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1. ON [REDACTED] 17 MARCH 1970, LEADERS OF THE LEFTIST REVOLUTIONARY MOVEMENT (MIR) SAID THAT THEY HAVE PLANS TO KIDNAP AN OFFICIAL OF THE AMERICAN EMBASSY IN ORDER TO EXCHANGE HIM FOR SERGIO ZORRILLA, A MIR LEADER CAPTURED ON 15 MARCH. THE MIR LEADERS SPECIFICALLY MEN-

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TIONED THE AMBASSADOR AS THE TARGET OF THE KIDNAPPING ATTEMPT  
BUT ADMITTED THAT THEY MIGHT HAVE TO SEIZE A DIFFERENT HIGH EM-  
BASSY OFFICIAL INSTEAD. THE LEADERS SAID THAT THEY ARE UNDER  
TREMENDOUS PRESSURE AS A RESULT OF ZORRILLA'S ARREST AND WANT  
HIM FREED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

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