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ROUTINE

TO: SLINC

INFO: SQUAT, [ ]

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RYBAT PBSUCCESS

1. AS MEANS RIDICULE GUAT GOVT GREAT FRICTION GUAT/MEXI AND AID  
CARRY OUT OBJECTIVE PBSUCCESS THIS PHASE, FOLLOWING OPS SUGGESTED:

A. FOR SQUAT: FARMERS NOT YET AFFECTED BY KUGOWN PROPAGANDA.

HAVE ESSENCE GROUP SPREAD RUMOR THROUGH MARKET WOMEN THAT GUAT GOVT HAS  
BEEN IMPORTING FROM MEXICO AND SELLING IN LOCAL MARKETS (WOMEN IN GUAT  
CITY SAY DONE IN "ESQUINTLA". "ESQUINTLA" WOMEN SAY DONE IN GUAT, ETC.),  
PIGS HAVING HOOF AND MOUTH DISEASE. ALL PIGS IN SEVERAL PROVINCES, SUCH  
AS "ESQUINTLA" AND OTHER REPRESENTED BY COMMIE/LEFTIST DELEGATES, ARE  
THOUGHT TO HAVE "H & M" AND GUAT GOVT THINKING SLAUGHTERING ALL PIGS IN  
SAID PROVINCES.

B. FOR [ ] THROUGH [ ], PLANT STORY LOCAL PRESS THAT

CARLOS MANUEL PALLEGER MADE VIGOROUS PROTEST RE DISEASED MEXICAN PIGS  
IN PROVINCE "ESQUINTLA", ACCUSE MEXICANS OF PURPOSELY SENDING DISEASED  
ANIMALS. MEXI PRESS COMPARE THIS TO FAMOUS "POTATO BUG" STORIES AND  
OTHER COMMIE ACCUSATIONS.

C. AFTER PARA B OP PRINTED, [ ] HAVE ITS CARTOONIST PREPARE

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CARTOONS SEND DELEGATIONS OAS AND WA KEY NEWSPAPERS. CARTOONS BE FOLDED TYPE. OUTSIDE COVER SAY "GUAT ACCUSES". INSIDE: PELLEGER AND ARBENZ WITH MAGNIFYING GLASS STARING AT PIG LABELED "FROM MEXICO"; HORROR ON ARBENZ' FACE. PELLEGER SHAKING FIST AT MEXICO AND YELLING "PLOT!". BELOW CARTOON, SHORT TEXT RE PARA 1B ABOVE. COPIES TO LINC AND/HQS.

D. [ ] TO CABLE HQS WHEN ACTION TAKEN.

2. IF LINC APPROVES ABOVE, CABLE CONCURRENCE SGUAT [ ]

END OF MESSAGE

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