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GARCIA GODOY HAS RESISTED ALL SUGGESTIONS THAT IAPF MIGHT ENTER REBEL ZONE AND HAS MADE IT CLEAR TO COMMITTEE THAT HE WOULD ONLY CALL FOR ASSISTANCE FROM IAPF IN THAT SECTOR UNDER CIRCUMSTANCES OF GRAVE EMERGENCY. HE BELIEVES USE OF IAPF OR ANY OF ITS PERSONNEL IN REBEL ZONE WOULD ROUSE NATIONALISTIC PASSIONS AND TURN PUBLIC OPINION AGAINST PG. HE HAS ALSO TOLD COMMITTEE THAT HE WOULD CALL ON REGULAR DOM ARMED FORCES

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IN EVENT IT BECAME NECESSARY APPLY FORCE TO DISBAND ANY REBEL COMMANDOS THAT REFUSE HEED CAAMANO'S CALL FOR DISARMAMENT.

UNDER TERMS NEW DRAFT AOF ARTICLE 4 OF "ACT OF RECONCILIATION" (EMBTTEL 484), IAPF WOULD MAINTAIN OBSERVATION POSTS ALONG PERIMETER OF REBEL ZONE AND PARTICIPATE WITH DOM FORCES IN MANNING CHECK POINTS. IAPF WOULD NOT, HOWEVER, ENTER REBEL ZONE. GARCIA GODOY ENVISAGES CREATION OF SPECIAL FORCE TO PATROL ZONE AT OUTSET, DRAWING ON BOTH REBEL AND REGULAR DOM POLICE FORCES. VERIFICATION OF DEMILITARIZATION AND DISARMAMENT WOULD BE UNDERTAKEN BY PRESIDENTIAL COMMISSION INCLUDING CIVILIAN REPRESENTATIVES OF PG AND MEMBERS OF ARMED FORCES. BENNETT  
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