INCOMING TELEGRAM Department of State 15-1 DOM PEP DEF 6 DOMREP 44 UNCLASSIFIED Action ESA435EXXIYQVV SDA 022 PM 12 37 1966 FEB 11 ARAZZ RUEHC RUEHDT DE RUESSD 323S 0421730 ZNR UUUUU Z P 111702Z FM AMEMBASSY/SANTO DOMINGO SS TO RUEHC/SECSTATE WASHDC FLASH 1874 G INFO RUESUA/AMEMBASSY RIO DE JANEIRO PRIORITY 377 SP RUESCR / KEB25 / AMCONSUL SANTIAGO DE LOS CABALLEROS PRIORITY 395 SAH RUCKHC/CINCLANT PRIORITY RULPAL/USCINCSO PRIORITY RUEHDT/USUN 334 H STATE GRNC SAL BT IO UNCLAS FEBRUARY 11 P 1. AT 11:25 LOCAL TIME OFFICIAL GOVT RADIO ANNOUNCED COL. CU ENRIQUE PEREZ Y PEREZ OF DOM. ARMY WAS SWORN IN AS NEW NSC MINISTER DEFENSE AND RAISED TO TEMPORARY RANK BRIGADIER GENERAL INR AT 9:30 AM AT PALACE. (PALACE PRESS OFFICE SAID OUTGOING MOD NSA RIVERA CAMINERO AND NAVY C/S JIMINEZ WERE PRESENT.) NIC IT WAS ALSO ANNOUNCED CHANGE OF COMMAND CEREMONY WOULD BE HELD AID AT 3:30 PM AT HAINA, PRESUMABLY AT NAVAL STATION THERE. CEREMONY ACCORDING TO ANNOUNCEMENT WILL BE OPEN TO PUBLIC. SIL 2. BROADCAST ALSO SAID RIVERA CAMINERO, DEPARTING MOD, HAD 0 PUBLICLY ANNOUNCED HIS INTENTION TO LEAVE DR SATURDAY TO TAKE UP SY POSITION IN WASHINGTON AS NAVAL ATTACHE. BENNETT SCA ADVANCE COPY TO S/S-O AT 12:38 PM 2/11/66 NOTE: SCS PASSED WHITE HOUSE, DOD, CIA, USIA AT 12:50 PM 2/11/66 PER OPR OC OCRO AGR COM LAB RSR by RIM/II

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