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FOR AMBASSADOR KIRKPATRICK FROM NEGROPONTE

1. ~~CONFIDENTIAL~~ - ENTIRE TEXT
2. Sorry that our May 4 phone conversation was cut off owing to city-wide power failure. Regrettably, I did not know how to reach you in San Francisco afterwards.
3. Nonetheless, the few moments discussion we had was sufficient for me to grasp gist of concerns which prompted your call.
4. By now you will have seen a number of cables reflecting this Embassy's position and Doctor Suazo's concerns. I note that Tony Quinton is in agreement with our views.
5. Perhaps most distressing to me is actual wording of Costa Rican note to OAS which doesn't even make mention of Nicaraguan violations of Costa Rican territory. It is

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[an offer Nicaragua can hardly refuse. Costa Rica must
be running incredibly scared.]

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