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Changes in Army Command

GRANDE. BRIG GEN CARLOS BUCK TO COMD DIV ARTY SIXTH INF DIV IN
PORTO ALEGRE. BRIG GEN CARLOS TERRA BECOMES CH OF CABINET TO C/S
OF ARMY, HADLINE MAJ GEN JOSE HORACIO CUNHA GARCIA GOES TO COMMAND
NINTH MIL REGION IN MATT GRASSO. TOUGH PRO-CASTELLO MAJ GEN MANOEL
CARVALHO LISBOA TO COMD SECOND INF DIV IN SAO PAULO AND MAJ GEN
ALVAO TAVARES DO CARMO BECOMES DEP C/S G-G3 OF ARMY, REPLACING

GEN AUGUSTO FRAGOSO WHO BECOMES DIRECTOR OF TRAINING.
WAR MINISTER'S CABINET ISSUED NOTE STATING "DISCIPLINE AND HIERARCHY
WILL OVERCOME ANY DISCONTENT WHICH MAY EIST AMONG SOME OFFICERS".
SERIOUSNESS OF SITUATION LIES IN FACT KNOWN HARDLINERS HOLD MANY
KEY COMD JOBS AT REGIMENTAL AND BATTALION LEVEL. HWEVER, BRAZILIAN
ARMY BASICALLY DISCIPLINED ARMY, AND GOVERNMENT'S FIRMFNESS IS
FACING UP TO THIS CRIFZS SHOULD ENABLE IT TO INSURE NEGRAO'S
INAUGUATION. LATENT CRISIS REMAINS LARGELY CONFINED TO RIO
GARISON;

LAST NIGHT PLANNING MINISTER ROBERTO CAMPOS TOLD ME HE FELT GOVT
WOULD HAVE NO REAL DIFFICULTY BUT HE WOULD HAVE PREFERRED ALMOST
ANY OTHER COLONEL TO HAVE SIGNED LETTER BECAUSE OF BOAVENTURA'S
PRESTIGE IN ARMY.

COMMENT: THIS WILL BE A TOUGH WEEK. GP-4
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