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1. FOR KUGOWN EXPLOITATION: FOLLOWING DIRECT QUOTE RADIO TGWB, OFFICIAL GUAT RADIO NIGHT 19 JUNE: "OUR NATION NOT INVOLVED IN POLITICAL PARTY STRUGGLE, BUT WITH ARMED AGGRESSION OF FOREIGNERS. . . WE CALL FOREIGNERS THOSE WHO UP TO YESTERDAY CALLED THEMSELVES GUATS."

2. ABOVE IS VERY DAMAGING GOVT ADMISSION THAT REBELLION IS BY AND FOR GUATEMALANS.

3. IN VIEW FORMIN TORIELLO CLAIMING GUAT INVADED BY "FOREIGNERS", LIES ABOUT BOMBING, ETC. IT SUGGESTED THAT [] PUSH FOLLOWING AS MUCH SECURELY POSSIBLE: IN ADDITION LAST DE:

A. ATROCITIES BEING COMMITTED BY GUAT GOVT COMMIES. HUMORS: PART 1500 HOSTAGES SHOT; CHURCHES SURROUNDED BY GUARDS NOT LETTING FAITHFUL PRAY; COMMIE HORDES (CGTG & CNCG - LABOR AND CAMPESINO) BEING ARMED WHERE NECESSARY BY GOVT PARACHUTE DROPS AND ENCOURAGED CREATE TERROR; RECALL ATTACKS

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AGAINST ARCHBISHOP; MALTREATMENT PRESS; ETC. PEOPLE CLAIMED AS BOMBING CASUALTIES ARE DEAD ALL RIGHT -- WERE MURDERED BY GUARDIA CIVIL, HOUSE SET ON FIRE, HEAD LEFT TO ROAST.

B. STRESS THIS INDIGENOUS REBELLION: QUOTE: "RADIO DE LA LIBERACION", 19 JUNE 1900, "WE HAVE ONLY OBLIGATIONS TOWARD NATION WHICH WE WANT SEE FREE, SOVEREIGN AND INDEPENDENT . . . A TRUE DEMOCRACY WHERE RESPECT FOR RIGHTS OTHERS WILL ALLOW US LIVE PEACEFULLY. WE ARE ONES WHO CARRY TRUE BANNER NATIONAL SOVEREIGNTY. AS ON SEPT 15 1821 WE FREED OURSELVES FROM SPANISH THRONE, TODAY, WE CONSUMATING INDEPENDENCE -- FREEDOM FROM HAMMER AND SICKLE."

4. HQS TRYING ARRANGE DIRECT PRESS RELEASES FROM EJERCITO DE LA LIBERACION TO NEWSPAPERS THROUGHOUT SGRANGER. REQUEST YOU CABLE TWO NAMES ADDRESSES ANTI-COMMIE NEWSPAPERS TO DIR, INFO: SLING, [] SOONEST.

5. CONTINUE USE "OVERHEARD ON SHORTWAVE" AS PEG FOR STRAIGHT-NEWS OR RUMORS. FOR EDITORIALIZING USE LOCAL PRESS COVERAGE. USE PREVIOUSLY SUGGESTED TREATMENT IN EVENT "AMIGOS GUAT" ARE ACTIVE.

CABLE ANY INFO FEEL WILL AID KUGOWN EFFORTS

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