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1. [REDACTED] JULY 1973 [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] EXPLAINED TO SEVERAL MEMBERS OF THE PCB/S  
CENTRAL COMMITTEE IN EXILE THE VIEWS OF THE PCCH ON THE CURRENT  
POLITICAL SITUATION IN CHILE. [REDACTED] OBTAINED HIS INFORMATION  
IN TALKS WITH PCCH CENTRAL COMMITTEE MEMBER [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] DURING THE WEEK OF 23-27 JULY.

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2. [REDACTED] THAT PCCH LEADERS BELIEVE THERE IS A  
STRONG LIKELIHOOD OF VIOLENT CONFRONTATION, FOMENTED BY THE  
OPPOSITION, BETWEEN THE POPULAR UNITY (UP) AND THE OPPOSITION  
DURING THE MONTH OF AUGUST. THE PCCH BELIEVES THAT THE  
REACTIONARY FORCES WILL COUNT ON THE NAVY AND SEGMENTS OF THE

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MARINES AND THE AIR FORCE TO LEAD A VIOLENT ATTACK ON THE GOVERNMENT. IT IS THE PCCH'S ANALYSIS THAT THE ARMY, THE CARABINEROS, AND THE DI WILL REMAIN LOYAL TO THE GOVERNMENT IF A CONFRONTATION OCCURS. [REDACTED] COMMENT: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] INDICATED THE PCCH CENTRAL COMMITTEE BELIEVED 40 TO 42 PERCENT OF THE ARMY WOULD SUPPORT THE GOVERNMENT IN THE EVENT OF A COUP D'ETAT ATTEMPT. [REDACTED] .)

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3. THE PCB/S ANALYSIS IS THAT THE PCCH VIEWS THE DEATH OF NAVAL CAPTAIN ARTURO A R A Y A ON 26 JULY AND THE CURRENT STRIKE BY THE TRUCK OWNERS AS AN ESCALATION WHICH WILL LEAD TO THE VIOLENCE. MEMBERS OF THE PCB/S YOUTH WING (JCB/S) IN SANTIAGO HAVE REPORTED THAT PCCH MEMBERS IN THE SUMAR FACTORY ARE ASSISTING IN THE MANUFACTURE OF MOLOTOV COCKTAILS, AS ARE THE JCB/S MEMBERS. THE PCB/S HAVE ALSO REPORTED THAT SIMILAR FABRICATION OF MOLOTOV COCKTAILS IS OCCURING THROUGHOUT ALL FACTORIES CONTROLLED BY U.P. FORCES. INSTRUCTIONS BEING GIVEN ARE THAT THE MOLOTOV COCKTAILS ARE FOR USE IN STREET FIGHTING SITUATIONS. [REDACTED] COMMENT: [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED], THE PCCH MADE AN EVALUATION OF THEIR ONGOING  
PARAMILITARY TRAINING PROGRAM ON OR ABOUT 23 JULY FROM WHICH  
THEY CONCLUDED THE PARTICIPANTS WERE WELL TRAINED AND READY  
FOR ACTION AT ANY MOMENT. THE OFFICIAL PCCH LINE REMAINS THAT  
THIS GROUP HAS BEEN CREATED FOR DEFENSIVE PURPOSES ONLY. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], THAT THIS COULD INCLUDE A PRE-EMPTIVE  
ATTACK IF THE PCCH THOUGHT ANTI-GOVERNMENT ACTION WAS IMMINENT.

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

4. [REDACTED]

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COMMENT: [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
5. [REDACTED]  
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6. THE PCCH HAS RECEIVED AID FROM SOCIALISTS COUNTRIES IN THE PROPAGANDA FIELD AND WILL SOON BE READY TO INITIATE THE OPERATION OF NEW EQUIPMENT FOR THE "EL SIGLO" NEWSPAPER AND FOR RADIO STATION "LUIS EMILIO RECARBARREN." "EL SIGLO" HAS RECEIVED NEW HIGH SPEED PRESSES AND RELATED EQUIPMENT FROM EAST GERMANY, WHICH ARE NOW IN THE FINAL STAGES OF INSTALLATION. WITH THIS NEW EQUIPMENT "EL SIGLO" IS TO HAVE ONE OF THE MOST MODERN PRINTING FACILITIES IN CHILE. NEW TRANSMITTING EQUIPMENT WILL ENABLE RADIO STATION "LUIS EMILIO RECARBARREN" TO INCREASE

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ITS SIGNAL STRENGTH TO 50,000 WATTS (50 KW). THIS WILL MAKE  
THE STATION ONE OF THE LARGEST AND STRONGEST IN SIGNAL STRENGTH  
IN CHILE.

7. [REDACTED]  
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