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SUBJ Venceremos Reports Rector's Assassination

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- 1 [Text] We have reports from the Salvadoran capital. Dr. Ignacio Ellacuria, a priest and rector of the Jose Simeon Canas University [formal name of the Central American university--fbis], has been assassinated by Roberto D'Aubuisson's death squads. We are trying to confirm this report, which just arrived in Radio Venceremos. Father Ignacio Ellacuria, rector of the Catholic university and a Jesuit, was assassinated by the death squads led by ARENA [Nationalist Revolutionary Alliance -- FBIS] and La Tandonia [reference to the 1966 graduating class of the Captain Gerardo Barrios Military Academy -- FBIS]. For years, Father Ellacuria has been the target of a campaign of threats and false accusations by the top military command, the newspaper EL DIARIO DE HOY, and ARENA.
- 2 We are trying to confirm this report. However, according to the information we have received, he was machinegunned in his home. (endall)
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