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SUBJ: MILITARY COUP PLOTTING FOR MORNING OF 11 SEP (S/NFD)
REF: US040 SANTIAGO DATT 615 DTG 110335Z SEP 73

1. (S/NFD) AT 2100 HOURS (b)(1)

[REDACTED] (PROTECT SOURCE) CAME
TO HOME OF AIRA WITH FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

A. AT APPROX 0500 HRS LOCAL ON THE MORNING OF 11 SEP
ALL COMMUNICATIONS MEDIA WILL BE TAKEN OVER BY THE ARMED FORCES,
ADDITIONALLY, ALL ELECTRIC POWER SOURCES ANOTHER SOURCES AND OTHER
CRITICAL
SOCIAL SERVICES WILL BE SEIZED, THIS WILL BE A TOTAL EFFORT
FOR THE ARMED FORCES TO FORCE A MILITARY COUP TO OUST PRES
ALLENDE.

B. AT APPROX 0830 HRS LOCAL ALL SEIZED RADIO STATIONS
WILL BROADCAST THAT THE ARMED FORCES HAVE TAKEN OVER THE GOVT
AND COUNTRY, THEY WILL INFORM THE PEOPLE THAT THEY HAVE DONE
SO TO ALLEVIATE THE IMMEDIATE PROBLEMS FACING THE NATION AND
OFFER AN IMMEDIATE REMEDIAL SOLUTION AND ASK THE PEOPLE TO
BEAR WITH THEM WHILE THEY SEEK TO RESOLVE THE LONG TERM
PROBLEMS OF THE COUNTRY, THEIR STATEMENT TO THE PUBLIC WILL
EMPHASIZE THAT THIS IS AN INTERNAL PROBLEM AND THAT THERE
IS NO FOREIGN ASSISTANCE OR INTERVENTION IN THE COUP, THEIR
IMMEDIATE PROBLEM WILL BE TO FIND AN INSTANT SOURCE OF FLOUR,
MEDICINES AND AUTOMOBILE/TRUCK SPARE PARTS.

C. THE MILITARY GROUP WILL BE DEPENDENT UPON

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FORAGIN SOURCES (ESPECIALLY THE U.S.) FOR THIS SUPPORT. THEY
BELIEVE THAT THEY CAN APPEAL TO ALL GROUPS WITH THIS KIND OF

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