TELEGRAM

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SUBJECT:
12065: XDS-2 7/6/02 (NEGROPONTE, John D.) OR-M
PINT, PGOV, XK
JULY 6 CADC MEETING

ACTION:
SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE

INFO:
AM EMBASSY GUATEMALA IMMEDIATE
AM EMBASSY MANAGUA IMMEDIATE
AM EMBASSY PANAMA IMMEDIATE
AM EMBASSY SAN JOSE IMMEDIATE
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REF:
(A) STATE 186106; (B) SAN SALVADOR 5578

1. [Redacted] ENTIRE TEXT

2. SUMMARY: GOH has been provided a translation of draft declaration contained refel A. Upon receipt refel B
Ambassador called President Suazo to ensure that Paz Barnica planning to go to Salvador. Embassy has confirmed Paz
DCM Barnica departure for Salvador morning July 6. END SUMMARY.

3. Accompanied by Political Counselor, Ambassador
presented translation of draft declaration contained refel A in separate meetings to Foreign Minister Paz Barnica
and President Suazo on July 5. Both Paz Barnica and Suazo
read proposed draft in presence of Ambassador and clearly
understood its implications. They were non-committal as to whether they were prepared to adopt specific language singling out Nicaragua. They did both, however, ask if Foreign Minister Volio was in possession of similar draft. Ambassador replied that our Ambassador in San Jose had received instructions to make similar demarche.

4. Meeting with Paz Barnica was very matter of fact. Meeting with Dr. Suazo was somewhat more animated and took place in context of his outrage over blowing up of Tegucigalpa electric distribution system on evening July 4. Ambassador arrived just as Dr. Suazo had completed two and one-half hour meeting with General Alvarez and other top military commanders.