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EL SALVADOR: GOVERNMENT EXPECTS NEW CONTACT WITH KIDNAPPERS

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SAN SALVADOR EL MUNDO IN SPANISH 2 OCT 85 P 3

((TEXT)) THE GOVERNMENT EXPECTS NEW CONTACT WITH THE KIDNAPPERS OF INES GUADALUPE DUARTE AFTER GRANTING ABSOLUTE AMNESTY TO THE COSTA RICAN PILOT, JULIO SANTIAGO ROMERO TALAVERA, WHO HAD BEEN SENTENCED TO 25 YEARS IN PRISON BY A COURT MARTIAL ON CHARGES OF TERRORISM.

THE OFFICIAL SOURCES ARE OBSERVING ABSOLUTE SILENCE REGARDING THIS CASE, MENTIONING THE REASONS FOR THE AMNESTY AS THE REPEATED EFFORTS BY COSTA RICAN PRESIDENT LUIS ALBERTO MONGE AND OTHER ORGANIZATIONS ON BEHALF OF TALAVERA. OTHER SOURCES, HOWEVER, REVEALED THAT TALAVERA IS ONE OF THE PEOPLE SOUGHT BY THE KIDNAPPERS, MEMBERS OF THE "PEDRO PABLO CASTILLO" FRONT

THE GOVERNMENT DENIES ANY NEGOTIATIONS, BUT ADMITS THERE ARE CONTACTS. THE COMMUNICATIONS MINISTER, JULIO ADOLFO REY PRENDES, TOLD REPORTERS THAT ACCORDING TO A NEWS AGENCY, THE LATEST CONTACT WAS MADE ON 20 SEPTEMBER.

OTHER CIRCLES REVEALED THAT THE KIDNAPPERS ARE DEMANDING THE RELEASE OF 33 PRISONERS. BUT THAT THE GOVERNMENT HAS NOT ENTERED INTO ANY NEGOTIATION BECAUSE, NOT HAVING THE LIST OF THE PEOPLE WANTED BY THE KIDNAPPERS, IT HAS BEEN UNABLE TO DETERMINE WHO ARE ACTUALLY SUBJECT TO MILITARY COURTS OR WHAT THEIR SITUATION IS.

COMMENTING ON THE KIDNAPPERS, REY PRENDES SAID THEY DO NOT BELONG TO THE EXTREME RIGHT OR ANY DISSIDENT GROUP OF THE FMLN, SUCH AS THE "CLARA ELIZABETH RAMIREZ FRONT."

REY PRENDES SHOWED THE REPORTERS A LEAFLET FOUND PASTED ON THE WALLS OF SOME BUILDINGS OF CHALATENANGO TOWNS SUCH AS COMALAPA AND LA LAGUNA, REFERRING TO THE PEDRO PABLO CASTILLO FRONT, WHICH IS BELIEVED TO BELONG TO THE FMLN, WHICH HAS BEEN DENIED.

MEANWHILE, THE PRESIDENT OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY'S PARDON COMMITTEE, DEPUTY RICARDO EDUARDO BURGOS, SAID THE COMMITTEE IS STUDYING AN AMNESTY PROJECT SUBMITTED BY THE COMMITTEE OF MOTHERS OF PRISONERS AND MISSING POLITICAL ACTIVISTS.

THE KIDNAPPING OF INES GUADALUPE DUARTE DURAN AND HER FRIEND, ANA CECILIA VILLEDAS, WILL BE A MONTH OLD ON 10 OCTOBER AS THE ABDUCTION TOOK PLACE ON 10 SEPTEMBER.

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