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SUBJECT: END-OF-TOUR BIO REPORTS BY POLITICAL
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1. ~~CONFIDENTIAL~~ - ENTIRE TEXT.
2. THE FOLLOWING ARE IN DEPTH BIOGRAPHIC REPORTS ON PERUVIAN POLITICAL FIGURES FROM DEPARTING POLITICAL OFFICER. WE ARE SUBMITTING SEPTEL EXTRACTS OF BRIEF BIOGRAPHIC SUMMARIES TAKEN FROM DEPARTING POLOFF'S ANNOTATED CONTACT LIST.

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3.

DR. DIEGO GARCIA SAYAN

DR. GARCIA IS THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OF THE ANDEAN COMMISSION OF JURISTS, A FIVE NATION ORGANIZATION TO PROMOTE LEGAL REFORM AND HUMAN RIGHTS IN THE ANDEAN NATIONS. THE ANDEAN COMMISSION IS NOT ALIGNED WITH ANY POLITICAL IDEOLOGY, BUT GENERALLY TAKES A REFORMIST POSITION ON MOST ISSUES WHICH GIVES THE COMMISSION A LEFTIST TILT. COMMISSION MEMBERS ARE KNOWN IN LATIN AMERICA FOR THEIR INTEGRITY AND MANY CURRENTLY WORK IN OBSERVER CAPACITIES IN OTHER LATIN NATIONS. GARCIA SAYAN ENJOYS OBSERVER STATUS AT THE UNITED NATION'S COUNCIL FOR ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL AFFAIRS.

DR. GARCIA IS A PROFESSOR OF LAW AT CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY. HE WAS A MEMBER OF THE PEACE COMMISSION APPOINTED BY PRESIDENT ALAN GARCIA IN 1985, BUT RESIGNED WHEN IT BECAME APPARENT THAT PRESIDENT GARCIA DID NOT INTEND TO PURSUE AN AGGRESSIVE HUMAN RIGHTS AGENDA. GARCIA WAS AN UNSUCCESSFUL UNITED LEFT CANDIDATE FOR THE SENATE IN 1985.

DR. GARCIA AND THE ANDEAN COMMISSION HAVE TAKEN A POSITION FIRMLY OPPOSED TO ERADICATION AND INTERDICTION AGAINST PERUVIAN COCA GROWERS. THOUGH WE ACCEPT THIS AS AN HONEST REFLECTION OF GARCIA'S DOUBTS ABOUT OUR CURRENT ANTI-NARCOTICS POLICY, WE BELIEVE HE HAS STRETCHED HIS COMMISSION'S MANDATE TO INCLUDE IT WITH SUCH PROMINENCE ON THE COMMISSION'S AGENDA.

DIEGO IS IN HIS FORTIES AND IS MARRIED. HE SPEAKS MODERATE ENGLISH, HAVING STUDIED ONE SEMESTER AT THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS ON AN EXCHANGE PROGRAM. HE IS A FRIENDLY INTERLOCUTOR WHO IS FRANK IN HIS APPROVAL OF OR DISAGREEMENT WITH U.S. POLICIES.

2.

SENATOR ENRIQUE BERNALES

ENRIQUE BERNALES BALLESTEROS IS A THIRD TERM SENATOR, FIRST ELECTED TO THE SENATE IN 1980 AS A MEMBER OF THE UNITED LEFT COALITION. BERNALES IS A FOUNDING MEMBER OF THE SOCIALIST REVOLUTIONARY PARTY (PSR), LARGELY A GROUP OF LEFTIST CIVILIANS ASSOCIATED WITH THE 1968-75 MILITARY DICTATORSHIP OF GENERAL JUAN VELASCO. DURING THE VELASCO ERA HE WAS VIEWED AS ONE

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OF THE GENERAL'S INFORMAL ADVISORS ON UNIVERSITY ISSUES FROM HIS POSITION AS CHAIRMAN OF THE SOCIAL SCIENCES DEPARTMENT AT THE CATHOLIC U. HE STILL SPEAKS AND WRITES WITH FAVOR OF THE VELASCO REFORMS. HE BECAME PSR SECRETARY GENERAL IN 1981. HE RESIGNED HIS MEMBERSHIP IN THE PSR IN 1991. HE STATED THAT HE PREFERRED TO REMAIN IN POLITICS AS AN INDEPENDENT. THE 1991 DECISION WAS ONLY THE LATEST IN A MEASURABLE SHIFT TOWARD POLITICAL MODERATION. IN 1989 HE JOINED WITH THE IU MODERATES WHO BROKE AWAY FROM THE UNITED LEFT TO FORM SOCIALIST LEFT (ISO). THE IU MAVERICKS LED BY ALFONSO BARRANTES COMPLAINED THE THE IU WOULD NOT MODERATE ITS RADICAL MARXIST POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC RHETORIC. HE TOLD A PERUVIAN NEWSPAPER SEVERAL WEEKS AGO THAT HE IS NOT AFRAID TO ADMIT THAT HE HAS MODERATED SIGNIFICANTLY FROM HIS PAST RADICAL LEFTIST TENDENCIES.

BERNALES RECEIVED HIS DOCTOR OF LAW FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF GRENoble AND A MASTERS IN POLITICAL SCIENCE FROM LIMA'S CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY. HE IS A PROFESSOR AT THE CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY AND CHAIRMAN OF THE UNITED NATIONS HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION. HE IS THE AUTHOR OF SEVEN WELL RECEIVED BOOKS ON GENERAL POLITICAL THEMES. HE IS CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE, CHAIRMAN OF THE IMPORTANT SENATE COMMITTEE ON VIOLENCE AND

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PACIFICATION, AND IS CURRENTLY VICE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE. HE IS AMONG THE MOST RESPECTED OF PERUVIAN SENATORS, INCLUDING BY HIS PARLIAMENTARY COLLEAGUES.

BERNALES WAS A MEMBER OF THE DEMOCRATIC CHRISTIAN PARTY DURING HIS UNIVERSITY YEARS. HE SPEAKS WITH GREAT AFFECTION OF HIS DECEASED FATHER WHO WAS A TEACHER AND A HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL. AT HIS MOST RECENT BOOK PREMIER SENATOR BERNALES NOTED THAT BECAUSE OF HIS FATHER'S INFLUENCE HE WOULD ALWAYS CONSIDER HIMSELF A TEACHER FIRST, AND A LAWYER AND POLITICIAN SECOND.

BERNALES WAS AN UNSUCCESSFUL CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR OF LIMA IN 1989. BERNALES WAS BORN NOVEMBER 6, 1940 IN LIMA. HE IS DIVORCED AND HAS NO CHILDREN. THE SENATOR SPEAKS FRENCH AND SOME ENGLISH.

3.

SENATOR JAVIER VALLE Riestra y Gonzales-Olaechea

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SENATOR VALLE Riestra is widely respected for his intellectual and oratorical skills. He is the author of several books, many having to do with human rights and constitutional law. Senator Valle Riestra represented Peru in the 43rd session of the United Nations Human Rights Commission in 1987. He was vice chairman of the Human Rights Committee of the Constituent Assembly that drafted the 1979 Constitution. He was elected a deputy in the 1980 Parliament and Senator in 1985 when he served as president of the Human Rights Committee from 1985-90. He also headed the committee that investigated the massacres of Accomarca and Puccayacu. He is a member of the Lima Bar Association and headed their Human Rights Office in 1984.

Born in Lima January 5, 1932, he studied law at both San Marcos and Catholic University. He received his bachelors in 1957. His thesis was entitled, "Constitutional Responsibilities of the Head of State." He took his doctorate in law in 1972. Valle Riestra joined APRA in 1950 at age 18. He was a devoted follower of Haya de la Torre, but broke with APRA over its refusal to pursue its revolutionary goals. He was for a time a member of "APRA Rebelde", members of which evolved into the MIR and launched the guerrilla effort of 1965. But Valle Riestra had rejoined APRA and by 1963 was a member of the Lima City Council. He was exiled to Spain by General Velasco in 1969 and returned to Peru in 1976.

Valle Riestra is considered an APRA independent and has significantly moderated from his virulent anti-imperialist rhetoric of the 1960s and 70s. He is a member of the moderate faction of APRA. He has been disciplined twice by the party, most recently for calling for a judicial investigation of Alan Garcia's alleged illicit enrichment while president. The senator is occasionally mentioned as an APRA candidate for the presidency of the Republic, a rumor he probably encourages. Fiercely intellectual, he is also known for his considerable ego. Following his term as Peru rep to the UNHRC, he authored a book entitled, "Diplomacy, Democracy and Human Rights" which was nothing more than a collection of his speeches before the UNHRC.

Despite his background in human rights, he is no longer known as a defender of human rights, a role he vigorously played and which got him exiled in 1969.

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7 HE WAS APPOINTED PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON VIOLENCE AND PACIFICATION (BERNALES BEAT) AT THE BEGINNING OF THE 1990 PARLIAMENT. HE SHORTLY RESIGNED THAT POST. MOST PARLIAMENT INSIDERS OPINE THAT VALLE-RIESTRA'S EGO COULD NOT TOLERATE HIM SERVING AS HEAD OF A COMMITTEE WHICH CONTINUED TO BE KNOWN AS THE BERNALES COMMISSION. HE REMAINS, NEVERTHELESS, GOOD FRIENDS WITH BERNALES AND SPOKE AT HIS COLLEAGUES' MOST RECENT BOOK PREMIER.

NOT WITHSTANDING HIS EGO, VALLE Riestra HAS A KEEN

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SENSE OF HUMOR AND CAN BE CHARMINGLY SELF-EFFACING. HE IS ONE OF THE FEW MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT TO RISK AN APPEARANCE ON THE TV COMEDY SHOW OF A LOCAL (AND QUITE EXCELLENT) MIMIC. ON THE SHOW HE DEBATED "HIMSELF", WITH MOST TELEVISION VIEWERS AGREEING THAT HIS ALTER-EGO WON THE DEBATE. VALLE Riestra IS A NATTY DRESSER AND IS PROUD OF HIS THICK HEAD OF HAIR, WHICH APPEARS TO BE COMBED TO DRAW ATTENTION TO ITSELF. HE IS MARRIED TO TERESA PARDO VARGAS. NO CHILDREN.

4.

SENATOR SEGUNDO EDMUNDO MURRUGARRA FLORIAN

EDMUNDO MURRUGARRA WAS BORN JULY 30, 1937 IN CONTUMAZA, CAJAMARCA. HE GRADUATED IN 1959 FROM LA CANTUTA (THE NATIONAL TEACHER'S COLLEGE). WHILE IN THE UNIVERSITY HE JOINED THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF PERU. HE TAUGHT SCHOOL FROM 1959 TO 1963. HE DID GRADUATE STUDIES AT SAN MARCOS IN 1963. HIS MASTER'S THESIS WAS ENTITLED, "THE INDUSTRIAL WORKER IN LIMA." MURRUGARRA JOINED THE YOUNG BUCKS WHO BROKE WITH THE PCP IN 1965 AND FORMED THE MORE RADICAL VANGUARDIA REVOLUCIONARIA. THE VR HELD THE MIDDLE POSITION BETWEEN THE PCP AND THE MIR THAT BEGAN FIGHTING ITS BRIEF GUERRILLA WAR IN THE EASTERN JUNGLES IN 1965. HE WAS SECRETARY GENERAL OF VR IN 1970 AND ONE OF THE FOUNDERS OF THE UDP. MANY OF HIS FELLOW VRERS LATER FORMED THE MRTA. AFTER THE MIR WAS CRUSHED AND WHILE BELAUNDE WAS ROUNDING UP AND ARRESTING A NUMBER OF THE RADICAL LEFT SURVIVORS,

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MURRUGARRA TRAVELED TO PARIS AND DID DOCTORAL WORK IN SOCIOLOGY IN THE SORBONNE FROM 1966-68.

MURRUGARRA AND HIS WIFE WERE THE PRINCIPAL FORCE BEHIND THE ORGANIZATION AND FOUNDING OF THE LABOR UNION AT CETROMIN, THE HUGE JUNIN DEPARTMENT SMELTER NATIONALIZED BY VELASCO IN 1969. BECAUSE OF HIS AGITATION AGAINST VELASCO, HE WAS DETAINED/DISAPPEARED IN JULY 1975 AND WAS EXILED BY VELASCO IN AUGUST. HE RETURNED TO PERU SHORTLY AFTER MORALES BERMUDEZ ASSUMED POWER IN LATE 1975.

MURRUGARRA WAS A DELEGATE TO THE 1979 CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION. HE WAS A VP CANDIDATE IN THE 1980 PRESIDENTIAL ELECTIONS ON THE UDP TICKET. THE UDP DID POORLY, BUT MURRUGARRA WAS ELECTED SENATOR. IN 1984 HE JOINED THE PUM. HE WON REELECTION TO THE SENATE IN 1985 AND 1990. HE IS THE AUTHOR OF THREE BOOKS.

MURRUGARRY SPEAKS FRENCH AND SOME ENGLISH. HE WAS AN IV TO THE U.S. IN 1989, PARTICIPATING IN A PROGRAM IN GRASS ROOTS DEMOCRACY. UPON HIS RETURN TO STATED TO AMBASSADOR WATSON THAT THE VISIT HAD "CHANGED HIM." HE LATER TOLD ME THAT NEITHER HE NOR ANY OTHER PERUVIAN REALLY UNDERSTOOD HOW LOCAL DEMOCRACY CAN WORK. THE VISIT TAUGHT HIM MORE THAN 50 YEARS OF PARTICIPATION IN COMMUNIST MOVEMENTS, HE SAID.

SHORTLY AFTER HIS RETURN HE JOINED WITH THE IU MODERATES WHO BROKE AND FORMED THE SOCIALIST ACCORD, LATER KNOWN AS THE SOCIALIST LEFT. I CONSIDER MURRUGARRA MY FRIEND AND JUDGE HIS "EVOLUTION" TO THE RIGHT TO BE SINCERE. HE NOW REGULARLY ACCEPTS INVITATIONS TO THE EMBASSY. A PVO HE SPONSORS IS WORKING WITH HERNANDO DE SOTO'S ILD IN LIMA'S FASTEST GROWING SLUM, HUAYCAN.

MURRUGARRA AND HIS STAFF REMAIN VERY ACTIVE IN SOCIAL CAUSES, ESPECIALLY IN THE SLUMS OF LIMA. THOUGH CHAIRMAN OF THE REGIONALIZATION COMMITTEE, HE PRIVATELY ADMITS THAT THE PROCESS IS A MESS, CREATING A NEW LEVEL OF BUREAUCRACY WITHOUT REALLY DECENTRALIZING THE GOP. NOT KNOWN AS A DEEP THINKER, HE IS NEVERTHELESS WELL LIKED BY HIS COLLEAGUES AND RESPECTED FOR HIS WORK ETHIC.

THE SENATOR IS MARRIED TO VICTORIA VILLANUEVA WHO, IN DEFIANCE OF LATIN CUSTOMS, CONTINUES TO USE HER MAIDEN NAME. VICTORIA IS DEDICATED TO FEMINIST CAUSES IN PERU AND IS A FOUNDER/MEMBER OF THE MANUELA

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RAMOS MOVEMENT WHICH PROMOTES WOMEN'S CAUSES, INCLUDING DEVELOPMENT AND TRAINING FOR WOMEN IN POORER NEIGHBORHOODS. EDMUNDO AND VICTORIA HAVE THREE CHILDREN.

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5.

MICHEL AZCUETA

MICHEL AZCUETA IS BEST KNOWN AS THE MAN WHO CREATED VILLA EL SALVADOR, THE SLUM TOWN TEN MILES SOUTH OF LIMA WHICH NOW HAS 350,000 INHABITANTS. HE WAS ITS FIRST AND ONLY MAYOR UNTIL HE DECIDED NOT TO RUN FOR REELECTION IN THE NOVEMBER 1989 MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

AT THAT TIME HE RAN FOR VICE MAYOR OF LIMA WITH HENRY PEASE RUNNING FOR MAYOR. THEY CAME IN A DISTANT FOURTH BEHIND WINNER, INDEPENDENT RICHARD BELMONT. AZCUETA NOW SITS ON THE LIMA CITY COUNCIL. AZCUETA IS A MEMBER OF PEASE'S MAS COALITION, A GROUP OF CHRISTIAN LEFTISTS. AZCUETA IS A DEVOTE CATHOLIC WHO ONCE CONSIDERED ENTERING THE PRIESTHOOD.

THOUGH ANOTHER SITS IN HIS OLD BURGOMASTER'S CHAIR, AZCUETA STILL IS CLEARLY THE MOST INFLUENTIAL FIGURE IN VILLA. HE HEADS WHAT HE CALLS THE "PEOPLES ORGANIZATION" (ORGANISACION POPULAR). THIS IS THE SUPERVISORY COMMITTEE FOR THE ZONAL AND NEIGHBORHOOD COMMITTEES OF VILLA. IT IS ESSENTIALLY A PARALLEL ORGANIZATION TO THE ELECTED DISTRICT MUNICIPAL LEADERSHIP. AZCUETA HAS THIS THING ABOUT PARTISAN POLITICS. THOUGH HE HAS PLAYED THEM FOR SIX YEARS, HE CLAIMS THAT SECRET VOTING CREATES PARTY POLITICS WHICH CAN NEVER BE PURELY DEMOCRATIC. THE ONLY PURE DEMOCRACY, HE CLAIMS, COMES FROM SELECTION BY CONSENSUS, IN OPEN DISCUSSION AND DEBATE.

VILLA EL SALVADOR HAS BECOME A SHOWCASE OF COMMUNITY SELF-HELP IN PERU. THERE ARE FEW WEEKS AZCUETA DOES NOT TAKE SOME INTERNATIONAL VISITOR AROUND HIS SLUM. HE WAS AN ACTIVE PROMOTER OF VILLA WHILE HE SERVED AS PRESIDENT OF THE INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MAYORS.

AZCUETA IS A WORK-OBSESSIVE TO THE EXTENT THAT I AM CONVINCED HE IS ON HIS WAY TO A PREMATURE DEATH. HE SMOKES HEAVILY AND REGULARLY WORKS 18 HOUR DAYS. AZCUETA IS NOT MARRIED. THE MOST INFLUENTIAL WOMAN IN HIS LIFE IS HIS SISTER. THERE HAS BEEN SOME OPEN PRESS SPECULATION AS TO WHY HE HAS NOT MARRIED. HE

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IS ONE OF A NUMBER OF UNMARRIED, PROMINENT PERUVIAN LEFTISTS (AZCUETA, BARRANTES, PEASE, ETC.)

IN ADDITION TO HIS OBSESSION WITH WORK, AZCUETA IS AN AMATEUR UFO WATCHER. HE CLAIMS TO HAVE HAD SEVERAL "CLOSE ENCOUNTERS" AS A YOUTH. THIS IS NOT A JOKING MATTER WITH HIM. HE HAS DISCUSSED HIS UFO EXPERIENCE WITH THE PRESS.

AZCUETA ACCEPTED AN IVP IN 1989/90, BUT FOLLOWING THE U.S. INVASION OF PANAMA WAS INSTRUCTED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE IU TO DECLINE THE GRANT. HE SUBMITTED TO THE PARTY AND CANCELLED HIS TRIP THREE DAYS PRIOR TO HIS SCHEDULED DEPARTURE. AZCUETA SPEAKS VERY LITTLE ENGLISH.

6.

SENATOR JOSE BARBA CABALLERO

JOSE BARBA IS A FIERY APRA INDEPENDENT, KNOWN FOR OCCASIONALLY TAKING ON THE APRA LEADERSHIP, ESPECIALLY ALAN GARCIA. HE WAS BORN IN SAN PEDRO DE LLOC, LA LIBERTAD (APRA-LAND) ON NOVEMBER 9, 1951. HE GRADUATED FROM SAN MARTIN DE PORRAS UNIVERSITY IN 1977 WITH A DOCTOR OF LAW DEGREE. HE HAS BEEN A MEMBER OF APRA SINCE HIS YOUTH AND SERVED AS INTERNATIONAL COORDINATOR FOR APRA IN 1980 AND SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE APRA YOUTH IN 1982.

HE WAS ELECTED TO THE HOUSE OF DEPUTIES IN 1985 AT AGE 34 AND TO THE SENATE IN 1990. HE IS A MEMBER OF THE LIMA BAR ASSOCIATION.

JOSE BARBA IS THE AUTHOR OF A DOZEN BOOKS, MANY DEALING WITH APRA. THOUGH HE IS CONSIDERED A MEMBER OF THE PARTY'S MODERATE WING, HIS WRITTEN DEFENSES OF APRA FOUNDER HAYA DE LA TORRE HAVE BEEN STRIDENT. TWO OF HIS BOOKS, "DEFENSE OF APRISMO" AND "APRISMO AND MARXISM" TAKE ON THE UNLIKELY TASK OF ATTEMPTING TO SHOW THERE WERE NO MARXIST ROOTS IN APRA AND THAT HAYA DE LA TORRE WAS NOT A MARXIST.

BARBA'S INDEPENDENCE HAS GOTTEN HIM INTO TROUBLE A

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NUMBER OF TIMES INSIDE APRA. HE IS VERY CRITICAL OF GARCIA. UNLIKE OTHERS, HE DISAGREED WITH GARCIA WHILE THE LATTER WAS STILL PRESIDENT. BARBA WAS DISCIPLINED FOR AGREEING THAT GARCIA SHOULD

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RELINQUISH HIS PARLIAMENTARY IMMUNITY AND SUBMIT HIMSELF TO THE COURTS FOR INVESTIGATION OF ALLEGED ILLICIT ENRICHMENT WHILE IN OFFICE.

BARBA COMPLETED TWO IVPS TO THE U.S. IN 1982 AND IN 1991. HIS 1982 PROGRAM FOCUSED ON LABOR ISSUES. BARBA IS MARRIED. APART FROM HIS OUTSPOKENNESS, BARBA'S TRADEMARK IS HIS EVER-PRESENT CIGAR.

7.

ALFONSO PANIZO ZARIQUEY

ALFONSO PANIZO IS CURRENTLY THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE DEVELOPMENT OFFICE OF THE ARCHBISHOP OF LIMA (ICAL). THIS OFFICE IS THE UMBRELLA ORGANIZATION WHICH COORDINATES ALL OF THE CHURCH'S SOCIAL SERVICES PROGRAMS IN PERU.

PANIZO WAS CHAIRMAN OF THE COMANDO CONJUNTO AND CHIEF OF THE NAVY UNTIL HE WAS FIRED BY FUJIMORI FROM BOTH JOBS ON JULY 28, 1990, FUJIMORI'S INAUGURATION DAY. HE BLAMES VLADIMIRO MONTESINOS. PANIZO HAS NEVER MET MONTESINOS BUT CLAIMS THAT MONTESINOS WAS SUPPORTING A GROUP OF CORRUPT ADMIRALS HE (PANIZO) WAS TRYING TO KICK OUT OF THE SERVICE. AFTER FUJIMORI'S ELECTION, BUT BEFORE THE INAUGURATION, PANIZO CLAIMS TO HAVE BEEN ASSURED BY FIRST VP-ELECT SAN ROMAN THAT HE WOULD BE RETAINED IN HIS POSITION. HE WAS NOT. PANIZO WAS NAMED COMMANDER GENERAL OF THE NAVY ON JANUARY 1, 1990. PANIZO WAS ALSO IMPLICATED IN A RAKE-OFF SCANDAL INVOLVING THE PURCHASE OF MILITARY HARDWARE. FEW GIVE THE ACCUSATIONS AGAINST HIM ANY CREDIBILITY. PANIZO IS VIEWED AS ONE OF THE MOST HONEST MEN IN THE MILITARY. A FORMER ADVERSARY, MIGUEL ECHEANDEA, WHO WAS THE HEAD OF THE CALLAO DOCK WORKERS UNION, TOLD US THAT WHEN THE DOCK WORKERS GAVE CHRISTMAS PRESENTS TO THE VARIOUS ADMIRALS AND OWNERS OF PRIVATE FLEETS, PANIZO WOULD REFUSE HIS ON ETHICAL GROUNDS. ECHEANDEA DESCRIBES PANIZO AS ANTI-LABOR, BUT SCRUPULOUSLY HONEST..

ALFONSO PANIZO IS 57 AND MARRIED. HE SPEAKS EXCELLENT ENGLISH.

8.

PIEDAD PAREJA PFLUCKER DE GATTI

IN MY JUDGMENT PIEDAD PAREJA AND HER HUSBAND, ALDO GATTI, ARE THE BEST POLITICAL RESEARCHERS IN PERU.

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PIEDAD IS THE AUTHOR OF AT LEAST SIX BOOKS, THREE ON THE LABOR MOVEMENT IN PERU AND THREE ON VIOLENCE AND THE MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS. PIEDAD AND ALDO HAVE COMPILED THE ONLY RELIABLE STATISTICS ON THE 1989 NATIONWIDE MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS. IN AUGUST 1991 THE NATIONAL ELECTION COMMISSION, IN A FORMAL SESSION, ISSUED A DECREE APPLAUDING THE TWO FOR THEIR WORK, AND OFFERED THEM UNOBSTRUCTED ACCESS TO JNE RECORDS.

PIEDAD COMES FROM A WEALTHY LIMA FAMILY. HER FATHER OWNED A COPPER MINE IN CANARIA, A REMOTE VILLAGE 100 KILOMETERS SOUTH OF AYACUCHO CITY. SHE STUDIED LAW AND HISTORY AT CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY WHERE SHE WAS ACTIVE IN LEFTIST CAUSES. SHE WAS CONSIDERED ONE OF THE UNIVERSITY'S BRIGHTEST FEMALE STUDENTS EVER. FROM THE MID-70S TO 1979 SHE WAS ON THE FACULTY AT THE NATIONAL AGRARIAN UNIVERSITY. IN 1979, AT AGE 29, HER FATHER APPOINTED HER DIRECTOR GENERAL OF THE CANARIA MINE.

THUS, PIEDAD WAS LIVING AND WORKING IN AYACUCHO TO WITNESS THE BIRTH OF SENDERO LUMINOSO. HER MINE WAS ONE OF SL'S EARLY TARGETS. INFILTRATED BY SL, THE MINERS DECLARED A STRIKE THAT EVENTUALLY BANKRUPTED THE MINE. PIEDAD STATES THAT SHE TRIED IN VAIN TO CONVINCE THE GOP THAT SENDERO WAS A SINISTER AND DANGEROUS MOVEMENT. SHE WAS SO FRUSTRATED WITH THE GOP'S DISINTEREST THAT SHE AUTHORED "TERRORISM AND SINDICALISM IN AYACUCHO IN 1980." SHE STATES THAT THE BOOK INFURIATED HER LEFTISTS FRIENDS WHO DISAVOWED THE BOOK, CLAIMING THAT SHE HAD BETRAYED LEFTIST IDEALS. SHE DESCRIBES FORMER FRIENDS (INCLUDING WILMA DERPICH) REFUSING TO PARTICIPATE IN

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POLITICAL PANELS IN WHICH SHE WAS A PARTICIPANT. AT THE TIME, THE LEGAL LEFT WAS NOT CRITICIZING SL.

THIS COUPLE'S RESEARCH IS SERIOUS, SCIENTIFIC, AND NON-SENSATIONALIST. THEY VIEW WITH DISDAIN THE ANALYTICAL SKILLS OF GORRITI (WHOM THEY DESCRIBE AS A DECENT JOURNALIST) AND THE RESEARCH OF DESCO. THEY DESCRIBE THE LATTER AS NOT ONLY SLOPPY, BUT ALSO AT TIMES MAKING UP DATA TO FILL IN INCOMPLETE CHARTS. GORRITI USED PIEDAD AS ONE OF HIS PRINCIPAL SOURCES FOR VOLUME ONE OF HIS SOON TO BE TRILOGY ON SL. IN 1989 THE EMBASSY CONTRACTED WITH THESE TWO A STUDY ON THE 1989 MUNICIPAL AND 1990 PARLIAMENTARY AND PRESIDENTIAL ELECTIONS. THE WORK WAS EXCELLENT, HAS BEEN DISTRIBUTED IN WASHINGTON AND IS ON FILE IN THE

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