

UNCLASSIFIED

RELEASED IN PART  
NR, B3 CIA PERS/ORG

39999964

TITLE: SUBJECT: MEDIA REACTION -- LETTERS TO PRESIDENT GAVIRIA FROM U.S. SENATORS ON HUMAN RIGHTS IN COLOMBIA AND FROM SECRETARY EAGLEBURGER ON THE MISSED APPOINTMENT

ORIGDATE: 199210081251

SOURCE: STATE

DOCNO: BOGOTA 15060

TEXT:

TAGS: OPRC, OPDC, PHUM, PTER, PREL, PGOV, US, CO

SUBJECT: MEDIA REACTION -- LETTERS TO PRESIDENT GAVIRIA FROM U.S. SENATORS ON HUMAN RIGHTS IN COLOMBIA AND FROM SECRETARY EAGLEBURGER ON THE MISSED APPOINTMENT

NON-RESPONSIVE PORTIONS  
REDACTED

1. THE OCTOBER 8 EDITION OF RULING LIBERAL PARTY ORIENTED LEADING DAILY "EL TIEMPO" (CIRC. 240,000) CARRIED A SECTION C, GENERAL INFORMATION STORY ABOUT TWO LETTERS PRESIDENT GAVIRIA HAS RECEIVED RECENTLY FROM INTERESTS IN THE U.S. GOVERNMENT.

[REDACTED]

THE SECOND WAS A LETTER FROM SECRETARY OF STATE EAGLEBURGER EXPRESSING HIS REGRET FOR "THE ERROR" IN SCHEDULING THAT DID NOT PERMIT THE SECRETARY AND PRESIDENT GAVIRIA TO MEET WHEN THE TWO WERE RECENTLY IN NEW YORK FOR THE OPENING OF THE UNGA. NO OTHER PAPER HAD THIS INFORMATION.

NR

2. FOLLOWING ARE THE HEADLINE TREATMENT AND SELECTED QUOTES:

[REDACTED]

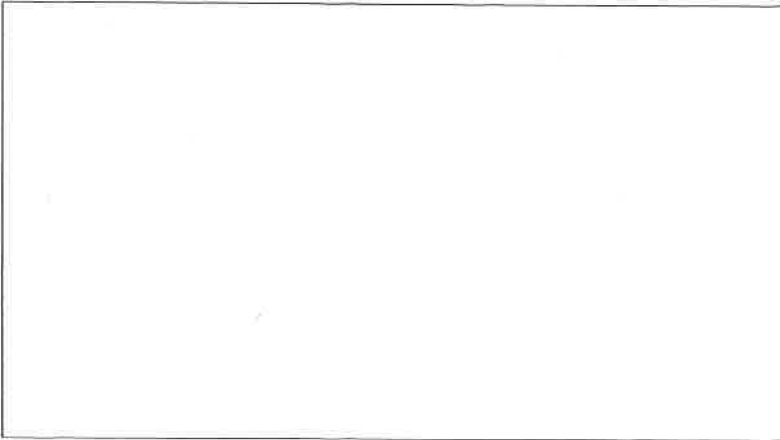
NR

UNCLASSIFIED

REVIEW AUTHORITY: Adolph Eisner, Senior Reviewer

UNCLASSIFIED

NR



QUOTE -- "ON ANOTHER ISSUE, LAWRENCE EAGLEBURGER, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE UNITED STATES, SENT A LETTER TO PRESIDENT CESAR GAVIRIA YESTERDAY WHICH EXPRESSED REGRET FOR 'THE ERROR' IN SCHEDULING THAT PREVENTED A MEETING BETWEEN THE TWO PERSONS DURING THE RECENT TRIP OF THE COLOMBIAN HEAD OF STATE TO NEW YORK-

"'THE UNITED STATES,' SAID EAGLEBURGER, "HOLDS IN GREAT ESTEEM THE HIGH AND CONSTANT LEVEL OF COMMITMENT COLOMBIA HAS DEMONSTRATED THROUGH ITS EFFORTS IN THE WAR ON DRUGS. WE, AS YOU, ARE DISHEARTENED BY THE ESCAPE OF PABLO ESCOBAR.'

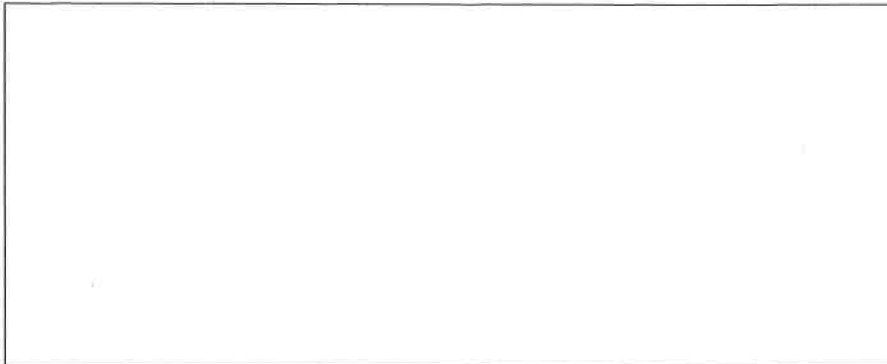
"HE ALSO SAID THAT THE U.S. GOVERNMENT WILL CONTINUE PROVIDING WHATEVER ADDITIONAL ASSISTANCE IS NECESSARY TO ONCE AGAIN BRING ESCORBAR TO JUSTICE."

FALINO

END OF MESSAGE

UNCLASSIFIED

B3 CIA PERS/ORG



UNCLASSIFIED

UNCLASSIFIED

B3 CIA PERS/ORG



92 9901018 SUO PAGE 001 NC 9901018  
TOR: 081256Z OCT 92 BOGOTA 15060

CLASS: UNCLASSIFIED  
CONTROLS: UNCLAS BOGOTA 15060 USIA USIA FOR P/M, P/PFL, P/PG, P/G, P/GN, B/VOA/L, B,TVWP, AR STATE  
FOR S, ARA/P, ARA/AND, PA E.O. 12356 N/A  
DOCPREC: O  
DOCST: ACTIVE  
DOCTYPE: IN  
DOCUMENT\_ID: 39999964  
DOR: 19921008  
FROM: FM AMEMBASSY BOGOTA  
GUIDE-UID: 1012/21f4bz  
HEADER: OO RUEAIB  
ZNR UUUUU ZOC STATE ZZH  
MSI2521  
OO RUEHC  
DE RUEHBO #5060 2821251  
ZNR UUUUU ZZH  
O <ORIGDTG>081251Z OCT 92</ORIGDTG>  
<FROM>FM AMEMBASSY BOGOTA</FROM>  
<TO>TO RUEHIA/USIA WASHDC IMMEDIATE 0373  
RUEHC/SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 1720</TO>  
INFO RUEKJCS/SECDEF WASHDC//OASD(PA):DPL//  
RHLBAAA/USCINCSO QUARRY HEIGHTS PM//SCPA/POLAD//  
BT

INPUT\_ID: 92 9901018  
ORIGIN:  
PRODUCER: BOGOTA  
RECEIPT DATE: 92 990101819921008090114  
SOURCE-INFO: STATE IN O BOGOTA 15060 BOGOTA 199210081251  
TAGS: TAGS: OPRC, OPDC, PHUM, PTER, PREL, PGOV, US, CO  
TO: TO RUEHIA/USIA WASHDC IMMEDIATE 0373  
RUEHC/SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 1720  
TOR: 090114

UNCLASSIFIED