## CLASSIFIED MESSAGE

DATE : 20 MAY 54

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## FOLLOWING FROM WSBURNT:

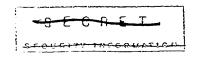
- 1. WHILE CROSSING BRIDGE 16 MILES OUT OF PTO. BARRIOS NEAR
  LILLAGE OF CASTENADA, TRAIN OF EIGHT CARS TEMPORARILY DELAYED DUE.

  EXPLOSION ON RAIL. TRAIN STOPPED IMMEDIATELY AND CREW EXAMINED

  RAILS FINDING ONE CHARGE EXPLOSIVE STILL UNEXPLODED ON ONE RAIL.

  SECOND CHARGE ON OTHER RAIL IS ONE WHICH CAUSED EXPLOSION. ONE

  EAIL SLIGHTLY SPLIT, ENDS THREE TIES BLOWN OFF. UNEXPLODED BOMB IN
  POSSESSION MINDEFENSE WHO ARRIVED AT SCENE SHORTLY AFTER EXPLOSION
  TO CONDUCT INVESTIGATION.
- 2. DAMAGE REPAIRED IMMEDIATELY AND TRAIN PROCEEDED ACROSS
  BRIDGE. MEANWHILE MOTOR CAR BROUGHT FROM ENTIRE CITY WHICH
  PRECEDED TRAIN INTO CAPITAL ACTING AS ESCORT AND PROTECTOR. OTHER
  UNEXPLODED CHARGE IN POSSESSION SANCHEZ, NO FURTHER CLUES.



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3. TRAIN OF EIGHT CARS LEAVE PTO BARRIOS NOON 20 MAY.
SOURCE:

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CABLE SECRETARIAT COMMENT:

MR. ESTERLINE NOTIFIED OF RECEIPT OF THIS MESSAGE AT 1758 20 MAY.