SECRET 17 OCT 78 CITE SANTIAGO
IMMEDIATE HEADQUARTERS

1. MESSAGE READ TO [reddacted] BY [reddacted] AT [reddacted]
OCTOBER.

2. THERE NO REACTION FROM [reddacted] BECAUSE GROUP MET EVENING
16 OCTOBER AND AGREED TO MOVE WEDNESDAY OR THURSDAY (21 OR 22 OCTOBER)
IN EARLY MORNING HOURS.

3. [reddacted] SAID GROUP DECIDED TO ACT AFTER RECEIVING REPORT
FROM (UNNAMED) CABINET MINISTER THAT GEN. SCHNEIDER WILL BE REPLACED
BY GEN. VALENZUELA. VALENZUELA'S FIRST ACT WILL BE TO REPLACE GEN.
ARIBA, COMMANDER OF SECOND DIVISION WHICH KEY UNIT IN SANTIAGO AREA.
[reddacted] COULD DO LITTLE MORE THAN TO WISH [reddacted] WELL.

4. STATION OBVIOUSLY HAS NO INTELLIGENCE TO SUPPORT THE OPTIMISTIC
REPORT FROM [reddacted] WILL TELL [reddacted] THIS WHEN HE
MART makes his final meeting afternoon 18 OCTOBER. AT THIS TIME [reddacted]
WILL TURN OVER THE SIX GAS GRENADES AND MASKS.

5. [reddacted]