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SOURCE Prominent Guatemalan who is out of sympathy with present tendencies of Guatemalan Government.

J. Edgardo VALENZUELA, Honduran Minister of Foreign Relations, and Robert CANESSA, Salvadoran Minister of Foreign Affairs, met in Mexico on 1 December while attending the inauguration of President RUIZ Cortines. VALENZUELA remarked that Honduras and El Salvador must prepare to take action against Guatemala. VALENZUELA asked CANESSA's permission to approach the Salvadoran Government on this matter. As a result, the Salvadoran Ambassador in Tegucigalpa has been instructed to continue these conversations with the Honduran Government.

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