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1. [REDACTED] NOVEMBER 1973, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] BRIEFED [REDACTED]

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OF THE CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATIC PARTY (PDC), ON THE SECURITY SITUATION IN CHILE. [REDACTED] THAT THE SITUATION WAS STILL NOT DEFINITELY UNDER CONTROL AND THAT THIS WAS THE REASON FOR THE CONTINUANCE OF THE CURFEW, ARMS SEARCHES AND OTHER SECURITY MEASURES BEING TAKEN BY GOVERNMENT FORCES.

2. [REDACTED] THE ARMED FORCES AND THE POLICE WERE CARRYING OUT AN EXTENSIVE SWEEP OPERATION IN THE SOUTHERN AREA OF THE COUNTRY FROM VALDIVIA TO LLANQUIHUE, BUT THAT THE OPERATION HAS NOT PRODUCED THE RESULTS EXPECTED. [REDACTED] COMMENT:

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[REDACTED] IT TOOK PLACE DURING THE PERIOD 21 OCTOBER - 13 NOVEMBER AND WAS COMMANDED BY [REDACTED] HOWEVER, AT NO TIME DID THE UNITS ENCOUNTER ANY ORGANIZED RESISTANCE. THE AREA COVERED INCLUDED THE PROVINCES OF CONCEPCION, BIO BIO, ARAUCO AND PART OF VALDIVIA. EVEN THOUGH THE SEARCH INCLUDED THE WOOD-PROCESSING COMBINE "PANGUIPULLI," WHICH HAS LONG BEEN CONSIDERED A STRONGHOLD OF THE EXTREME LEFT, VERY FEW ARMS AND EVEN FEWER EXTREMISTS WERE FOUND.)

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3. REGARDING THE LEFT-WING SECTOR OF THE PDC, [REDACTED] THAT THE ARMED FORCES DO NOT HAVE CONFIDENCE IN SEVERAL PDC LEADERS AND MENTIONED RADOMIRO TOMIC, BERNARDO LEIGHTON, AND RENAN FUENTEALBA. [REDACTED] RESPONDED DEFENDING THE THREE MEN. [REDACTED] COMMENT: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] THAT THE CARABINERO INTELLIGENCE SERVICE (SICAR) WAS MONITORING THE ACTIVITIES OF THE PDC LEFT-WING, LED BY TOMIC AND LEIGHTON.)

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4. [REDACTED]