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1. DOMINICAN AMBASSADOR GUZMAN CABRERA CALLED ON ME TODAY TO INFORM ME THAT ON INSTRUCTIONS PRESIDENT BALAGUER HE IS RETURNING PORT-AU-PRINCE AUGUST 15.

2. GUZMAN SAID HE WANTED GET IN TOUCH WITH AMBASSADOR ROSS PROMPTLY TO EXCHANGE IMPRESSIONS. I ENCOURAGED HIM TO DO SO. GUZMAN ALSO INTENDS TALK TO CHILEAN CHARGE AND BRAZILIAN AMBASSADOR ABOUT STATUS CHILEAN-HAITIAN RELATIONS.

3. GUZMAN'S REFERENCE TO PRESS REPORTS ON POSSIBLE RUPTURE CHILEAN-HAITIAN RELATIONS AFFORDED ME OPPORTUNITY EXPRESS TO HIM OUR POSITION ON LATIN AMERICAN REPRESENTATION IN HAITI ALONG LINES STATE 208054.

4. COMMENT: GUZMAN'S RETURN WILL PROBABLY AROUSE STRONG PRESS ATTACKS HERE AGAINST BALAGUER'S DECISION, PARTICULARLY

AT THIS TIME WHEN THERE IS MARKED PRESS INTEREST IN POSSIBLE CHILEAN ACTION TO BREAK RELATIONS.

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