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SUBUS FOREIGN MINISTER COMMENT ON DEPARTMENT FISHING STATEMENT.

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PRESS REPORTS THAT ON RETURN FROM ASUNCION FOREIGN MINISTER GIBSON BARBOSA SUPPORTED EARLIER COMMENTS OF ACTING FORMIN CARVALHO E SILVA ON DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN S STATEMENT OF JUNE 2 (REFTELD) GIBSON QUOTED AS SAYING HE HAD RECEIVED USS DECLARATION ON ITS JURIDICAL POSITION WITHOUT SURPRISE SINCE IT WELL KNOWN TO BRAZILIAN AUTHORITIES HE ADDED THAT THE DIFFERENCE OF POSITION BETWEEN TWO NATIONS IS FRIENDLY AND THE USS AND BRAZILISHOULD BE VIEWED AS NORMAL WITH NO CAUSE FOR CONCERN. IN WORKING OUT PROBLEMS ACCORDING TO THE FOREIGN MINISTER, A NON-EMOTIONAL CLIMATE SHOULD BE SOUGHT IN WHICH DIFFERENCES ARE CONSIDERED NORMAL.



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