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TAGS: PHUM, PINS, MILI, PE, GT
SUBJECT: GUATEMALAN FONMIN QUESTIONS ABOUT PRISON
RIOTS IN PERU

REF: GUATEMALA 6896

1. [REDACTED] - ENTIRE TEXT.
2. REFTEL INQUIRED WHETHER WE COULD SHED SOME LIGHT ON GUATEMALAN FONMIN QUINONES' INFORMATION THAT A PERUVIAN ADMIRAL HAD MASTERMINDED RECAPTURE OF LIMA PRISONS JUNE 18-19 THAT LEFT OVER 200 INMATES DEAD. PERUVIAN MILITARY REMAINS VERY TIGHTLIPPED ON PRISON EVENTS. HOWEVER, IT IS A MATTER OF RECORD THAT PRESIDENT GARCIA GAVE THE MILITARY OVERALL COMMAND FOR THE PRISON OPERATIONS. IT IS ALSO PUBLIC KNOWLEDGE THAT ARMY GENERAL RABANAL COMMANDED THE MILITARY/POLICE FORCES THAT RETOOK LURIGANCHO PRISON, WHERE ABOUT 100 PRISONERS REPORTEDLY WERE EXECUTED SUMMARILY; THIS MAY HAVE GENERATED QUINONES' IMPRESSION THAT A HIGH-RANKING OFFICER WAS IMPLICATED. NAVY ANGLE MAY HAVE

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RESULTED FROM REPORTS IN MARXIST PRESS PRIOR TO PRISON

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RIOTS THAT THE NAVY HAD PREPARED A PLAN TO ENTER AND
SUBDUE TERRORIST INMATES AT FRONTON PRISON; WE CANNOT
CONFIRM THIS REPORT.

3. THE CONTROVERSIAL HANDLING OF THE PRISON RIOTS
HAS LED TO THE RESIGNATIONS OF THE JUSTICE MINISTER AND
THE PRISON INSTITUTE DIRECTOR, AS WELL AS THE RELIEVING
OF COMMAND OF THE CHIEF OF THE GUARDIA REPUBLICANA POLICE
FORCE. THERE IS NO WORD YET ON WHICH MEMBERS OF THE
MILITARY, IF ANY, MAY STEP DOWN. JORDAN

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