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[REDACTED] MNR MEMBERS HAD REVIEWED [REDACTED] ISSUED A COMMUNIQUE STATING THE FOLLOWING:

"THE NATIONAL REVOLUTIONARY FRONT (NRF), MEMBER OF THE REVOLUTIONARY DEMOCRATIC FRONT (FRONTE REVOLUCIONARIO DEMOCRATICO) CONSIDERS IT IMPORTANT TO NOTE THE FOLLOWING, WITH RESPECT TO THE EVENTS OF THE 19TH OF THIS MONTH IN SAN SALVADOR:

1. FOR THE LAST FIVE YEARS IN EL SALVADOR THERE HAS BEEN A TRUE WAR WHICH HAS ITS ROOTS IN POLITICAL INJUSTICES AND IN AN EXCLUSIONARY AND REPRESSIVE SYSTEM WHICH PRACTICES STATE TERRORISM ON A MASSIVE SCALE--MORE THAN 60,000 ASSASSINATIONS THAT HAVE NOT BEEN INVESTIGATED OR PUNISHED GIVE EVIDENCE TO THAT.

2. IN THE FIGHT FOR PEACE, JUSTICE, AND DEMOCRACY, THE MNR REAFFIRMS ITS WILL TO REMAIN UNITED AND STRENGTHEN THE FRD/FMLN ALLIANCE, PRESERVING ITS AUTONOMY AND OWN IDENTITY.

3. PRECISELY BECAUSE OF THIS THE MNR NEITHER SHARES IN NOR APPROVES OF ALL THE ACTIONS WHICH ARE TAKEN BY SOME OF OUR ALLIES, AS IS THE CASE OF THE INCIDENT WHICH LAMENTABLY OCCURRED ON THE 19TH OF JUNE IN THE ZONA ROSA.

4. THIS SITUATION IS PRODUCED IN A CONTEXT OF GOVERNMENTAL VIOLENCE WHICH IS AN INDISPENSIBLE ELEMENT OF THE MILITARY PLAN OF COUNTER-INSURGENCY PROMOTED THROUGHOUT THIS COUNTRY THROUGH THE ASSISTANCE, ADVICE, AND INTERVENTION OF THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION, DEVELOPING A DIRTY WAR WHICH IS CONDEMNED BY THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY. THE ASSASSINATIONS OF THE NORTH AMERICAN AGRARIAN ADVISORS, OF THE NORTH AMERICAN NON-GOVERNMENTAL MEMBERS OF THE FOREIGN PRESS, ARCHBISHOP OSCAR A. (ROMERO), (FRANCISCO SALVAEZ) AND OTHER LEADERS OF THE FRD, AMONG THEM DON GUILLERMO ENRIQUE (BARRERA), HAVE NEITHER TRIGGERED NOR CAUSED A SERIOUS INVESTIGATION BY PRESIDENTS REAGAN AND QUARTE.

5. THE MNR IS FIRMLY CONVINCED THAT ONLY THROUGH DIALOGUE AND NEGOTIATION WILL PEACE BE ATTAINED AND ALLOWED TO PUT TO REST A WAR WHICH HAS BEEN IMPOSED UPON THE PEOPLE. AS A RESULT IT IS THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION AND THE GOVERNMENT OF QUARTE WHO ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE PROLONGATION OF THE POLITICAL-MILITARY CONFLICT WHICH BLOCKS DIALOGUE AND A POLITICAL SOLUTION.

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