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1. WHAT KUGOWN EXPLOITATION GIVEN ARELLANO PASTORAL LETTER?
2. HQS SUGGESTS [] GROUP PUBLICLY SUPPORT ARELLANO THRU NEWSPAPER

"OPEN LETTER TO ARBENZ", STATING, "MEXI CATHOLICS HAVE READ PASTORAL LETTER AND SADDENED SEE USSR INTERVENTION PROCEEDED EXTENT MENTIONED ARELLANO. HAVE WAITED SEE REACTION GUAT GOVT. IS TRAGEDY SEE GOVT WHICH DENIES COMMIE INFLUENCE, STANDING SILENTLY WHILE THE PRN, OFFICIAL GOVT PARTY, STATED THAT ARELLANO, BY ATTACKING COMMUNISM, IS ATTACKING GOVT. IS GUAT GOVT SO COWED BY COMMIES THAT IT FEARS BACK CHRISTIAN CRUSADE AGAINST ATHEIST COMMIES? ARE NEW MARTYRS TO CHRIST GOING TO BE MADE IN GUAT? ALL CATHOLICS SHOULD SUPPORT ARELLANO THROUGH LETTERS TO HIM AND LETTERS OF PROTESTS TO ARBENZ."

3. FURTHER SUGGEST GROUP PREPARE LETTERS OR FORM POST CARDS, DISTRIBUTE DAY AFTER "OPEN LETTER", AND ASSURE THAT SEVERAL HUNDRED ARE ~~XX~~ MAILED TO ARBENZ AND ARELLANO.

4. EABLE ACTION TAKEN AND AIRMAIL CLIPS, SAMPLES LETTERS, POSTCARDS TO HMMW 1382 PO BOX SOONEST. HQS WILL MAIL TWO COPIES EACH SAMPLE TO LINC.

5. FOR LINC: SUGGEST HAVE SYNCARP PUBLICATIONS PLAY UP ABOVE USING CLIPS MENTIONED IN PARA 4. THEN HAVE SYNCARP CLIPS MAILED FRASER BOX SOONEST.

6. COMMENTS INVITED.

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