR COMPLETE LIBERATION.

"THE BEACON FOR THE BOLIVIAN PEOPLE IS THE CUBAN REVOLUTION. THE CUBAN REVOLUTION IS PART OF THE HISTORICAL PROCESS IN THE DESTRUCTION OF IMPERIALISM. IT STANDS AS THE BEACON FOR ALL THE LATIN AMERICAN PEOPLE AND PROVIDES MORE FAVORABLE CONDITIONS FOR ALL LATIN AMERICAN PEOPLE TO WIN VICTORY IN THEIR NATIONAL LIBERATION STRUGGLES.

"THE CHINESE PEOPLE HAIL THE HEROIC COMMUNIST PARTY OF BOLIVIA AND STAND WITH THEM IN THEIR RIGHTEOUS PROTESTS OVER THE UNJUST AND SHAMELESS REPRESSIONS BY THE PUPPETS OF U. S. MONOPOLY CAPITAL AND IMPERIALISM.

(SIGNED) CHINA LATIN AMERICAN FRIENDSHIP ASSOCIATION

SENT BY: HSINHUA, MEXICO CITY

IN ADDITION FULFILLING LAPA REQUEST BELIEVE ABOVE MAY HAVE ADDITIONAL BENEFICIAL EFFECT CAUSING DIFFICULTIES TO NCNA (HSINHUA)

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REPS MEXI. NOTE 8 NOV DEADLINE IN REP.

3. REP BEING RELAYED MEXI IMMEDIATE.

END OF MESSAGE

WH Comment: • Ref requested that a commercial telegram be released ostensibly by MGBA protesting arrest of MONJE, 1st Sec of PCB. Would worsen relationship between PCB and CPSU; promote dissension within the PCB; antagonize the Bolivian Govt.

- FE/CIO (R. Brown)<sup>03</sup> (draft)
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