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TO AMEMBASSY LIMA IMMEDIATE

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FOR AMBASSADOR EINAUDI

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TAGS: PREL, EAID, EFIN, SNAR PHUM, PE

SUBJECT: TALKING POINTS FOR EINAUDI MEETINGS

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2 SET FORTH IN PARAGRAPH THREE ARE TALKING POINTS FOR AMBASSADOR EINAUDI TO USE IN HIS MEETINGS WITH PRESIDENT FUJIMORI. PRIME MINISTER DE LA PUENTE. AND FINMIN BOLONA. WE HAVE DRAFTED THESE TALKING POINTS BASED UPON THE ASSUMPTION THAT THE NOVEMBER 22 ELECTION WILL BE CONDUCTED FREELY AND FAIRLY. SHOULD THAT NOT PROVE TO BE THE CASE, REVISED TALKING POINTS WILL FOLLOW.

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3. BEGIN TALKING POINTS.

-- THE SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF THE ELECTIONS YOU PROMISED IN NASSAU DESERVES INTERNATIONAL RECOGNITION.

-- THIS SUCCESS HELP US CONTINUE TO WORK ON OUR AGENDA OF MUTUAL CONCERN: ECONOMIC RECOVERY FOR PERU. NARCOTICS CONTROL, FULL RESTORATION AND STRENGTHENING OF CONSTITUTIONAL INSTITUTIONS, AND RESPECT FOR HUMAN RIGHTS. THE REALITY IS THAT PERU WILL NOT GET THE

ECONOMIC SUPPORT IT NEEDS FROM THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY UNLESS PROGRESS ON DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS CONTINUES.

-- IT IS MY EXPECTATION THAT A HIGH-LEVEL DELEGATION WILL BE ABLE TO TRAVEL TO PERU AS EARLY AS DECEMBER TO TALK TO YOU ABOUT WHERE U.S.-PERUVIAN RELATIONS ARE HEADED IN THE WAKE OF YESTERDAY'S ELECTION.

-- HE WILL LIKELY WANT TO DISCUSS ISSUES RELATING TO THE RESTORATION OF DEMOCRATIC GOVERNMENT, HUMAN RIGHTS, AND NARCOTICS AND ALTERNATIVE DEVELOPMENT.

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ELECTIONS

-- AS YOU KNOW, THE PRELIMINARY JUDGMENT OF THE OAS OBSERVER MISSION IS THAT YESTERDAY'S ELECTION WAS CONDUCTED FAIRLY.

-- THUS, PERU HAS TAKEN A CRITICAL FIRST STEP ON THE ROAD BACK TOWARDS DEMOCRACY. BUT ELECTIONS ALONE ARE NOT ENOUGH. THE CONSTITUENT CONGRESS MUST BE GIVEN THE AUTHORITY AND AUTONOMY IT NEEDS TO WORK. WE WILL BE FOLLOWING ITS WORK CAREFULLY.

-- THE MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS. NOW SET FOR JANUARY 29, REPRESENT THE NEXT TEST FOR YOUR GOVERNMENT.

-- TO HELP ENSURE THAT THESE ELECTIONS ARE SUCCESSFUL THE USG HAS ASKED THE OAS TO EXTEND THE PRESENCE OF ITS OBSERVER MISSION THROUGH JANUARY 29.

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-- WE ALSO PLAN TO CONTINUE TO ENGAGE OUR CONGRESS IN AN ATTEMPT TO FREE UP MONEY FOR TECHNICAL COOPERATION WITH THE PERUVIAN ELECTORAL COMMISSION (JNE).

HUMAN RIGHTS

-- HUMAN RIGHTS WILL CONTINUE TO BE AN IMPORTANT THEME IN US-PERUVIAN RELATIONS.

-- IN AUGUST OF LAST YEAR, YOUR GOVERNMENT MADE PROGRESS IN REDUCING THE NUMBER OF DISAPPEARANCES AND

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EXTRA-JUDICIAL EXECUTIONS. SINCE THEN, THE NUMBERS OF DISAPPEARANCES AND EXTRA-JUDICIAL EXECUTIONS HAS REMAINED CONSTANT AT A HIGH LEVEL.

-- HOWEVER. IF YOUR GOVERNMENT IS TO COMMAND INTERNATIONAL SUPPORT, IT WILL NEED TO SHOW CONTINUED IMPROVEMENT IN ITS HUMAN RIGHTS RECORD.

-- RECENTLY THERE HAVE BEEN DISTURBING INDICATIONS THAT SECURITY FORCES WERE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE DISAPPEARANCE OF STUDENTS AT UNIVERSITIES IN HUANCAYO AND LIMA.

-- NOTHING YOU COULD DO WOULD MAKE YOUR COMMITMENT TO HUMAN RIGHTS MORE CREDIBLE THAN FOR AUTHORITIES TO DISCOVER AND PROSECUTE THE AUTHORS OF THESE HEINOUS ACTS. I URGE YOU TO MAKE RESOLUTION OF THESE RECENT CASES A TOP PRIORITY.

-- FURTHER. THERE APPEARS TO HAVE BEEN LITTLE PROGRESS TO DATE IN THE NINE HIGH-PROFILE CASES OF PARTICULAR CONCERN TO THE US CONGRESS. SO FAR, IT APPEARS THAT SUBSTANTIAL PROGRESS HAS ONLY OCCURRED IN RESOLVING TWO OF THE CASES -- THE SANTA BARBARA MASSACRE AND THE CALLAO ARRESTS.

-- WE HAVE HEARD REPORTS THAT THE SECURITY FORCES ARE CHARGING -- ON THE BASIS OF VERY LITTLE EVIDENCE -- WELL-KNOWN JOURNALISTS AND HUMAN RIGHTS ACTIVISTS FOR "APOLOGIA FOR TERRORISM".

-- THE CASES OF CARLOS CHIPOCO AND MAGNO SOSA ROJAS ARE

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EXAMPLES OF THIS.

-- FOR OUR PART, WE APPLAUD YOUR DECISION TO REFRAIN FROM WITHDRAWING FROM THE SAN JOSE TREATY. AT THIS PARTICULARLY DELICATE TIME, PERU CANNOT AFFORD TO RENOUNCE THE PRINCIPAL INTER-AMERICAN TREATY ON HUMAN RIGHTS.

COUNTERNARCOTICS

-- WE ARE GLAD TO SEE THAT PERUVIAN COUNTERNARCOTICS ENFORCEMENT EFFORTS HAVE GAINED MOMENTUM IN RECENT MONTHS.

-- OUR LAW ENFORCEMENT EFFORTS CAN ONLY SUCCEED WITH FULL MILITARY COOPERATION. WE ARE TOLD THAT THE MILITARY HAS VIRTUALLY DOUBLED ITS FORCES IN THE UPPER HUALLAGA VALLEY SINCE APRIL 5, LARGELY IN SUPPORT OF DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS.

-- WE ARE ALSO HEARTENED BY PRESIDENT FUJIMORI'S RECENT REMARKS INDICATING THAT YOU PLAN TO MOVE AGAINST THOSE HUALLAGA VALLEY ARMY UNITS WHICH ARE COLLABORATING WITH THE NARCO-TRAFFICKERS.

-- FOR OUR PART. WE ARE INTERESTED IN MOVING FORWARD

QUICKLY ON ALTERNATIVE DEVELOPMENT. OUR AID MISSION IS IN CONSTANT CONTACT WITH ITS PERUVIAN GOVERNMENT COUNTERPARTS

-- INADE AND THE INTERIM REGIONAL GOVERNMENT OF SAN MARIN

-- AS WE ATTEMPT TO IMPLEMENT OUR JOINT ALTERNATIVE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS.

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-- ALTERNATIVE DEVELOPMENT AGREEMENTS ARE BEING NEGOTIATED WITH LOCAL COMMUNITIES IN RETURN FOR THE CITIZENRY.S PLEDGE TO VOLUNTARILY ERADICATE COCA CULTIVATION AND HELP ENSURE SECURITY FOR DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS.

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COUNTER-TERRORISM

-- I OFFER MY CONGRATULATIONS ON YOUR GOVERNMENT'S RECENT SUCCESSES AGAINST THE SENDERO LUMINOSO AND THE MRTA.

-- BY OUR CALCULATIONS, THIRTEEN OF THE TOP NINETEEM SENDERO LEADERS ARE EITHER DECEASED OR IN JAIL.

-- IN FOLLOWING-UP ON THE CAPTURE OF GUZMAN, YOUR GOVERNMENT WILL NEED TO ENSURE THAT ITS EFFORTS ARE IN ACCORDANCE WITH INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS NORMS.

-- IN PARTICULAR. ANY TRIALS OF SENDERO LEADERS SHOULD BE CONDUCTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH RECOGNIZED DUE PROCESS STANDARDS.

THE RECENT ATTEMPTED COUP

-- WE VIEW WITH GREAT CONCERN REPORTS THAT PERUVIAN ARMY OFFICERS APPARENTLY ATTEMPTED TO OVERTHROW THE GOVERNMENT.

-- THE EVENTS OF NOVEMBER 13 DEMONSTRATE QUITE CLEARLY THE NEED TO BUTTRESS DEMOCRATIC INSTITUTIONS WITHIN PERU AND QUICKLY RETURN THE COUNTRY TO DEMOCRACY.

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-- AGAIN, YOUR GOVERNMENT'S TREATMENT OF ANY OFFICERS OR CIVILIANS UNDER ARREST MUST BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH INTERNATIONAL DUE PROCESS STANDARDS.

THE ECONOMY AND THE SUPPORT GROUF

-- NOW THAT THE NOVEMBER 22 ELECTION HAS BEEN SUCCESSFULLY CONCLUDED, WE CAN BEGIN WORKING IN EARNEST ON A NEW SUPPORT GROUP FOR CALENDAR YEAR 1993.

-- A STRONG SIGNAL RIGHT NOW THAT YOU WILL BE CONTINUING TO PUSH PROGRESS ON DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS WILL HELP GARNER THE SUPPORT YOU NEED.

-- AS YOU KNOW, IMF AND WORLD BANK ARREARS SHOULD BE CLEARED SOMETIME EARLY NEXT YEAR.

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-- SUCH A FOLLOW-ON SUPPORT GROUP IS ESSENTIAL. AS WE HEAR THAT THE IMF ESTIMATES THAT PERU'S EXTERNAL FINANCING GAP WILL BE ABOUT DOLLARS 700 MILLION FOR 1993.

-- WE WILL TRY TO DO ALL THAT WE CAN TO MAKE THIS FOLLOW-ON SUPPORT GROUP EFFORT A SUCCESS.

-- TO HELP ENCOURAGE INVESTMENT IN PERU, WE FEEL THAT IT IS APPROPRIATE TO FINALIZE THE BILATERAL OPIC AGREEMENT THAT WE NEGOTIATED LAST SPRING. WE SUSPENDED TALKS ON THIS AGREEMENT AFTER THE AUTO-GOLPE IN APRIL.

-- IF YOU ARE WILLING, WE ARE READY TO SIGN THE OPIC

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AGREEMENT THIS WEEK.

-- WHILE WE REALIZE THAT PERU IS EAGER TO RECEIVE BENEFITS UNDER THE ANDEAN TRADE PREFERENCE ACT, THIS WILL NOT BE POSSIBLE UNTIL THE SETTLEMENT IN THE AIG/BELCO CASE IS FINALIZED.

-- FINALLY. LET ME CONGRATULATE YOU ON THE RECENT PRIVATIZATION OF HIERRO-PERU, THE HERETOFORE STATE-OWNED IRON ORE MINING COMPANY. (A CHINESE COMPANY SUBMITTED THE WINNING BID OF DOLLARS 312 MILLION. FAR EXCEEDING MOST EXPECTATIONS.)

-- IF PERU WERE TO COME TO A FINAL SETTLEMENT IN THE AIG/BELCO CASE. IT WOULD LIKELY REGISTER MORE SUCCESSES SIMILAR TO HIERRO-PERU. KANTER

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THE CLINCHER IS THE FACT THAT THERE IS NO
SL-MRTA FIGHTING IN THE HUANCAYO JAIL.

14. ASIDE FROM DISAPPEARANCES, THE ARMY APPEARS TO HAVE USED AS WELL AS IT COULD ITS VERY LIMITED RESOURCES. THE GROWTH OF THE RONDAS, THE CENSUS OF THE UNCP AND THE POORER NEIGHBORHOODS, THE DONATION OF LIMITED FOOD AID, AND THE SYMBOLIC PAINTING OF THE UNCP ARE USEFUL PARTS OF A COUNTERTERRORISM EFFORT. THE GOP, HOWEVER, NEEDS TO CONTRIBUTE MORE RESOURCES, BOTH TO THE ARMY AND TO CIVILIAN INSTITUTIONS. MOREOVER, THE RONDAS REMAIN VULNERABLE TO SL. AS ONE ARMY OFFICER ACKNOWLEDGED TO US, SL HAS THE INITIATIVE AND CAN MASS AGAINST INDIVIDUAL RONDAS, WHICH HAVE LITTLE WEAPONRY AND POOR COMMUNICATIONS. FEUDING BETWEEN COMMUNITIES OVER LAND AND WATER RIGHTS REMAINS A POTENTIAL OPENING FOR SL PENETRATION. FINALLY, THE GROWTH IN COCA PLANTINGS IN THE JUNGLE, COMBINED WITH SL AND MRTA ACTIVITY, SOUNDS OMINOUSLY LIKE A REPEAT OF THE UPPER HUALLAGA VALLEY EXPERIENCE IN THE 1980S. BRAYSHAW

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