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SUBJECT: LATIN AMERICA BRIEF [REDACTED] FOR 05 SEPTEMBER 1985.

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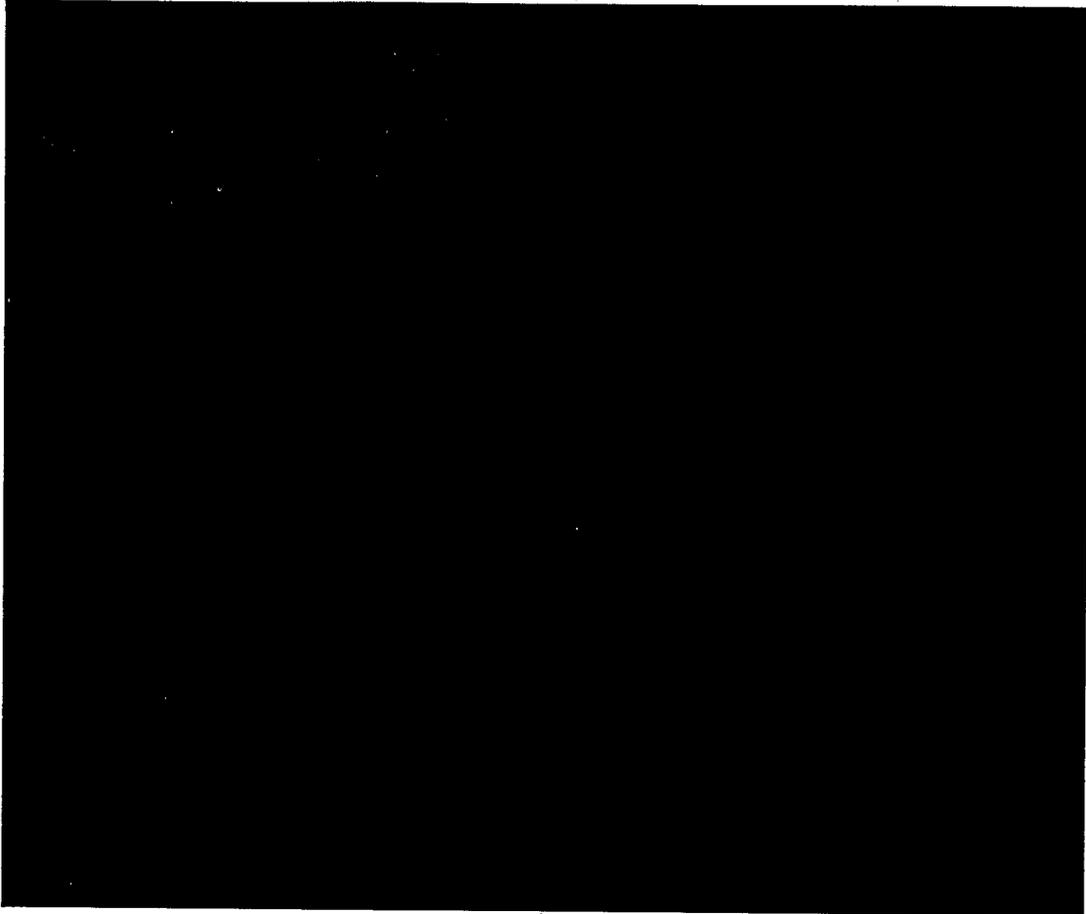
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3. CHILE: DISRUPTIVE DEMONSTRATIONS

//THE PROTESTS YESTERDAY, MAINLY LED BY THE COMMUNISTS, BEGAN WITH NUMEROUS BOMBINGS IN MAJOR CITIES, ACCORDING TO PRESS REPORTS. DEMONSTRATORS BURNED SEVERAL BUSES AND SKIRMISHED WITH THE SECURITY FORCES IN DOWNTOWN SANTIAGO, AT SEVERAL UNIVERSITIES, AND IN OUTLYING SLUMS. THERE WAS ONE DEATH, ONLY A FEW INJURIES, AND ABOUT 150 ARRESTS. PUBLIC TRANSIT WAS DISRUPTED, MOST BUSINESSES CLOSED EARLY, AND SCHOOL ATTENDANCE WAS MINIMAL. PRESIDENT PINOCHET, IN A MIDDAY SPEECH, THREATENED HARSHER MEASURES IF PROTESTS GET OUT OF HAND. MEANWHILE, MODERATE OPPOSITION LEADERS, WHO HAD CALLED FOR

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NONVIOLENCE, KICKED OFF A PETITION-SIGNING DRIVE IN FAVOR OF THEIR  
RECENT NATIONAL ACCORD URGING AN EARLY RETURN TO DEMOCRACY.// [REDACTED]

COMMENT: //THIS WAS THE MOST DISRUPTIVE DEMONSTRATION IN CHILE  
SINCE LAST YEAR, AND THE COMMUNISTS, WHO WERE EXCLUDED FROM THE  
MODERATES' NATIONAL ACCORD, PROBABLY ARE ENCOURAGED BY THE  
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