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TO IMMEDIATE SANTIAGO

07 [REDACTED] 9CT 70

1. IN REF WE ADVISED STATION OF THE NEED TO CONCENTRATE

[REDACTED] ACTIONS IN [REDACTED]

2. AS POSSIBILITY OF POLITICAL SOLUTION DISAPPEARS WE

ARE LEFT WITH MILITARY COUP WHICH SHOULD OCCUR PRIOR TO

24 OCTOBER AND CERTAINLY BEFORE 5 NOVEMBER. THIS MESSAGE

IS TO DEFINE HQS THINKING ON WHAT COURSE OUR PSYCH EFFORT

SHOULD TAKE IN FIELDS OTHER THAN ECONOMIC IN TRYING TO

CREATE AT LEAST SOME CLIMATE FOR SUCH A COUP.

3. IF WE CAN GET A DAILY NEWSPAPER ON THE STREETS

[REDACTED] OR IF "EL MERCURIO" TAKES A HARD

ENOUGH LINE, WE MIGHT PROVOKE A FAR-LEFT RESPONSE WHICH

WOULD PROVIDE A PRETEXT. SANTIAGO [REDACTED] INDICATES THAT

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JUNIOR VERSION OF WHAT WE NEED HAS INDEED OCCURRED.

4. IF THERE IS NO ILL-TIMED REACTION FROM FAR LEFT, HOWEVER, WE MUST DEPEND ON MILITARY MOVE WHICH CAN BE EXPLAINED, NO MATTER HOW LAMELY, IN THE CONTEXT OF COUP CLIMATE. REQUEST STATION BEGIN AT ONCE A RUMOR CAMPAIGN, BASED WHENEVER POSSIBLE ON TANGIBLE PEG, WHICH WILL HELP CREATE THIS CLIMATE. AMONG OTHER ACTIONS, SUGGEST YOU ASSIGN FALSE FLAG OFFICERS ~~XXX~~ TASK OF GETTING OUT TO BARS AND PLANTING AT LEAST THREE RUMORS EACH DAY FOR NEXT TEN DAYS. BELIEVE STATION CAN PROVIDE THIS GIST FOR RUMOR MILL EASILY.

6. NEXT, REQUEST STATION DECIDE WHAT MAJOR ACT CAN BE SPONSORED, PERHAPS THROUGH ~~██████████~~ OR OTHERS OF HIS TYPE, WHICH CAN CREATE TENSION AND POSSIBLE PRETEXT. FOR INSTANCE:

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7. REQUEST STATION SUGGESTION AS TO WHAT ACTION
SHOULD TOP LIST FROM STANDPOINT OF EFFECTIVENESS. ALSO
REQUEST STATION CONFIRMATION THAT IT AGREES WITH GENERAL
THRUST OF ABOVE, INCLUDING USE OF RUMOR CAMPAIGN TOPPED
[REDACTED] AND THAT IT WILL UNDERTAKE THE ACTIONS REQUIRED.

8. ADVISE.

END OF MESSAGE

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