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COUNTRY GUATEMALA  
SUBJECT ARRIVAL OF AREVALO IN GUATEMALA

REPORT NO. [REDACTED] ONDY-SMITH

DATE DISTR. 29 MARCH 1963 BELK

PRECEDENCE PRIORITY BURRIS

REFERENCES EO 12958 3.4(b)(1)-25Yrs IN FIELD MAN 97363

DATE OF INFO. 29 MARCH 1963

PLACE & DATE ACQ. APPRAISAL [REDACTED]

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1. JUAN JOSE AREVALO BERMEJO ARRIVED IN GUATEMALA CLANDESTINELY ON 28 OR 29 MARCH 1963. HE IS IN HIDING OUTSIDE OF GUATEMALA CITY AND WILL PROBABLY REMAIN IN HIDING UNTIL THE STATE OF SIEGE HAS BEEN LIFTED.

2. THE AREVALISTS ARE PLANNING TO ABIDE BY THE REGULATIONS OF THE STATE OF SIEGE AND DO THEIR PART TO MAINTAIN PEACE AND ORDER. THEY DO NOT PLAN TO HAVE ANY KIND OF PUBLIC DEMONSTRATION UNTIL AFTER THE STATE OF SIEGE.

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3. [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] 29 MARCH [REDACTED] AREVALO HAD ARRIVED IN GUATEMALA AND WAS IN HIDING, PROBABLY ON SOME FINCA IN THE SOUTH COAST AREA.

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[REDACTED] AREVALO'S ARRIVAL WAS POSSIBLE ONLY BECAUSE THERE IS AN UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN AREVALO AND PRESIDENT YDIGORAS, WHO PERMITTED AREVALO'S RETURN AND WILL PERMIT HIS PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDACY IN ORDER TO SPLIT THE OPPOSITION TO THE OFFICIAL CANDIDATE, ROBERTO ALEJOS.

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4. [REDACTED] DISSEM: STATE ARMY AIR CINCLANT CINCARIB.

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