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NICARAGUAN-RELATED PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE MANUAL

1. Most of you have seen the sensational media accounts of alleged Agency wrongdoing in connection with a Nicaraguan-related psychological warfare manual.

2. As President Reagan said during the debate on Sunday night, he has asked the President's Intelligence Oversight Board and the Agency's Inspector General to look into the matter. Both of these intensive efforts are underway in an effort to obtain all the facts and to develop a comprehensive understanding of what happened. The Senate Select Committee on Intelligence and the House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, who are also looking into the problem, already have received classified status reports on the facts as we now know them.

3. Our historical experience in situations such as this is that early perceptions may be mistaken and that it is important to come to a judgment on the basis of complete information. The oversight committees have told us that they agree and are deferring judgment until they have received the results of the full investigation.

4. We are committed to finishing the inquiry as quickly as possible. We will let you know the results as soon as we can.

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†Casey Linked to Decision to Hire CIA Manual Author

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WASHINGTON (AP) - Senior CIA officials; including Director William J. Casey; decided at a mid-1983 meeting in Honduras to provide Nicaraguan rebels with psychological warfare training; a step that led later to the writing of a controversial manual; according to U.S. government officials.

The officials; who spoke only on condition of anonymity; said the role of Casey and other top officers in the decision is not cited in a still-secret CIA inspector general's report that urged disciplining six mid-level agency officials; several of whom complained they were being made scapegoats.

''It was decided (at the mid-1983 meeting) that the (rebels) needed an adviser on psychological warfare to help them better understand what they were fighting for and how to motivate the (Nicaraguan) people;'' said one official familiar with the decision process.

But all four officials interviewed by The Associated Press said that while Casey and other top CIA officers launched the psychological warfare program; there is no evidence that they specifically approved production of the manual or knew of sections advising the rebels on the ''selective use of violence'' to ''neutralize'' Nicaraguan government officials.

After being recruited during the summer of 1983; the psychological warfare expert; known by his pseudonym John Kirkpatrick; wrote the manual in October of last year. The original version also called for hiring professional criminals to carry out ''selective jobs;'' creating a ''martyr'' for the cause; and coercing Nicaraguans into carrying out rebel assignments.

The House Intelligence Committee has scheduled a hearing Tuesday on whether the manual violated a presidential executive order barring U.S. involvement in assassinations or a 1982 law prohibiting the CIA from trying to overthrow the leftist Nicaraguan government.

Three officials said it was unclear from investigations into the manual if Casey and the others who promoted the idea of a psychological warfare program should share any blame.

They said senior CIA personnel sent Kirkpatrick to Honduras to train the rebels on psychological warfare techniques; but not specifically to write a manual. They said the idea of putting those lessons into a manual came later and its approval reached only to mid-levels of the agency.

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ANOTHER OFFICIAL SAID SOME OF THE PUNISHED CIA PERSONNEL HAVE ARGUED THAT THE MANUAL REFLECTED A ''COMMAND-AND-CONTROL PROBLEM'' THAT STEMMED FROM POORLY DESIGNED; HIGH-LEVEL ORDERS THAT WERE GIVEN TO OVER-ZEALOUS OPERATIVES TO CARRY OUT.

OUTLINING THAT POSITION; THIS OFFICIAL SAID THAT AT LEAST SOME OF THE BLAME SHOULD FALL ON THE ''PEOPLE WHO RECRUITED KIRKPATRICK AND DISPATCHED HIM. ... HIRING HIM FRESH AND SENDING HIM DOWN THERE WERE PARAMILITARY PEOPLE AND NOT THE ONES BEING DISCIPLINED.''

THE OFFICIALS; ALL FAMILIAR WITH THE STEPS THAT LED UP TO KIRKPATRICK'S HIRING; SAID THE DECISION CAME OUT OF A MEETING IN JUNE 1983 IN TEGUCIGALPA; HONDURAS.

THE OFFICIALS SAID THE MEETING; CHAIRED BY CASEY; ALSO INVOLVED DEPUTY DIRECTOR JOHN MCMAHON; DUANE CLARRIDGE; THEN HEAD OF THE CIA'S LATIN AMERICAN DIVISION; AND SENIOR OFFICIALS OF THE AGENCY'S INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS DIVISION; WHICH OVERSEES PARAMILITARY OPERATIONS.

NONE OF THE HIGH-LEVEL OFFICIALS REPORTEDLY INVOLVED IN THE DECISION TO HIRE A PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE EXPERT WAS DISCIPLINED; AND CIA SPOKESMAN GEORGE LAUDER SAID NONE OF THEM WOULD COMMENT PUBLICLY ON THE MANUAL.

THE GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS; WHO DISCUSSED HOW KIRKPATRICK WAS HIRED; SAID THAT DESPITE REFERENCES THAT COULD BE INTERPRETED AS CONDONING ASSASSINATION; THE MANUAL'S MAIN PURPOSE WAS TO CONVINCE NICARAGUAN REBELS TO CONDUCT THEIR MILITARY OPERATIONS WITH AN EYE TOWARD GAINING POPULAR SUPPORT.

FIVE MID-LEVEL OFFICIALS WERE DISCIPLINED OVER THE MANUAL; AND KIRKPATRICK; A CONTRACT EMPLOYEE; WAS ALLOWED TO RESIGN. ANOTHER MID-LEVEL CIA OFFICIAL; RECOMMENDED FOR PUNISHMENT BY THE INSPECTOR GENERAL; WAS SPARED DISCIPLINE BY CASEY.

IN APPROVING THE INSPECTOR GENERAL'S FINDINGS ON NOV. 10; PRESIDENT REAGAN CONCLUDED THAT THE MANUAL VIOLATED NO U.S. LAW OR PRESIDENTIAL EXECUTIVE ORDER; ALTHOUGH AGREEING WITH THE REPORT'S CONCLUSION THAT THERE HAD BEEN ''INSTANCES OF POOR JUDGMENT AND LAPSES OF OVERSIGHT AT LOW LEVELS WITHIN THE AGENCY.''

THE EXISTENCE OF THE 90-PAGE MANUAL; ENTITLED ''PSYCHOLOGICAL OPERATIONS IN GUERRILLA WAR;'' WAS REPORTED IN MID-OCTOBER; PROMPTING INVESTIGATIONS BY THE CIA INSPECTOR GENERAL; THE PRESIDENT'S INTELLIGENCE OVERSIGHT BOARD AND THE HOUSE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE.

EDITORS' NOTE: ROBERT PARRY HAS COVERED CENTRAL AMERICAN AND INTELLIGENCE ACTIVITIES FOR THE ASSOCIATED PRESS SINCE 1981.

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The murder manual: a bum rap for CIA?

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In the closing days of the presidential election campaign the Democrats seized upon a manual the CIA had prepared for the freedom fighters in Nicaragua as a campaign issue.

The media eagerly put the story on television news programs and on the front pages. The allegation was that the CIA was telling the Nicaraguan freedom fighters to murder Sandinista officials. This was said to be a violation of the prohibition on the agency's carrying-out of assassinations.

Judging from the amount of attention given the matter by the media, one would have thought that the general populace was outraged by the revelations about the CIA manual. One has to wonder whether those millions of fans of TV programs such as the "A-Team" and movies such as the James Bond series cringe at the thought that their government might countenance deeds of derring-do of the type that they love to see on TV and in the movies.

The outrage expressed by the media and some politicians seemed a bit excessive. The effort by the Democrats and Big Media to make the "murder manual" into an issue in the election apparently didn't make a dent in the support for Ronald Reagan.

The CIA has reprimanded some lower level personnel. The contract employee who wrote the manual has resigned, and that is likely to be the end of the matter.

But what the public still hasn't been told is just what this famous manual was and how it came into being.

About a year ago, the CIA hired an outside expert in psychological warfare to draft a handbook for the Nicaraguan freedom fighters. This was felt necessary largely because some of the Nicaraguan rebels were badly disciplined and were doing things that were alienating the people they were supposed to be helping.

The manual was to tell them how best to win over the civilian population. It advised the freedom fighters to befriend them, to help them with their crops, to avoid inflicting civilian casualties or damaging their property.

In the first printing there were three objectionable paragraphs discussing the use of known criminals to help the cause. The freedom fighters themselves took those paragraphs out, and they were not included in the second printing. This was known to many in the media months ago. They rightly concluded that it wasn't much of a story.

However, a few days before the second Reagan-Mondale debate, a reporter took a copy of the original manual to Rep. Edward Boland, D-Mass., who chairs the House Intelligence Committee. Mr. Boland, a close ally of Speaker Tip O'Neill, issued a bitter public denunciation of the manual and the CIA. Sen. Pat Moynihan, D-N.Y., a favorite of the TV networks, joined in with expressions of moral outrage.

If these gentlemen had been more interested in helping both their country and the cause of freedom in Nicaragua than in trying to generate votes for Mr. Mondale, they might have quietly asked the CIA to explain the manual, demanding the deletion of material they thought objectionable.

If they had done that, there would have been no worldwide headlines about the United States sponsoring a "murder manual." In the process, they would have discovered why the manual had come into existence, and they would have learned that "murder manual" was a totally misleading label.

That label derived from a few paragraphs which suggested that some Sandinista officials should be "neutralized." That could be done in a number of ways. One way suggested was by the use of violence, but killing was not specifically mentioned.

In a civil war, it would be unrealistic, to say the least, to suggest that those who were armed with deadly weapons and were risking their own lives should never kill the enemy. This is a fact of life, and it is going to happen whether any manual discusses it or not. No doubt assassination is one way enemy officals can be neutralized, but clearly that was not the thrust of this 90-page manual.

The critics overlooked another passage which advised that Sandinista officials should not be mistreated even though they were enemies of the people. It said the freedom fighters, as Christian soldiers, must be generous to the foe.

By repeatedly labeling this work a "murder manual" our media handed a weapon to the communists, one that they will exploit to hinder the fighters for freedom in Nicaragua.

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Nicaraguan Rebel Group Ousts Leader

Chamorro Had Accused CIA of Duplicity

By Edward Cody
Washington Post Foreign Service

MIAMI, Nov. 24—The U.S.-backed Nicaraguan rebel movement expelled today one of its top leaders who had accused the CIA publicly of duplicity toward Congress and the anti-Sandinista insurgents.

Adolfo Calero, president of the Nicaraguan Democratic Force, said the group's National Directorate sent Edgar Chamorro a letter informing him of his dismissal because he had become what Calero called "a loose cannon." Chamorro confirmed that he had received the one-sentence notice in today's mail and said he thought he had been fired at the behest of the CIA.

Chamorro's removal from the seven-member directorate sealed an estrangement that began quietly last spring after younger officers took over the Honduran armed forces and ordered increased discretion for CIA-directed rebel activities in Honduras. Chamorro, who was spokesman for the rebels in Honduras, drew opposition from Honduran officers and CIA advisers because of his often frank descriptions of insurgent actions. Because of pressure from the Hondurans, Chamorro said, he was sent home and cut out of insurgent deliberations here and in Tegucigalpa, the Honduran capital.

The split broke into the open last month with Chamorro's revelations about a CIA manual advising rebels to "neutralize" certain Nicaragua government officials and his charges that CIA officials who helped organize the main insurgent group here two years ago committed the Reagan administration to aid in overthrowing the Sandinista government.

The statements attracted wide attention because the word "neutralize" was taken as a euphemism for assassination, which is forbidden by presidential directive, and because Congress has barred the agency from spending appropriations for the purpose of overthrowing the Sandinistas.

In addition, Chamorro said CIA officials coached rebel leaders on how to make a good impression with congressional opponents and avoid raising delicate issues. The American Civil Liberties Union has filed suit charging that this could violate U.S. statutes barring the agency from seeking to influence other government bodies.

"That's ridiculous," Calero retorted in an interview. "If we were from the hills of Tennessee, maybe we would need it. But we are from a sophisticated country."

[CIA spokeswoman Patti Volz said she would not comment on Chamorro's charges about the agency's role in organizing and assisting the rebels. With respect to the charge that CIA officials helped rebel leaders present their case to Congress, she said, "We are in compliance with U.S. law and with our obligations and responsibilities to report to Congress."]

Chamorro, who lives in Key Biscayne, Fla., said that what he described as CIA duplicity about the insurgents' goals and activities was a large factor in his decision to speak out.

While the Reagan administration was telling Congress and the public that the United States was funding the rebels to interdict arms shipments from Nicaragua to Salvadoran guerrillas, Chamorro charged, CIA officials were telling the rebels privately that the real goal was to topple the Sandinista leadership. Then, he went on, the agency never provided the support necessary to reach that goal.

Calero, former owner of the Coca-Cola bottling plant in Managua, said today he and other FDN leaders understood from the beginning that U.S. aid by law has been directed at

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stopping Nicaragua's support for Salvadoran guerrillas.

Chamorro also said the collegial leadership of the Nicaraguan Democratic Force—FDN by its Spanish initials—changed over the last year until only three persons, working directly with the CIA, were making decisions. These three included Calero; Col. Enrique Bermudez, the FDN military commander and a directorate member, and Aristides Sanchez, Calero's personal assistant.

Bermudez and Sanchez were key figures in earlier rebel groups associated with the rule of the late Anastasio Somoza, overthrown by the Sandinistas in 1979. The FDN was formed late in 1982, at CIA urging, to rid the struggle of its Somoza links to enhance its image in Congress and Latin America.

Rebel leaders said CIA funding ran out last June after Congress refused to appropriate more money pending reconsideration of the issue in February. But Calero has estimated that the FDN, still the largest and most active of several rebel groups, has kept going by raising slightly more than $3 million on its own.

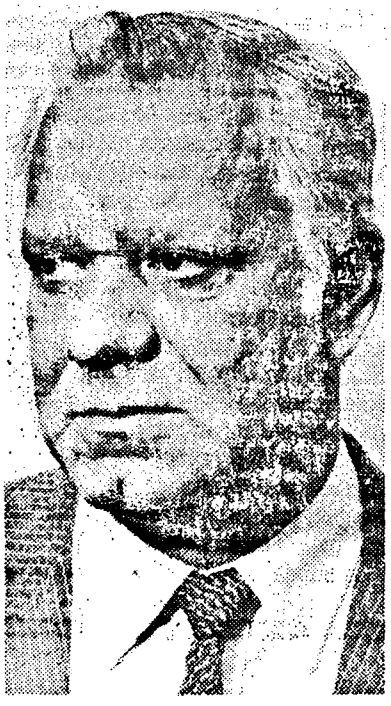
Calero, who lives in Miami, said Chamorro's exclusion from the FDN leadership was decided unanimously because Chamorro had refused to cooperate with the directorate's other six members and had insisted on speaking out.

"We told him that we felt he has excluded himself," Calero said today. "This is a decision that was long overdue."

Meanwhile, Brooklyn Rivera, a Nicaraguan Indian rebel leader, was refused entry into Honduras yesterday, preventing him from making an attempt to promote unity with other Indian insurgents and possible peace talks with the Sandinista government, according to sources here in Miami and in Honduras.

[In Paris, Reuter reported that France has agreed to give about $1.73 million in aid to Nicaragua.]

BROOKLYN RIVERA
. . . barred from Honduras



ADOLFO CALERO
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Skirmishes Over a Primer

The infamous CIA manual on guerrilla warfare might have been written with the jungles of Nicaragua in mind, but its chief effect so far has been to provoke conflict in Washington. Last week skirmishes were raging not only between the Reagan Administration and Capitol Hill but within the CIA. Five middle-level agency officials, targeted to be disciplined for their part in drafting the contentious primer, said they were being used as scapegoats. Congressional critics charged that the five were victims of a cover-up designed to protect senior officials, notably CIA Director William J. Casey, who has supervised the covert assistance to anti-Sandinista *contras*.

The latest flap began when President Reagan received the disciplinary recommendation from the CIA's inspector general. Reagan had ordered the internal investigation amid a continuing clamor over sections of the manual that advocated the "neutralization" of local Nicaraguan officials. Critics seized upon that term as a code word for assassination. Furthermore, they charged, the manual shows that the CIA is violating a 1982 congressional amendment barring it from engaging in any activity aimed at overthrowing the Sandinistas. Reagan responded with the credulity-straining explanation that the word neutralization meant nothing more than "you just say to the fellow that's sitting there in the office, 'You're not in the office any more.' "

The White House blamed the manual on a single, "low-level" contract operative, identified pseudonymously as John Kirkpatrick. The still secret inspector general's report apparently suggested that Kirkpatrick resign, two employees be suspended without pay and three others receive formal letters of reprimand. New York Democrat Daniel Patrick Moynihan compared the disciplinary measures with canceling "weekend privileges for a month."

Both the Senate and the House Intelligence Committees are expected to reopen their investigation of the guerrilla manual in early December. Some legislators even want to see the matter referred to the Justice Department. Says Democratic Congressman Norman Mineta of California: "The CIA and the President owe us some answers, and the inspector general's report fails to give them."

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One of 6 Accused Employes Is Absolved by CIA Chief

Associated Press

CIA Director William J. Casey has dropped disciplinary action against one of six mid-level CIA employes singled out for punishment over production of a manual for Nicaraguan rebels, intelligence officials said yesterday.

The officials, who insisted on anonymity, said Casey overturned the proposed suspension of the chief of a special CIA task force that oversees the covert operation directed against Nicaragua's leftist government.

Casey waived the suspension because, the sources said, the official had received an agency commendation in September 1983 for his oversight of the Nicaraguan program.

CIA spokesman George Lauder continued to refuse to comment on the investigation into the manual, which advises rebels on the "selective use of violence" to "neutralize" Nicaraguan officials.

Administration and congressional sources have said the CIA inspector general proposed sparing senior agency officials from punishment but recommended that three mid-level officials receive letters of reprimand and that two others be suspended without pay. The manual's author, known by the pseudonym John Kirkpatrick, agreed to resign from his CIA contract.

Several of the punished officials, however, refused to sign disciplinary letters being put in their personnel files, contending that they were being made "scapegoats" to protect higher-level CIA officials, the sources said.

The task force chief was considered one of the highest-ranking CIA officials recommended for punishment.

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NICARAGUA-MANUAL
BY ROBERT PARRY

WASHINGTON (AP) -- CIA DIRECTOR WILLIAM J. CASEY HAS DROPPED DISCIPLINARY ACTION AGAINST ONE OF SIX MID-LEVEL CIA EMPLOYEES SINGLED OUT FOR PUNISHMENT OVER PRODUCTION OF A NICARAGUAN REBEL MANUAL, INTELLIGENCE OFFICIALS SAID TUESDAY.

THE OFFICIALS, WHO INSISTED ON ANONYMITY, SAID CASEY OVERTURNED THE PROPOSED SUSPENSION OF THE CHIEF OF A SPECIAL CIA TASK FORCE THAT OVERSEES THE COVERT OPERATION DIRECTED AGAINST NICARAGUA'S LEFTIST GOVERNMENT.

CASEY WAIVED THE SUSPENSION WITHOUT PAY BECAUSE, THE SOURCES SAID, THE OFFICIAL HAD RECEIVED AN AGENCY COMMENDATION IN SEPTEMBER 1983 FOR HIS OVERSIGHT OF THE NICARAGUAN PROGRAM.

CIA SPOKESMAN GEORGE LAUDER CONTINUED TO REFUSE COMMENT ON THE INVESTIGATION INTO THE MANUAL, WHICH ADVISES REBELS ON THE ''SELECTIVE USE OF VIOLENCE'' TO ''NEUTRALIZE'' NICARAGUAN OFFICIALS. THE SPY AGENCY HAS NEVER RELEASED THE NAMES OF THE CIA OFFICIALS INVOLVED OR PROVIDED ANY OTHER DETAILS ABOUT THE DISCIPLINING.

ADMINISTRATION AND CONGRESSIONAL SOURCES HAVE SAID THE CIA INSPECTOR GENERAL PROPOSED SPARING SENIOR AGENCY OFFICIALS FROM PUNISHMENT, BUT RECOMMENDED THAT THREE MID-LEVEL OFFICIALS RECEIVE LETTERS OF REPRIMAND AND TWO OTHERS BE SUSPENDED WITHOUT PAY. THE MANUAL'S AUTHOR, KNOWN BY THE PSEUDONYM JOHN KIRKPATRICK, AGREED TO RESIGN FROM HIS CIA CONTRACT.

SEVERAL OF THE PUNISHED OFFICIALS, HOWEVER, REFUSED TO SIGN DISCIPLINARY LETTERS BEING PUT IN THEIR PERSONNEL FILES, CONTENDING THAT THEY WERE BEING MADE ''SCAPEGOATS'' TO PROTECT HIGHER-LEVEL CIA OFFICIALS, THE SOURCES SAID.

THE TASK FORCE CHIEF WAS CONSIDERED ONE OF THE HIGHEST-RANKING CIA OFFICIALS RECOMMENDED FOR PUNISHMENT.

IN APPROVING THE INSPECTOR GENERAL'S FINDINGS 10 DAYS AGO, PRESIDENT REAGAN INSISTED THAT THE MANUAL'S CONTENTS DID NOT VIOLATE A LONGSTANDING PRESIDENTIAL EXECUTIVE ORDER BARRING U.S. INVOLVEMENT IN ASSASSINATIONS. EARLIER, THE PRESIDENT HAD SAID ''NEUTRALIZING'' OFFICIALS MEANT TO ''JUST SAY TO THE FELLA WHO'S SITTING THERE IN THE OFFICE, 'YOU'RE NOT IN THE OFFICE ANYMORE.'''

NICARAGUA'S LEFTIST GOVERNMENT HAS CHARGED THAT REBEL FORCES HAVE ASSASSINATED 854 CIVILIANS SINCE FIGHTING BEGAN IN 1981. LAST MONTH, 3$&-4 :$-.9449, PROPAGANDA CHIEF OF THE CIA-BACKED NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC FORCE, SAID IT WAS THE REBEL GROUP'S ''PRACTICE'' TO EXECUTE GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS DEEMED CRIMINALS -- AN ASSERTION DENIED BY OTHER REBEL LEADERS.

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WASHINGTON (UPI) -- WHEN PRESIDENT REAGAN BLAMED POOR EDITING FOR THE CONTROVERSY SURROUNDING A CIA "HOW-TO" MANUAL ON GUERRILLA WARFARE, SOMEONE IN THE AGENCY DECIDED TO DO SOMETHING ABOUT IT.

AN EMPLOYEE IN THE CIA ORDERED A BOOK, "GETTING THE WORDS RIGHT: HOW TO REVISE, EDIT & REWRITE" FROM WRITER'S DIGEST BOOKS IN CINCINNATI, OHIO, THE COMPANY SAID TUESDAY.

BUT A COMPANY SPOKESWOMAN SAID THE ORDER, RECEIVED OCT. 29, WAS RETURNED, BECAUSE "WE REQUIRE PREPAYMENT FOR ONE-BOOK ORDERS," EVEN FROM GOVERNMENT AGENCIES.

THE ORDER HAS NOT BE BEEN PLACED AGAIN, SHE SAID.

IN THE SECOND NATIONALLY BROADCAST DEBATE WITH DEMOCRAT WALTER MONDALE ON OCT. 21, REAGAN SAID THE MANUAL INSTRUCTING NICARAGUAN REBELS IN POLITICAL BLACKMAIL, ASSASSINATIONS AND MOB VIOLENCE WAS WRITTEN BY A FREELANCER WHOSE WORK WAS ALTERED CONSIDERABLY BY CIA SUPERIORS BEFORE IT WAS PRINTED. SOME OF THE ORIGINAL COPIES "GOT OUT DOWN THERE AND WERE NOT SUBMITTED FOR THIS PRINTING PROCESS BY THE CIA," REAGAN SAID.

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ALBERT L. WEEKS

The CIA's manual isn't the only one

An ad that ran in *The New York Times* of Oct. 26, 1979, some three months after the Sandinistas took over the government in Managua, was signed by a group calling itself the "Guerrilla Army of the Poor E.G.P." Declaring that here was the strategy to be followed by all Marxist-Leninist fronts and guerrilla groups operating in Central America, the E.G.P. made these points in their paid-for (I assume), full-page space in the "what's-fit-to-print" American newspaper:

- "The Soviet Union's and other Socialist countries's foreign policy has recovered [its] militant character [so that] the camp of Socialism and revolution has now been globally strengthened by popular and revolutionary victories in Asia, Africa, and Latin America."
- "The global picture shows, in general, an accelerated change in the correation of forces in favor of the Socialist and national-liberation camp.... The worldwide military balance between capitalism and Socialism creates a situation in which imperialist circles ... can no longer unleash devastating wars on the weak and backward peoples who dare to defy them and oppose domination."
- "The people's revolutionary war [is] the only way for the revolution and the transformation of the unjust and oppobrious [sic] status which is oppressing our people."

Albert L. Weeks is a political science professor at New York University.

- "[This revolution] is part and consequence of the world struggle between the capitalist system on one side and the forces of Socialism and national liberation on the other."
- "It is a significant fact that the anti-Communist positions of [European] Social-Democracy have been toned down in reference to the many ... fundamental issues related to the situation in Latin America and the issue of armed struggle, [which defines] the nature of Latin American struggles."

As Lenin instructed in his *Guerrilla Warfare (1906)*, "A Marxist bases himself on class struggle, not social peace." And Engels: "All revolution, whatever form it may take, is a form of violence," quoted by Gen. Vo Nguyen Giap in *The Military Art of People's War.*

The above constitutes a foreword of sorts for all the latter-day revolutionary instructions and manuals prepared for Marxist "class" and "national-liberation" wars waged at the present time throughout the Third World.

Such revolutionary instructions take the form of, e.g.:

- The famous *Mini-Manual*, published by the Uruguayan Tupamaro Marxists in 1969.
- Captured guerrilla documents.
- Latin-American revolutionists's memoirs and instructions for guerrilla organizations and their fronts, inserted in volumes of guerrilla literature, known as "Lib Lit," which can be read merely by visiting the Revolution Books store on West 10th Street in Greenwich Village, Manhattan.

In all these writings, detailed instructions are found for destabilizing "bourgeois" society and its institutions by unleashing terror and sabotage, by kidnapping officials, businessmen, foreign ambassadors, etc., and holding them hostage, and by disrupting transportation and communications.

In fact, reading such open literature, one gets the feeling that whoever the real author of the notorious "CIA manual" is, his proposals for destabilizing the Sandinista junta in Nicaragua are certainly unoriginal. There is absolutely nothing in the manual, in fact, that was not already boilerplate in revolutionary literature all the way back to the Russian Narodnik terrorists of the 1870s — whom Lenin said must be emulated — to the Bolsheviks themselves in 1917 and beyond, and for the Marxist forces making up the "national-liberation struggle" today.

Moreover, many of the techniques of the type recommended to the Contras in the CIA manual may be found also in materials of the Third International Comintern, formally dissolved in 1943 but cryptically reconstituted under the aegis of the Soviet Central Committee's International Department, headed today by party secretary Boris I. Ponomarev, a former Comintern secretary.

Indeed, taken together, the corpus of Marxist-Leninist instructions and exegeses on revolutionary tactics and strategy succeed in making the author of the CIA manual look like a gross plagiarizer, and a rather poor one at that.

The following are among the gleanings, with their sources, from a reading of various instructions, manuals, and advisories composing the nearly century-old tradition of Communist-style revolutionism — from the Narodniks and the Bolsheviks of yore, to the partisans and guerrillas, "people's militias," and "liberation armies" of Lenin, Mao, Ho, Guevara, Castro, the Tupamaros, the Ortega brothers, and the Salvadoran Farabundo Marti Popular Forces of Liberation, led by "Comrade Marcial" Salvador Cayetano Carpio.

Armed action and Destablization:

"The essence of the question is whether the masses will be led to believe that the revolutionary movement, that Socialism, can come to power without a struggle, that it can come to power peacefully. That is a lie, and any persons in Latin America who assert that they will come to power peacefully are deceiving themselves." — Fidel Castro's speech of Aug. 10, 1967.

["The important thing is] to accentuate [social] tension day-by-day." — *Voices From El Salvador*, by Mario Menendez Rodriguez, 1983.

"It is not necessary to wait until all conditions making for revolution exist; revolution must create them." — Che Guevara's *Guerrilla Warfare*, c. 1963.

"A ruthless guerrilla war of extermination against the government perpetrators of violence, which undoubtedly means killing them by means of 'guerrilla actions,' appears to us to be timely and expedient." — Lenin, *The Events of the Day*, Aug. 21, 1906.

Sabotage:

- Instructions on how to blow up bridges and railroad tracks, tear down transmission lines, rob banks, and by other means obtain funds, and generally confound the daily life of urban dwellers for revolutionary purposes, kidnap and "liquidate" [assassinate] civilian officials and military men, intimidate peasants and city-dwellers with armed drills, incursions, sniper fire, etc. — paraphrased from the Tupamaros *Mini-Manual*, reproduced in part in Claire Sterling's *The Terror Network*, and from the 1941 manual of the French Communist Party describing the methods of destabilization to be carried out during the Nazi-Soviet Pact against Allied defense industry and, after the German invasion of the U.S.S.R., against the Nazi occupation by the Communist-infiltrated partisan movement, reproduced in A. Rossi, *A Communist Party in Action: An Account of the Organization and Operations in France.*
- "The streets must be filled with tree-trunks, rocks, overturned cars, and broken bottles." — July 10, 1979, underground "Radio Sandino" broadcast, in *The Triumph of the People: the Sandinista Revolution in Nicaragua.*

Kidnapping and Assassination:

"The revolutionary movement frequently uses kidnapping as a weapon in the struggle for the transformation of Salvadorean society ... From the political point of view, kidnapping serves to draw attention to the plight of the Salvadorean people and the reasons for their struggle ... Kidnapping enables us to obtain information that permits us to act against strategic objectives of the enemy." — *Voices From El Salvador.*

["It is necessary] to destroy the enemy — landlords and bureaucrats, especially the police ... This struggle aims at assassinating individuals, chiefs and subordinates in the army and the police." — Lenin, *Lessons of the Moscow Uprising*, Aug. 29, 1906.

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All of this strife and bloodshed in the name of Marxist-Leninist "revolution" — or is it reaction? — was summed up with predictable sangfroid by a Sandinista guerrilla leader as "a violence of love."

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BY ELIOT BRENNER

WASHINGTON (UPI) -- THREE OF SIX MIDDLE-LEVEL CIA EMPLOYEES CALLED ON THE CARPET FOR THEIR INVOLVEMENT IN THE AGENCY'S GUERRILLA WARFARE MANUAL WILL BE INTERVIEWED BY THE HOUSE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE, SOURCES SAY.

THE SOURCES ALSO SAID THURSDAY THAT AT LEAST TWO OF THE CIA EMPLOYEES ORDERED DISCIPLINED BY PRESIDENT REAGAN OVER THE MANUAL PREPARED FOR NICARAGUAN REBELS, ARE FIGHTING THEIR PUNISHMENT.

CONGRESSIONAL SOURCES SAID THE HOUSE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE WILL INTERVIEW THREE OF THE SIX CIA WORKERS IN ADVANCE OF AN OVERSIGHT HEARING SCHEDULED FOR EARLY DECEMBER.

THE SOURCES, WHO ASKED NOT TO BE IDENTIFIED, SAID THE EMPLOYEES WILL BE INTERVIEWED BY EITHER MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE OR ITS STAFF.

THE DISCIPLINARY ACTION WAS TAKEN AFTER REAGAN APPROVED A CIA INSPECTOR GENERAL'S REPORT SATURDAY. NO SENIOR-LEVEL CIA OFFICIALS WERE PUNISHED.

FIVE EMPLOYEES WERE GIVEN LETTERS OF REPRIMAND OR SUSPENDED, AND SOURCES SAID AT LEAST TWO OF THEM ARE EITHER PROTESTING THEIR SUSPENSIONS OR REFUSING TO SIGN THE LETTERS.

THE SIXTH INDIVIDUAL IS BELIEVED TO BE A CIA CONTRACT EMPLOYEE WHO WROTE THE BOOKLET AND WENT BY THE PSEUDONYM JOHN KIRKPATRICK. HE WAS SAID TO HAVE BEEN ALLOWED TO TERMINATE HIS AGREEMENT WITH THE CIA.

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Rabble-rousing rebel tackles CIA

Edgar Chamorro has been a Jesuit priest, a Harvard grad student, a dean at Central American University, and the spokesman for a Nicaraguan guerrilla organization. In recent weeks, independent Chamorro has adopted a new role: whistle blower.

Chamorro admitted he published a controversial guerrilla warfare manual and worked for the CIA in Miami and in Honduras to overthrow Nicaragua's Sandinista regime. His scrapbook of news clippings testifies to the furor he raised in Washington.

Chamorro said he came forward "to debate the issues. Covert war is hypocrisy. We have been going nowhere, but people are getting killed."

Now cut off by Congress from his CIA income of $1,500 to $2,000 a month, Chamorro, 53, lives on Key Biscayne. His savings and wife **Linda**'s earnings as an interior designer support their family of four.

Chamorro, who left Nicaragua three months after the Sandinistas came to power in 1979, has lived in Florida long enough that his grade-school son now speaks English more fluently than Spanish.

At first, Chamorro joined exiles in informal, intellectual opposition to the government. He says he joined the FDN (Nicaraguan Democratic Forces), the largest of the "contra" guerrillas groups in December 1982 "because an American, saying he spoke for the (U.S.) president asked me to."

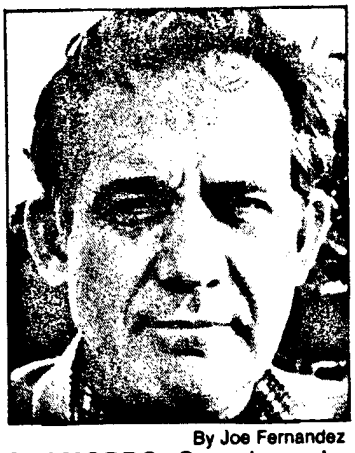
The Chamorros, wealthy and politically prominent in Nicaragua, have relatives on both sides of the dispute — six cousins are Sandinista ministers.

As one of FDN's seven-member directorate, Chamorro served as spokesman and public relations specialist, supervised clandestine radio broadcasts and gave lectures to guerrillas.

But three months ago — after he started speaking out publicly and embarrassing the CIA, Chamorro was dropped as spokesman. And next week, according to **Adolfo Calero** of the FDN directorate, Chamorro will be told to "integrate" with the organization or be removed from the directorate.

Miami seems safe to Chamorro, but he's changed his phone number and moved a couple of times. He recalls the time a British camera crew took him for a ride around Miami, posing him in front of wealthy homes and boats.

"I later heard they were hired by the Sandinistas and the film was shown in Nicaragua. They said all the wealthy places belonged to me."



By Joe Fernandez

CHAMORRO: Says he published guerrilla manual

— Ben Barber

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ŧCIA OFFICIALS; REJECTING BLAME OVER MANUAL; TO BE QUESTIONED
ŧBY ROBERT PARRY
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WASHINGTON (AP) - CONGRESSIONAL INVESTIGATORS ARE PLANNING TO INTERVIEW MIDLEVEL CIA OFFICIALS WHO WERE DISCIPLINED OVER THE SPY AGENCY'S NICARAGUAN REBEL MANUAL BUT WHO REPORTEDLY CLAIM THEY WERE MADE ''SCAPEGOATS'' TO PROTECT SENIOR CIA OFFICIALS.

ADMINISTRATION AND CONGRESSIONAL SOURCES; WHO INSISTED ON ANONYMITY; SAID WEDNESDAY THAT SEVERAL OF THE SIX CIA EMPLOYEES PUNISHED IN CONNECTION WITH THE MANUAL HAVE REFUSED TO ACCEPT THE DISCIPLINE BY REFUSING TO SIGN LETTERS BEING PLACED IN THEIR PERSONNEL FILES.

THE SOURCES SAID THOSE OBJECTING TO THE DISCIPLINE CLAIM THEY HAD NO ROLE IN APPROVING THE ORIGINAL MANUAL; WHICH COUNSELS THE CIA-BACKED REBELS ON ''SELECTIVE USE OF VIOLENCE'' TO ''NEUTRALIZE'' OFFICIALS OF NICARAGUA'S LEFTIST GOVERNMENT.

PRESIDENT REAGAN ON SATURDAY APPROVED A RECOMMENDATION BY THE CIA INSPECTOR GENERAL METING OUT DISCIPLINE TO A NUMBER OF MIDLEVEL AGENCY OFFICIALS BUT SPARING SENIOR OFFICIALS FROM ANY PUNISHMENT. REAGAN ALSO SAID THE MANUAL'S CONTENTS DID NOT VIOLATE A LONGSTANDING PRESIDENTIAL EXECUTIVE ORDER BARRING U.S. INVOLVEMENT IN ASSASSINATIONS.

BUT CONGRESSIONAL DEMOCRATS ARE STEPPING UP THEIR CRITICISM OF REAGAN'S DECISION AND ARE CALLING FOR A THOROUGH INVESTIGATION BY HOUSE AND SENATE OVERSIGHT COMMITTEES.

SEN. PATRICK LEAHY; D-VT.; A RANKING SENATE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE MEMBER; SAID; ''IF ALL THEY ARE DOING IS SLAPPING ON THE WRIST A FEW LOWER-LEVEL PEOPLE; YOU DON'T HAVE TO BE VERY CYNICAL TO REALIZE THAT SOMEBODY IS BEING PROTECTED.''

LEAHY SAID THE COMMITTEE MUST ''THOROUGHLY REVIEW'' THE INSPECTOR GENERAL'S REPORT TO PINPOINT PROBLEMS IN THE CIA'S COMMAND-AND-CONTROL STRUCTURE AND TO ''SEE IF SOMEONE WAS MADE A SCAPEGOAT.''

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''WHAT ABOUT THE SENIOR-LEVEL PEOPLE WHO EITHER KNEW ABOUT THE MANUAL OR SHOULD HAVE KNOWN ABOUT IT?'' MINETA ASKED.

SOURCES SAID THE HOUSE COMMITTEE STAFF PLANNED TO BEGIN INTERVIEWING THE DISCIPLINED CIA OFFICIALS; POSSIBLY AS EARLY AS TODAY; AS PART OF THE PANEL'S CONTINUING REVIEW OF HOW THE MANUAL WAS PRODUCED AND WHAT ROLE WAS PLAYED BY SENIOR OFFICIALS; INCLUDING CIA DIRECTOR WILLIAM J. CASEY.

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THE COMMITTEE IS EXPECTED TO HOLD HEARINGS ON THE ISSUE THE FIRST WEEK IN DECEMBER.

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ONE ADMINISTRATION OFFICIAL SAID THOSE PUNISHED INCLUDED THE CIA STATION CHIEF IN HONDURAS; WHERE MOST OF THE U.S.-BACKED REBELS ARE BASED; AND OFFICIALS INVOLVED IN PROPAGANDA ACTIVITIES RELATED TO THE NICARAGUAN COVERT ACTION.

THE OFFICIAL; SPEAKING ONLY ON CONDITION HE NOT BE IDENTIFIED; SAID THE DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS HAD RAISED CONCERNS INSIDE THE CIA THAT ''A PRECEDENT (WAS BEING SET THAT WHEN PROBLEMS ARISE) RESPONSIBILITY WILL BE GIVEN TO THE PEOPLE IN THE TRENCHES WHO ARE IMPLEMENTING LEGALLY GIVEN ORDERS.''

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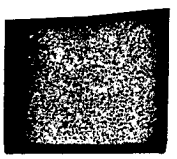

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THE OFFICIAL ADDED THAT PUNISHMENT HAD FALLEN DISPROPORTIONATELY ON CIA PERSONNEL ASSOCIATED WITH THE LATIN AMERICA DIVISION, WITH THE INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS DIVISION, WHICH IS RESPONSIBLE FOR PARAMILITARY ACTIVITIES WORLDWIDE, LARGELY SPARED FROM DISCIPLINE.

THE OFFICIAL SAID KIRKPATRICK HAD BEEN HIRED BY INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS AS AN EXPERT ON PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE AND IT WAS THAT SECTION THAT SENT HIM TO CENTRAL AMERICA, APPARENTLY WITHOUT INFORMING HIM ABOUT RULES GOVERNING CIA ACTIVITIES.

THE MANUAL WAS ''REALLY A COMMAND-AND-CONTROL PROBLEM,'' THE OFFICIAL SAID.

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U.S. GOVERNMENT SOURCES SAID THE ONE PARAGRAPH REFERRING TO PROFESSIONAL CRIMINALS WAS DELETED BEFORE A LATER PRINTING OF THE MANUAL EARLY THIS YEAR. ONE OFFICIAL SAID THAT DELETION OCCURRED BECAUSE A SPANISH LANGUAGE TRANSLATOR NOTICED THE PARAGRAPH AND POINTED IT OUT TO A SUPERVISOR WHO HAD IT REMOVED.

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MOYNIHAN
BY TIM GOLDEN

WASHINGTON (UPI) -- SEN. DANIEL MOYNIHAN, D-N.Y., MONDAY CRITICIZED PRESIDENT REAGAN'S DECISION TO REPRIMAND ONLY LOW-LEVEL CIA OFFICIALS FOR A NICARAGUAN REBEL MANUAL, SAYING ITS PRODUCTION REPRESENTED "A FAILURE OF COMMAND."

"IF ANYBODY'S TO BE REPRIMANDED, IT SHOULD NOT BE IN THE FIELD," MOYNIHAN, VICE CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE SELECT COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE, SAID IN A TELEPHONE INTERVIEW FROM JERUSALEM.

"THERE'S A FAILURE OF COMMMAND HERE," MOYNIHAN SAID.

REAGAN APPROVED TWO INTERNAL INVESTIGATIONS OF THE MANUAL SATURDAY, CONCLUDING THAT THE AGENCY'S PREPARATION OF THE MANUAL DID NOT VIOLATE U.S. LAW OR A BAN ON CIA INVOLVEMENT IN POLITICAL ASSASSINATIONS.

A CIA INSPECTOR GENERAL'S REPORT "IDENTIFIED INSTANCES OF POOR JUDGMENT AND LAPSES IN OVERSIGHT AT LOWER LEVELS WITHIN THE AGENCY" THAT LED TO THE MANUAL'S DISTRIBUTION BEFORE OBJECTIONABLE MATERIAL CONCERNING THE USE OF VIOLENCE COULD BE EXCISED.

THE 90-PAGE MANUAL RECOMMENDS THE "SELECTIVE USE OF VIOLENCE" TO "NEUTRALIZE" OFFICIALS OF NICARAGUA'S LEFTIST GOVERNMENT.

THE WHITE HOUSE SAID DISCIPLINARY ACTION AGAINST AN UNSPECIFIED NUMBER OF CIA EMPLOYEES COULD INCLUDE LETTERS OF REPRIMAND AND SUSPENSION OF PAY, BUT DID NOT SAY WHETHER ANY WOULD BE FIRED. IN HIS OCT. 21 TELEVISED DEBATE WITH DEMOCRAT WALTER MONDALE, REAGAN SAID HE WOULD DISMISS ANY CIA EMPLOYEE FOUND RESPONSIBLE FOR THE MANUAL.

MOYNIHAN, WHO WAS IN JERUSALEM TO ATTEND A CONFERENCE BUT HAD READ THE CIA INSPECTOR GENERAL'S REPORT ON THE MANUAL, SAID HE DID NOT THINK THE REPORT PRESENTED ALL THE INFORMATION AVAILABLE ABOUT THE MANUAL.

"IT'S NOT THE STORY I WOULD TELL," HE SAID, NOTING THE REPORT DID NOT POINT OUT THE MANUAL WAS DRAWN FROM A COURSE ON COMMUNIST GUERRILLA TACTICS USED IN 1968 AT THE U.S. ARMY SPECIAL WARFARE SCHOOL AT FORT BRAGG.

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"WHAT IS THE MATTER WITH OUR AGENCY THAT THEY CANNOT RECOGNIZE A COMMUNIST TEXT?" MOYNIHAN ASKED, ADDING, "THIS IS NOT SOMETHING AMERICANS SHOULD EVER RECOMMEND TO ANYBODY OR PRESCRIBE FOR THEMSELVES."

MOYNIHAN SAID "YOU HAVE TO ASSUME" THE INTENTION OF U.S.-BACKED REBEL FORCE WAS TO OVERTHROW NICARAGUA'S SANDINISTA GOVERNMENT, RATHER THAN TO INTERDICT ARMS SHIPMENTS FROM NICARAGUA TO EL SALVADOR AS REAGAN HAS MAINTAINED.

HOWEVER, HE ADDED, "THEY COULD HAVE HAD A NUMBER OF PURPOSES."

MOYNIHAN ALSO DENIED THE ASSERTION OF ONE OF HIS AIDES THAT HE SPOKE TO ROBERT MACFARLANE, REAGAN'S NATIONAL SECURITY ADVISER, LAST WEEK TO RECOMMEND THAT HIGHER-LEVEL OFFICIALS TAKE SOME RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE MANUAL.

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US-NICARAGUA (TOPS N008)
URGENT
BY LAWRENCE KNUTSON

SANTA BARBARA, CALIF. (AP) -- PRESIDENT REAGAN TODAY APPROVED DISCIPLINARY ACTION AGAINST JUNIOR OPERATIVES OF THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY INVOLVED IN THE PREPARATION OF A MANUAL FOR ANTI-SANDINISTA GUERRILLAS IN NICARAGUA WHICH HAS BEEN INTERPRETED AS ADVOCATING ASSASSINATIONS.

REAGAN ACCEPTED THE FINDINGS OF REPORTS BY THE CIA INSPECTOR GENERAL AND THE PRESIDENT'S INTELLIGENCE OVERSIGHT BOARD WHICH CONCLUDED THAT WHILE THERE HAD BEEN ''NO VIOLATION BY CIA PERSONNEL OR CONTRACT EMPLOYEES OF THE CONSTITUTION OR THE LAWS OF THE UNITED STATES,'' THERE HAD BEEN INSTANCES OF ''POOR JUDGMENT AND LAPSES OF OVERSIGHT AT LOWER LEVELS INSIDE THE AGENCY.''

REAGAN'S ACCEPTANCE OF THE REPORT COMES THREE DAYS AFTER HE DISMISSED CONCERN ABOUT THE MANUAL AND ITS ADVICE ON ''SELECTIVE USE OF VIOLENCE'' TO ''NEUTRALIZE'' NICARAGUAN OFFICIALS AS ''MUCH ADO ABOUT NOTHING.''

''RECOMMENDATIONS FOR CORRECTIVE MEASURES TO STRENGTHEN MANAGEMENT AND OVERSIGHT WITHIN THE CIA WERE APPROVED AS WELL AS DISCIPLINARY ACTION WHERE LAPSES IN JUDGMENT OR PERFORMANCE OCCURRED,'' THE WHITE HOUSE PRESS OFFICE SAID IN A STATEMENT.

THE STATMENT, ISSUED IN THE NAME OF CHIEF PRESIDENTIAL SPOKESMAN LARRY SPEAKES, SAID REAGAN HAS DIRECTED CIA DIRECTOR WILLIAM CASEY TO BRIEF THE INTELLIGENCE OVERSIGHT COMMITTEES OF THE HOUSE AND SENATE ON THE FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS CONTAINED IN THE INSPECTOR GENERAL'S REPORT.

PETER ROUSSEL, THE DEPUTY WHITE HOUSE SPOKESMAN, SAID THAT WHILE DISCIPLINARY ACTION COULD INCLUDE LETTERS OF REPRIMAND AND SUSPENSION HE DOES NOT KNOW EXACTLY WHAT PUNISHMENT WILL BE METED OUT.

HE SAID HE DOESN'T KNOW THE NUMBER OF JUNIOR CIA EMPLOYEES INVOLVED, BUT INTELLIGENCE SOURCES SAID THEY INCLUDED SEVERAL JUNIOR LEVEL OFFICIALS IN BOTH THE CIA'S CENTRAL AMERICAN AND COVERT ACTION DIVISIONS.

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THE SOURCES SAID ACTION ALSO WOULD BE TAKEN AGAINST THE MANUAL'S AUTHOR WHO WAS IDENTIFIED BY HIS PSEUDONYM JOHN KIRKPATRICK.

ROUSSEL SAID CASEY WILL GO INTO THOSE DETAILS WHEN HE BRIEFS THE CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEES.

THE WHITE HOUSE STATEMENT SAID THAT BOTH THE INTELLIGENCE BOARD AND THE CIA INSPECTOR GENERAL CONDUCTED ''DETAILED AND EXTENSIVE INQUIRIES INTO THE CONCEPTUAL NOTIVES AND ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES SURROUNDING THE PREPARATION OF THE PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE MANUAL WHICH WERE DELIVERED TO THE PRESIDENT AT HIS RANCH NEAR HERE ON THURSDAY.

''BOTH BODIES NOTED THAT THE DESPITE PORTIONS WHICH COULD BE MISINTERPRETED THE MANUAL HAD WORTHY PURPOSES -- INSTILLING IN NICARAGUAN FREEDOM FIGHTERS THE KNOWLEDGE OF HOW TO PROMOTE UNDERSTANDING OF THEIR GOALS AMONG THE PEOPLE AND COUNSELLING THEM ON APPROPRIATE BEHAVIOR ON DEALING WITH CIVILIANS.''

MEANWHILE, IN AN APPARENT ATTEMPT TO HEAD OFF A CONFRONTATION WITH MOSCOW OVER CENTRAL AMERICA, THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION SAYS IT HAS NO PROOF THAT A SOVIET FREIGHTER DELIVERED MIG-21 FIGHTERS TO NICARAGUA.

BUT A WHITE HOUSE OFFICIAL, WHO SPOKE FRIDAY ON ON CONDITION HE NOT BE IDENTIFIED SAID HE BELIEVES THE SOVIETS ARE BACKING A MAJOR CONVENTIONAL ARMS BUILDUP IN NICARAGUA TO GUARANTEE ITS CONTINUITY AS A SOVIET-SPONSORED STATE.

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Punishment Urged Over CIA Manual

Internal Investigation Implicates Several Aides

By Joanne Omang and Margaret Shapiro
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The CIA inspector general's office has recommended disciplinary action against several employes involved in production of a controversial manual for U.S.-backed rebels in Nicaragua that advocated "selective use of violence" to "neutralize" political targets, sources familiar with the contents of the report said yesterday.

Sources said the report recommended "significant" disciplinary action against fewer than 10 CIA employes for their role in producing, approving and distributing the 90-page manual, including some middle-level CIA officials who reportedly approved distribution of the manual last fall without understanding its Spanish text.

The report was requested by President Reagan last month after the existence of the manual, "Psychological Operations and Guerrilla War," was disclosed and an uproar developed on Capitol Hill.

Congress funded the rebels with the assurance that they were operating simply to stop the flow of arms from the leftist Sandinista government of Nicaragua into neighboring El Salvador, and Congress cut off all funding for the covert war in October.

The administration has indicated that it will go back to Congress for further aid to the rebels next year.

Reagan said at a news conference after his reelection this week that the furor over the manual was "much ado about nothing."

The inspector general's report comes a day after Edgar Chamorro, a rebel leader, told House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence staff members that the CIA knew of and fully supported the rebels' aim of overthrowing the Sandinistas.

But he said CIA officials coached the rebels to say publicly only that they were fighting to pressure the Sandinistas toward greater democracy, to avoid congressional disapproval of the program.

Chamorro said this was part of a congressional lobbying effort that included CIA briefings of rebels on the political background of members of Congress who visited the rebels' Honduras base.

This was to make sure the rebel leaders knew how to approach the lawmakers, he said.

Chamorro also told the staffers that the rebels, known as "contras," did not have a policy of assassination or "neutralization" but that there were cases where rebel commanders had ordered the execution of civilians or prisoners.

In an interview yesterday with The Washington Post, Chamorro said, "We never planned an operation to massacre civilians. That was a bad side-effect." He added, "Some of the commanders didn't like to have to carry prisoners along with them."

He added that his rebel organization, the Nicaraguan Democratic Force (FDN), the largest CIA-backed group, has taken action against several rebel commanders.

Chamorro said that when the CIA first helped organize FDN in late 1982, "we were always assured that this was a serious effort and we were going to overthrow the Sandinistas by July 1983 or the end of the year at the latest."

But, he said, CIA officials carefully coached the rebels that the "public message was stopping the arms, stopping the exporting of revolution, a Democratic Nicaragua."

He added that many rebel leaders objected to this public definition of their aims. "We felt we were not mercenaries or a border patrol or an A-team for the United States [but] fighters to liberate Nicaragua." Chamorro appeared before House Intelligence Committee staffers on Wednesday as part of an investigation into the guerrilla warfare manual.

Chamorro said he told the committee that the manual was designed to bring some sort of discipline to the disorderly, and often violent, rebel groups. He said he was asked to translate the manual by a CIA employe, known to him as John Kirkpatrick, but that sections encouraging rebels to hire professional criminals and to kill fellow rebels to create martyrs were included without his knowledge.

He said he was "shocked" to see those sections, and ripped them out of most copies of the manual before it was distributed. He said that all copies contained recommendations that violence be used to "neutralize" some targets.

Chamorro said that, at the time, he interpreted the word "neutralize" to mean make ineffective, not assassinate.

The inspector general's report on the manual was delivered to the House and Senate intelligence committees yesterday.

Special correspondent Brian Barger contributed to this report.

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ŧReagan Reviews CIA Report on Manual

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WASHINGTON (AP) - President Reagan on Friday reviewed the CIA inspector general's findings on the Nicaraguan rebel manual, including a recommendation that the agency discipline several junior-level officials involved in its production, sources said.

Intelligence sources said the recommendations were already being implemented, but in Santa Barbara, Calif., where Reagan is vacationing at his ranch, White House press aide Peter Roussel said Reagan had not yet approved the report.

However, two sources said the president apparently had no objections to the findings.

The sources, who insisted on anonymity, said the report proposed action against the manual's author, identified by his pseudonym, John Kirkpatrick, and personnel in the spy agency's Central American and covert action divisions.

The report called for no action against senior-level CIA officials, who were found not to have direct knowledge about the contents of the psychological operations manual that was distributed to Nicaraguan rebels a year ago, the sources said.

While the sources declined to provide details, they said the junior-level officials would be reprimanded.

Reagan's review of the report comes two days after he dismissed concern about the manual and its advice on ''selective use of violence'' to ''neutralize'' Nicaraguan officials as ''much ado about nothing.''

Besides the ''neutralization'' section, the 90-page manual, entitled ''Psychological Operations in Guerrilla War,'' suggested hiring professional criminals to carry out ''selective jobs''; arranging the death of a rebel supporter to create a ''martyr'' for the cause; and coercing Nicaraguans into carrying out rebel assignments.

Sen. Daniel Patrick Moynihan, D-N.Y., vice chairman of the Senate Intelligence Committee, criticized the inspector general's reports for failing to acknowledge that the manual adopts ''the practices of the Marxist-Leninist insurgencies in Asia and the Western Hemisphere.''

''The appalling fact of the inspector general's report is that nowhere is there the least indication that even the inspector general - after the event - had any inkling of the ideological (origin) of these doctrines,'' Moynihan said.

One source said the internal CIA investigation ''determined that the manual and its talk of neutralization gave support to the idea of killing people'' and thus could be seen as conflicting with presidential executive orders barring U.S. involvement in assassinations.

''Neutralization just means killing people,'' said the source, who has direct knowledge of the CIA's support for the rebels fighting Nicaragua's leftist government. ''It doesn't mean anything else.''

The source said the inspector general's report concluded that junior-level officials dealing with Kirkpatrick had not informed him about relevant rules governing U.S. activities. Kirkpatrick, who had experience with U.S. Special Forces in Vietnam, was a CIA contract employee, meaning that he was hired for a limited period of time.

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ŧGovernment Arrests 107 More In Crackdown On Dissent

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ŦCIA Said To Urge Punishment For Those Involved With Latin Manual
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WASHINGTON - The inspector general of the Central Intelligence Agency has called for the punishment of several agency officials for their roles in preparing a CIA manual advising Nicaraguan rebels to assassinate Nicaraguan officials; congressional and intelligence officials said on Friday.

In a classified report on the manual submitted to Congress on Friday; the inspector general ''recommends that five or six officials be disciplined;'' a congressional aide familiar with the report said. The inspector general's report is to provide the basis for the disciplinary actions.

But Sen. Daniel P. Moynihan; the New York Democrat who is vice chairman of the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence; after reading the report on Friday; called it ''appalling;'' adding that ''it looks like seven sergeants are going to lose weekend privileges for a month.''

Another senior government official who has read the CIA report said it recommends ''significant'' disciplinary actions; but he would not elaborate. He added; however; that ''no senior officers are involved.''

In a letter last month to members of Congress; William J. Casey; director of Central Intelligence; defended the manual; saying that its purpose was to make the guerrillas persuasive in ''face to face communication'' and that its ''emphasis is on education; avoiding combat when necessary.''

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ON NOV. 3, PRESIDENT REAGAN, CALLING CASEY'S EXPLANATION "VERY FORTHCOMING," TOLD REPORTERS THERE WAS "NOTHING IN THAT MANUAL THAT TALKED ASSASSINATION AT ALL." HE SAID A REFERENCE TO "NEUTRALIZING" OFFICIALS, WHICH ADMINISTRATION CRITICS SAID WAS A EUPHEMISM FOR ASSASSINATION, MEANT REMOVING THEM FROM OFFICE.

A SENIOR INTELLIGENCE OFFICIAL ASSERTED THAT CIA INVESTIGATORS HAD FOUND THAT AGENCY OFFICIALS WERE BUSY WITH OTHER MATTERS WHEN THEY REVIEWED THE MANUAL LAST YEAR AND DID NOT PAY CLOSE ATTENTION TO IT.

THE MANUAL WAS "AN OVERSIGHT," THE OFFICIAL SAID. THE INSPECTOR GENERAL CONCLUDED THAT NO ONE HAD INTENDED TO BYPASS THE EXECUTIVE ORDER PROHIBITING U.S. OFFICIALS FROM TAKING PART IN OR ENCOURAGING ASSASSINATIONS, THE OFFICIAL SAID.

THE AGENCY EMPLOYEE WHO WROTE THE MANUAL, THE CIA OFFICIAL ADDED, "HADN'T THE FOGGIEST IDEA WHAT EXECUTIVE ORDER 12333 WAS." THAT 1981 ORDER BY REAGAN BANS PARTICIPATION IN ASSASSINATIONS.

ON FRIDAY, MOYNIHAN SAID: "THE INSPECTOR GENERAL REPEATEDLY ASSERTS THAT THE MANUAL DID NOT INTEND WHAT IT CLEARLY DID INTEND."

HE ADDED: "THE REPORT KEEPS SAYING, 'NO, WE DIDN'T MEAN ASSASSINATE AND, NO, WE DIDN'T MEAN CREATING MARTYRS,' WHEN OF COURSE THAT IS EXACTLY WHAT THEY MEANT. THE ONLY IMPORTANCE OF THIS REPORT IS WHAT IS NOT IN IT."

AFTER REMARKING THAT HE WAS NOT HAPPY WITH THE RECOMMENDATIONS ON DISCIPLINARY ACTION, MOYNIHAN SAID THE MOST "APPALLING FACT OF THE INSPECTOR GENERAL'S REPORT IS THAT NOWHERE IS THERE THE LEAST INDICATION THAT EVEN THE INSPECTOR GENERAL, AFTER THE EVENT, HAD ANY INKLING OF THE IDEOLOGICAL PROVENANCE OF THE DOCTRINES" EXPRESSED IN THE MANUAL.

THE MANUAL, WHICH HAS BEEN THE SUBJECT OF HARSH CRITICISM FROM CONGRESS AND ELSEWHERE FOR THE LAST THREE WEEKS, ADVISES THE ANTI-SANDINISTA REBELS TO "KIDNAP ALL NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS." IT SUGGESTS HIRING CRIMINALS WHO WILL ARRANGE THE SHOOTING DEATHS OF FELLOW REBELS SO THEY WILL BECOME MARTYRS FOR THE CAUSE. AND IT SAYS ORDINARY NICARAGUAN CITIZENS SHOULD BE BLACKMAILED SO THEY ARE FORCED TO JOIN THE REBEL CAUSE.

THE SECTION THAT HAS CAUSED THE MOST CONTROVERSY, ENTITLED "SELECTIVE USE OF VIOLENCE," SAYS: "IT IS POSSIBLE TO NEUTRALIZE CAREFULLY SELECTED AND PLANNED TARGETS, SUCH AS COURT JUDGES, POLICE, AND STATE SECURITY OFFICIALS. IT IS ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY TO GATHER TOGETHER THE POPULATION AFFECTED SO THAT THEY WILL TAKE PART IN THE ACT."

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THE MANUAL WAS BASED ON A U.S. ARMY SPECIAL FORCES PRIMER ON PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE USED IN THE 1960s. ON FRIDAY, MOYNIHAN SAID THE ARMY COURSE ''WAS AN ATTEMPT TO SUMMARIZE THE TACTICS OF VARIOUS COMMUNIST INSURGENCIES OF THE PREVIOUS DECADES.''

MOYNIHAN ADDED: ''HERE IS THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY, SO MUCH DEVOTED TO THE TASK OF OPPOSING COMMUNISM IN THE WORLD, SEEMINGLY INCAPABLE OF RECOGNIZING A MARXIST-LENINIST MANUAL'' THAT ITS OWN EMPLOYEE HAD PREPARED.

''THIS IS LESS A PROBLEM OF MORALITY THAN IT IS OF POLITICAL LITERACY,'' HE ADDED.

IN AN INTERVIEW, EDGAR CHAMORRO, THE NICARAGUAN REBEL LEADER WHO WAS IN CHARGE OF PUBLISHING THE MANUAL, SAID THE CIA EMPLOYEE WHO WROTE IT ''TOLD US THAT THE UNITED STATES WASN'T VERY GOOD AT FIGHTING GUERRILLA WARS.'' HE ADDED: ''THE U.S. HAD NEVER WON ONE. THE COMMUNISTS WERE THE ONES WHO KNEW HOW TO FIGHT GUERRILLA WARS, AND HE WAS GOING TO TEACH US HOW THEY DO IT.''

DURING A PRESS CONFERENCE ON WEDNESDAY, REAGAN SAID THE MANUAL ''WAS MUCH ADO ABOUT NOTHING.'' IN HIS COMMENTS TO REPORTERS ON NOV. 3, HE SAID THE SECTION ON NEUTRALIZING GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS REALLY MEANT: ''YOU JUST SAY TO THE FELLOW WHO'S SITTING THERE IN THE OFFICE: 'YOU'RE NOT IN THE OFFICE ANYMORE.' ''

BEFORE THE ELECTION, REAGAN AND THE WHITE HOUSE NATIONAL SECURITY ADVISER, ROBERT C. MCFARLANE, SAID ANY GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL INVOLVED IN THE PREPARATION OR APPROVAL OF THE MANUAL WOULD BE DISMISSED.

DURING THE SECOND PRESIDENTIAL DEBATE, ON OCT. 21, REAGAN SAID OFFICIALS FOUND GUILTY OF INVOLVEMENT WITH THE MANUAL ''WILL BE REMOVED.''

BUT ASKED ABOUT HIS PLANS FOR DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS ON WEDNESDAY, REAGAN SAID HE WANTED TO READ THE INSPECTOR GENERAL'S REPORT BEFORE DECIDING, AND ADDED: ''I'M NOT GOING TO COMMIT IN ADVANCE TO ANYTHING.''

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CBS Depicted as Soft on CIA Agent

See the Cajolery, Gen. Westmoreland's Lawyer Tells Jurors

By Eleanor Randolph
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NEW YORK, Nov. 7—Dan M. Burt, lead attorney for retired Army general William C. Westmoreland in his $120 million libel action against CBS, sounded for a moment today like a barker promising one of the better shows so far in this Manhattan courtroom.

As technicians cued up videotapes of a CBS interview, Burt told the jury to pay close attention to the uncut version of the encounter between CBS producer George Crile and the CIA's former deputy chief for Vietnam, George Allen.

"Watch Mr. Crile cajole Mr. Allen to get his answers," Burt promised the jury. "Listen to Mr. Crile inflate Mr. Allen's credentials."

Then, for almost an hour, the jury saw Crile interviewing Allen in a way that Westmoreland and his attorneys say was unfairly conciliatory and that was in stark contrast to a tougher interviewing of Westmoreland by Crile and CBS reporter/interviewer Mike Wallace.

At one point, Crile began a difficult question by saying: "George, I know this is a lousy place to take you, but I'm going to." And later, when Crile asked Allen about his position in Vietnam, Allen looked puzzled and answered: "What do you want me to say, George?" Crile responded: "It's not what I want you to say."

Moreover, Allen, unlike other witnesses, was interviewed a second time, after seeing what others had said on the same issue—a technique strongly criticized not only by Westmoreland and within the television community, but internally at CBS after the broadcast two years ago.

At issue in this trial is whether the CBS documentary "The Uncounted Enemy: A Vietnam Deception" libeled Westmoreland when the network charged a conspiracy by the military to hold down estimates of enemy troop strength to maintain public support of the war.

CBS attorney David Boies said Allen would testify later that his views were presented "accurately and fairly" in the broadcast, which drew heavily on information from Allen and his former protege at the CIA, Samuel A. Adams, who was a consultant for the CBS show and is now a co-defendant in the trial.

Allen was reminded by Crile during the interview that, before the cameras rolled, he had called the CIA's failure to continue arguing with the army about troop strength in Vietnam "the mistake of the century." During the interview, Allen said those at the CIA "perverted ourselves" by allowing the secret information arm of the government "to be used in a way that was not beneficial to the interest of the U.S." Allen still performs contract work for the CIA.

Although CBS tried to keep the raw, unedited "outtakes" of the interview and a subsequent Allen filming out of court, U.S. District Court Judge Pierre Leval ruled last week that Burt could show it to the jury.

Burt, in side arguments that could not be heard by the jury, said last week that he wanted to show the Allen interview because "we are talking about an attempt to fabricate an answer, to fabricate an interview . . . ."

Boies, in the same encounter unheard by the jury, argued that proof of malice "has nothing to do with whether a witness like George Allen is being coddled or not, or whether a witness like George Allen is being encouraged or not . . . or whether a witness like George Allen is interviewed twice."

Special correspondent John Kennedy contributed to this report.

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For the Record

From a letter to Secretary of State George Shultz from Miguel D'Escoto Brockman, foreign minister of Nicaragua, Oct. 24:

Allow me to address Your Excellency in reference to the "Manual of Psychological Operations in Guerrilla Warfare" made by the Central Intelligence Agency (CIA). . . .

The manual prepared by the CIA contemplates, among other terrorist and illegal actions, the hiring of professional criminals in order to commit assassinations, the neutralization of state officials by means of "selective use of violence," the creation of "martyrs," encouraging the organizing of violent rallies that would lead to the death of participants, and the killing of civilians trying to flee from the towns that may be occupied by mercenary forces at the service of your government.

Moreover, the manual prepared by the CIA is a new material proof of the official policy of state terrorism that is backed by the . . . administration against the Nicaraguan people and is added confirmation of the criminal extent of the military and paramilitary activities against the sovereignty and political independence of Nicaragua, in open violation of the ordinance issued by the International Court of Justice . . . .

It is important to point out that President Reagan himself recognized during the . . . debate . . . that the manual was sent to the head of the CIA in Nicaragua in order to be printed. This new acknowledgment, at the highest level of government, adds to the open interference that the United States government has been practicing in the internal affairs of Nicaragua, through the pressure on different political parties that form the "Ramiro Sacasa Guerrero Coordinate" in order that they withhold their participation in the electoral process.

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NICARAGUA MANUAL REPORTS GOING TO REAGAN ON ELECTION DAY
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WASHINGTON (AP) - PRESIDENT REAGAN IS EXPECTED TO RECEIVE TWO INVESTIGATIVE REPORTS ON THE CIA'S PRODUCTION OF A NICARAGUAN REBEL MANUAL ON TUESDAY; WITH THE FINDINGS UNLIKELY TO BE MADE PUBLIC UNTIL AFTER ELECTION DAY; A WHITE HOUSE SPOKESMAN SAID.

ROBERT SIMS; A WHITE HOUSE FOREIGN POLICY SPOKESMAN; SAID MONDAY A REPORT BY THE PRESIDENT'S INTELLIGENCE OVERSIGHT BOARD IS ''ESSENTIALLY COMPLETED'' AND - ALONG WITH AN INTERNAL CIA REPORT - WILL BE SENT TUESDAY TO REAGAN; WHO WILL BE IN CALIFORNIA TO VOTE AND AWAIT THE ELECTION RESULTS.

DEMOCRATIC MEMBERS OF CONGRESSIONAL INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEES CHARGED LAST WEEK THAT THE ADMINISTRATION WAS DRAGGING ITS FEET ON INVESTIGATIONS INTO THE MANUAL; WHICH SUGGESTS ''SELECTIVE USE OF VIOLENCE'' TO ''NEUTRALIZE'' NICARAGUAN OFFICIALS; TO AVOID EMBARRASSING REAGAN BEFORE THE ELECTION.

ON SATURDAY; REAGAN DENIED THOSE CHARGES ALONG WITH SUGGESTIONS THAT THE WORD ''NEUTRALIZE'' IMPLIED THE USE OF FORCE OR VIOLENCE. ASKED WHAT THE WORD MEANT; THE PRESIDENT RESPONDED: ''YOU JUST SAY TO THE FELLA WHO'S SITTIN' THERE IN THE OFFICE; 'YOU'RE NOT IN THE OFFICE ANYMORE.'''

NICARAGUA'S LEFTIST GOVERNMENT HAS CHARGED THAT REBEL FORCES HAVE ''ASSASSINATED'' 854 CIVILIANS SINCE FIGHTING BEGAN IN 1981; AND TWO WEEKS AGO; EDGAR CHAMORRO; PROPAGANDA CHIEF OF THE CIA-BACKED NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC FORCE; SAID IT WAS THE REBEL GROUP'S ''PRACTICE'' TO EXECUTE GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS DEEMED ''CRIMINALS'' - AN ASSERTION DENIED BY OTHER REBEL LEADERS.

THE 90-PAGE MANUAL; ENTITLED ''PSYCHOLOGICAL OPERATIONS IN GUERRILLA WAR;'' WAS PREPARED BY A CIA EMPLOYEE IN CENTRAL AMERICA A YEAR AGO AND WAS DISTRIBUTED IN VARYING FORMS TO REBELS BATTLING TO OVERTHROW NICARAGUA'S LEFTIST GOVERNMENT.

DURING THE OCT. 21 PRESIDENTIAL DEBATE; REAGAN SAID A NUMBER OF PAGES DEALING WITH OBJECTIONABLE MATTERS WERE DELETED FROM THE ORIGINAL MANUAL WHEN IT WAS REVIEWED BY THE CIA CHIEF IN CENTRAL AMERICA AND MORE PAGES WERE DROPPED BY OFFICIALS AT CIA HEADQUARTERS IN LANGLEY; VA.

INTELLIGENCE OFFICIALS HAVE SAID ONLY ONE PARAGRAPH THAT SUGGESTED HIRING PROFESSIONAL CRIMINALS TO CARRY OUT ''SELECTIVE JOBS'' WAS DELETED.

THEY SAID OTHER SECTIONS DEALING WITH ''NEUTRALIZING'' OFFICIALS; ARRANGING THE DEATH OF A REBEL SUPPORTER TO CREATE A ''MARTYR;'' AND COERCING NICARAGUANS INTO CARRYING OUT ASSIGNMENTS WERE ALL LEFT IN THE FINAL VERSION PRINTED AT CIA HEADQUARTERS.

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ŧCIA CLAIMS ABUSES BY NICARAGUAN REBELS ARE RARE

ŧBY ROBERT PARRY

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WASHINGTON (AP) - THE CIA IS AWARE SOME NICARAGUAN REBEL SOLDIERS HAVE COMMITTED ATROCITIES INSIDE NICARAGUA; BUT THE SPY AGENCY INSISTS ABUSES ARE RARE; ADMINISTRATION AND CONGRESSIONAL OFFICIALS SAY.

''YOU DO HAVE YOUR MY LAI'S DOWN THERE;'' SAID ONE ADMINISTRATION OFFICIAL; REFERRING THE 1968 MASSACRE IN VIETNAM CARRIED OUT BY U.S. TROOPS. ''THEY (THE REBELS) ARE A PRETTY TOUGH BUNCH.''

WHILE ARGUING THAT ''YOU CAN'T FIGHT A PALATABLE WAR;'' THE OFFICIAL; WHO SPOKE ON CONDITION HE WOULDN'T BE IDENTIFIED; ADDED: ''DID THE AGENCY FIND THEM DOING SOME UNACCEPTABLE THINGS? I'D GIVE YOU A RESOUNDING 'YES.'''

THE BEST-KNOWN CASE INVOLVED A REBEL LEADER; CALLED COMMANDER SUICIDE; WHO WENT ON A RAMPAGE IN MID-1983 AFTER HIS WIFE; ALSO A REBEL; WAS KILLED; SEVERAL OFFICIALS SAID. THEY SAID COMMANDER SUICIDE AND SOME OF HIS TROOPS RAPED PEASANT WOMEN AND MURDERED CIVILIANS.

WHEN HE RETURNED TO HONDURAS NEAR THE END OF 1983; COMMANDER SUICIDE WAS PLACED IN A MAKESHIFT JAIL IN EASTERN HONDURAS; COURT-MARTIALED AND EXECUTED; ACCORDING TO ONE U.S. OFFICIAL FAMILIAR WITH THE CASE AND TO EDGAR CHAMORRO; PROPAGANDA CHIEF FOR THE NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC FORCE; THE LARGEST U.S.-BACKED REBEL GROUP; KNOWN BY ITS SPANISH INITIALS FDN.

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FDN PRESIDENT ADOLFO CALERO; HOWEVER; HAS REPEATEDLY DENIED SUCH CHARGES; CLAIMING THAT ''TERRORISM ... IS SOMETHING WE HAVEN'T DONE.''

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IN WINTERSET; IOWA; ON SATURDAY; PRESIDENT REAGAN WAS ASKED IF THAT WOULD IMPLY USING FORCE OR VIOLENCE TO REMOVE PEOPLE FROM OFFICE. ''NO; YOU JUST SAY TO THE FELLA WHO'S SITTIN' THERE IN THE OFFICE; 'YOU'RE NOT IN THE OFFICE ANY MORE;''' REAGAN REPLIED.

REAGAN SAID PUBLIC OUTCRY OVER THE MANUAL WAS ''ALL A GREAT BIG SCARE.'' HE CONTENDED ''THERE WAS NOTHING IN THAT MANUAL THAT HAD ANYTHING TO DO WITH ASSASSINATIONS.''

AN OCT. 31 ARTICLE IN THE WASHINGTON POST SAID CIA CONCERNS OVER REPORTS LAST YEAR THAT FDN FORCES WERE INDISCRIMINATELY KILLING CIVILIANS PROMPTED PRODUCTION OF THE MANUAL; WHICH OPPOSES ''EXPLICIT TERROR'' AGAINST THE GENERAL POPULATION.

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ANOTHER ADMINISTRATION OFFICIAL SAID THE REBEL FIGHTERS ARE GENERALLY YOUNG PEASANTS; NOT EASILY CONTROLLED BY EITHER CIA OFFICERS OR FDN LEADERS WHO REMAIN BACK IN HONDURAN BASE CAMPS WHEN THE TROOPS MAKE FORAYS INTO NICARAGUA.

STAFF AIDES ON BOTH THE HOUSE AND SENATE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEES SAID THE CIA EITHER HAS DENIED CHARGES OF REBEL ABUSES OR INSISTED THEY WERE ISOLATED ACTIONS.

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A Hypocritical Uproar

Did Washington Think the Contras Were Playing Jacks?

By Edward Cody

IT SHOULD COME as no surprise that top officials of the Reagan administration are sending out conflicting signals about how the United States should deal with terrorism. To someone who has often worked among those called terrorists by one side or another, it seems American interest in the subject has never moved beyond slogans and threats. The incoherent debate in Washington over a how-to manual for anti-Sandinista rebels in Nicaragua helps explain why.

Congressional committee members are investigating how the Central Intelligence Agency could have supplied guidelines that advocated assassination by another name and seemed aimed at overthrowing the Sandinista government. This, they contend, is not what they were told during briefings by the agency. U.S. law clearly forbids assassination, and wasn't our policy only to interdict arms shipments to Salvadoran rebels and pressure Sandinista leaders?

These same committee members have approved an estimated $80 million to finance rebel activities against the Sandinistas since 1981. Presumably with their knowledge, some of the money went for AK47 and FAL assault rifles, explosives and mortars. Some went to feed and clothe the 10,000 Nicaraguans, mostly young peasants, who have joined rebel ranks.

Did anyone on those committees seriously believe the automatic rifles were to be used only in Geneva-Convention engagements with the regular Popular Sandinista Army? Did anyone believe the explosives were not going to blow up civilian targets, including people, as has been the case in all guerrilla wars? Did anyone really accept the idea these Nicaraguan rebels were going into hostile mountains to live like hunted animals for months at a stretch only to support President Reagan's policy of harassing the Sandinistas?

I can only believe not. Leaders of the main rebel group, the Nicaraguan Democratic Force, freely tell reporters their objective is to overthrow the Sandinista government. We report back on what they say, and it appears in the newspaper. Sandinista officials complain constantly about civilians killed by guerrilla attackers. We report back on what they say also, and it appears in the newspaper. Sometimes, when we are lucky or particularly resourceful, there is on-scene verification. Again, it appears in the newspaper. No, I cannot believe congressional committee members had no idea the funds they approved were paying for, among other things, assassinations carried out by Nicaraguans resolved to overthrow their country's government with U.S. help.

Instead, the concern seems to focus on seeing all this written down in a manual compiled by U.S. officials. We who monitor these problems from within countries where they are occurring always wonder about Washington's fascination with words over deeds. But it is a fact, and once again we are seeing it in action. The deeds of anti-Sandinista rebels are fairly well known, and have been for some two years. Now suddenly a manual putting these deeds into print — "neutralize" — is an issue.

Maybe this is so because the U.S. government has always taken the high ground in discussions of terrorism. When Syrian intelligence helps Islamic extremists "neutralize" U.S. military or diplomatic installations, the administration and Congress harmonize loudly to condemn state-supported terrorism. Now they are face to face with official U.S. guidelines that read like the same thing.

The anti-Sandinista guerrillas have been engaging in such acts with CIA guidance for some time, bombing Managua's main airport, torching food warehouses and taking out Sandinista officials along mountain roads. But that this is written down somewhere apparently gives it new reality.

Perhaps by accident, Secretary of State George Shultz chooses the same moment to suggest the United States should respond to terrorist attacks by striking back even if the target is uncertain and innocent people may get killed in the process.

In other words, bomb Islamic extremists in the Bekaa Valley of eastern Lebanon even if U.S. intelligence is unsure those extremists are planning another strike against U.S. targets and even if some Lebanese marijuana farmers get blown up as a byproduct. This policy has been used by Israel, although it has created a lot of enemies.

If such a policy were adopted by Nicaragua, however, Sandinista planes could be expected to attack such points in Honduras as Las Vegas, where the anti-Sandinista rebels have a large base camp, or perhaps Tegucigalpa, the capital city where they operate from several large homes.

This, of course, is not what Shultz has in mind. For the Reagan administration, the anti-Sandinista rebels are not terrorists but freedom fighters. The same is true of Afghan rebels fighting with CIA help against a Soviet-sponsored government in Kabul. But in a policy such as Shultz has outlined, it is the aggrieved government planning to strike back that defines who the terrorists are.

So if for the United States Islamic extremists are terrorists, then perhaps for the Sandinistas the U.S.-supported rebels in Honduras also are terrorists, or perhaps for the Soviets in Kabul so are the Afghanis operating out of Pakistan.

One man's state-supported terrorist is another's freedom fighter. If for Clausewitz war was the continuation of politics by other means, then for the nations of 1984, state-supported terrorism is the continuation of cold war by other means.

A straightforward solution is to respond in kind, as Shultz seems to be suggesting, and damn the consequences. Israeli governments traditionally pursue this course and thereby earn the respect of most nations, particularly ours (though not of any Arab states). But the uproar over the anti-Sandinista manual suggests the U.S. Congress might not tolerate for the United States what it applauds for Israel.

Another solution is to stake out the high ground and stay there in deed as well as word. The outrage over "neutralize" would then extend to outrage over sponsoring freedom fighters, or terrorists to the other side. You cannot have it both ways.

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EDITOR'S NOTE: ROBERT PARRY HAS REPORTED ON CENTRAL AMERICAN AND INTELLIGENCE ACTIVITIES FOR THE ASSOCIATED PRESS SINCE 1981.

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WINTERSET, IOWA (UPI) -- PRESIDENT REAGAN SAID SATURDAY A FAULTY TRANSLATION MIGHT HAVE LED PEOPLE TO THINK THAT THE CIA WAS ADVOCATING ASSASSINATIONS IN NICARAGUA, BUT PREDICTED THE CONTROVERSY EVENTUALLY WILL BE JUDGED "ALL A GREAT BIG SCARE."

"THERE WAS NOTHING IN THAT MANUAL THAT TALKED ASSASSINATION AT ALL," HE TOLD REPORTERS WHILE VISITING THE CHILDHOOD HOME OF THE LATE ACTOR JOHN WAYNE.

THE MANUAL, PREPARED BY THE CIA FOR REBELS FIGHTING THE MARXIST GOVERNMENT IN NICARAGUA, CALLED FOR "NEUTRALIZING" GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS. MANY INTERPRETED THE WORD TO MEAN POLITICAL ASSASSINATION.

"I SUPPOSE YOU COULD CONSTRUE IT IN SEVERAL WAYS," REAGAN SAID. "THE REAL WORD WAS 'REMOVE,' MEANING 'REMOVE FROM OFFICE.'

THE PRESIDENT SAID THE MANUAL, AS WRITTEN IN ENGLISH SAID, "IF YOU CAME INTO A VILLAGE OR TOWN, REMOVE FROM OFFICE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE SANDINISTA GOVERNMENT."

HOWEVER, HE SAID, "WHEN THEY TRANSLATED IT INTO SPANISH, THEY TRANSLATED IT 'NEUTRALIZE' INSTEAD OF 'REMOVE,' BUT THE MEANING STILL REMAINS THE SAME."

THE PRESIDENT SAID HE HAD NOT SEEN THE MANUAL, BUT CONTENDED HE KNEW "ENOUGH ABOUT THE REPORT" TO CONCLUDE THAT THE MATTER HAD BEEN EXAGGERATED.

"I THINK YOU'RE GOING TO FIND THAT IT WAS ALL A GREAT BIG SCARE AND THAT THERE WAS NOTHING IN THAT MANUAL THAT HAD ANYTHING TO DO WITH ASSASSINATIONS OR ANYTHING OF THAT KIND," HE SAID.

REAGAN DENIED THAT THE WHITE HOUSE IS HOLDING BACK A REPORT INTO THE AFFAIR AND STRESSED THAT THE MATTER STILL IS UNDER REVIEW BY HIS THREE-MEMBER INTELLIGENCE OVERSIGHT BOARD.

CIA DIRECTOR WILLIAM CASEY, WHO RECEIVED A VOTE OF CONFIDENCE FROM REAGAN DURING A BRIEF QUESTION-AND-ANSWER SESSION WITH REPORTERS, TOLD MEMBERS OF THE SENATE AND HOUSE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEES IN AN OCT. 25 LETTER THAT THE "THRUST AND PURPOSE" OF THE MANUAL WAS "ON THE WHOLE, QUITE DIFFERENT FROM THE IMPRESSION THAT HAS BEEN CREATED IN THE MEDIA."

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WASHINGTON (UPI) -- CIA DIRECTOR WILLIAM CASEY HAS WRITTEN THE SENATE AND HOUSE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEES DEFENDING AN AGENCY MANUAL FOR U.S.-SUPPORTED NICARAGUAN REBELS THAT CALLED FOR "NEUTRALIZING" LOCAL NICARAGUAN OFFICIALS, INTELLIGENCE SOURCES SAID FRIDAY.

THE SOURCES SAID CASEY SENT THE TWO-PAGE LETTERS, ALONG WITH TRANSLATIONS OF THE SPANISH LANGUAGE MANUAL, TO THE CONGRESSIONAL OVERSIGHT PANELS OCT. 25.

IN THE LETTER, CASEY COMPLAINED THAT THE MEDIA HAD DISTORTED THE INTENT OF THE BOOKLET, WHICH WAS DESIGNED AS "A MANUAL ON PSYCHOLOGICAL OPERATIONS TOGETHER WITH THE CODE OF CONDUCT PREPARED IN POCKET SIZE FOR EVERY F.D.N. (NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC FORCE) SOLDIER TO CARRY WITH HIM AT ALL TIMES" IN OPERATIONS AGAINST THE MARXIST SANDINISTAS.

THE MANUAL HAS BEEN CRITICIZED IN CONGRESS AND THE MEDIA FOR APPEARING TO APPROVE OF ILLEGAL ASSASSINATIONS OF SANDINISTA OFFICIALS, INCLUDING VILLAGE LEADERS.

PRESIDENT REAGAN LAST MONTH ORDERED THE CIA INSPECTOR GENERAL AND THE PRESIDENT'S INTELLIGENCE OVERSIGHT BOARD TO INVESTIGATE THE MANUAL AND TO PUNISH THOSE IN THE CIA WHO WERE RESPONSIBLE.

WHITE HOUSE SPOKESMAN LARRY SPEAKES SAID THURSDAY THAT THE CIA INVESTIGATION WAS NOW COMPLETE AND THE REPORT SENT TO THE OVERSIGHT BOARD, A CIVILIAN ADVISORY GROUP. HE SAID THAT REAGAN HAD NOT YET SEEN THE REPORT.

IN HIS LETTER, CASEY ASKED MEMBERS OF THE PANEL TO READ THE MANUAL AND ACCOMPANYING CODE OF CONDUCT.

"YOU WILL SEE THAT THE THRUST AND PURPOSE OF THIS MATERIAL IS, AS SENATOR WALLOP HAS SAID PUBLICLY, ON THE WHOLE QUITE DIFFERENT FROM THE IMPRESSION THAT HAS BEEN CREATED IN THE MEDIA," CASEY SAID.

HE REFERRED TO SEN. MALCOLM WALLOP, R-WYO., A MEMBER OF THE SENATE INTELLIGENCE PANEL, WHO SAID LAST WEEK THAT THE CIA HAD TOLD THE PANEL THAT "A GREAT PART OF" THE ORIGINAL MANUAL PREPARED IN CENTRAL AMERICA HAD BEEN "EXCISED" BEFORE PRINTING -- THAT IS, TONED DOWN OR REMOVED. BUT A COPY OF ONE OF THE REPUTED ORIGINAL VERSIONS REACHED THE MEDIA AND SET OFF THE CONTROVERSY LAST MONTH.

CASEY SAID THE MANUAL AND CODE OF CONDUCT "WERE PREPARED IN THE POLITICAL SECTION OF THE F.D.N. WITH THE HELP OF AN ADVISER PROVIDED BY THE CIA."

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CASEY SAID A SECTION OF THE MANUAL "DEALS WITH PROTECTING THE GUERRILLAS AND CITIZENS WHEN A TOWN IS OCCUPIED. THERE ALSO IS A SECTION ON THE TRAINING AND OPERATIONS OF ARMED PROPAGANDA TEAMS, MADE UP OF SIX TO 10 MEMBERS CHARGED WITH RAISING POLITICAL CONSCIOUSNESS WITHIN NICARAGUA AND PERSONAL PERSUASION WITH THE POPULATION."

"AGAIN, CASEY WROTE, "THE EMPHASIS IS ON EDUCATION, AVOIDING COMBAT IF POSSIBLE, 'NOT TURNING THE TOWN INTO A BATTLEFIELD.'"

"THAT CONTEXT PUTS INTO PERSPECTIVE THE FOUR PASSAGES WITH WHICH THE WHOLE DOCUMENT AND THE FDN PSYCHOLOGICAL OPERATIONS HAVE BEEN CHARACTERIZED. TWO OF THESE FOUR PASSAGES WERE DELETED BY THE FDN. OF THE OTHER TWO, ONE ADVISES ON HOW TO EXPLAIN TO THE POPULATION IF A GUERRILLA, HAVING 'TRIED TO STOP THE INFORMANT WITHOUT SHOOTING,' SHOULD SHOOT THAT INDIVIDUAL. THE OTHER USES THE WORD 'NEUTRALIZE" IN DEALING WITH THE PROBLEM OF REMOVING LOCAL OFFICIALS OR OCCUPYING A TOWN."

BY LAW, THE CIA IS FORBIDDEN TO ENGAGE IN ASSASSINATIONS.

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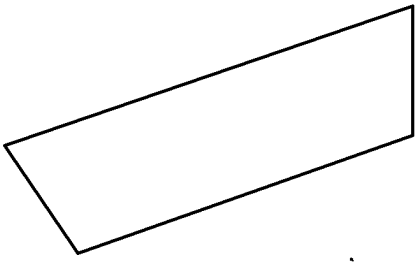

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WASHINGTON (AP) - TWO DEMOCRATIC MEMBERS OF INTELLIGENCE OVERSIGHT PANELS SAY THE ADMINISTRATION IS DELAYING RELEASE OF ITS FINDINGS ON THE CIA'S NICARAGUAN REBEL MANUAL TO AVOID EMBARRASSING PRESIDENT REAGAN BEFORE NEXT TUESDAY'S ELECTION.

''I THINK EVERYONE; REPUBLICAN AND DEMOCRAT; ACCEPTS THE FACT THAT (WHITE HOUSE OFFICIALS) ARE TRYING TO GET IT PAST THE ELECTION; PARTICULARLY BECAUSE OF THE MISTAKES THE PRESIDENT MADE ON (THE MANUAL) DURING THE DEBATE;'' SEN. PATRICK LEAHY; D-VT.; A MEMBER OF THE SENATE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE; SAID THURSDAY.

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The Best and the Brightest

One of the election's more contentious issues has been the U.S. role in Central America. The administration's critics have in fact spent four years raising the specter of "another Vietnam." Only days away from the actual voting—both in our own election and this Sunday's single-candidate presidential election in Nicaragua—Washington has become embroiled in a flap over the CIA's relationship with Nicaragua's "contras." Yes, it sounds more and more like Vietnam; pretty soon the boat people start coming.

The aptness of the Vietnam analogy became evident shortly after news stories appeared saying that a CIA manual prepared for the contras included passages exhorting them to "neutralize" (kill) prominent officials in the opposition. The manual became the talk of the town in Washington, but by early this week the manual was running out of steam as a big issue. It's easy to see why; the Great Washington Denunciation Machine had been flogging what in fact amounts to a handful of sentences out of the entire document.

Almost no published attention was drawn to the fact that this "neutralization" business appears haphazardly in what is in fact a long, fantastically silly guidebook to psychological propaganda techniques (there is even an appendix instructing on classical Greek principles of political oratory). Sen. Moynihan finally blew the whistle on the manual, saying the thrust of the manual was based on U.S. Army "psychological operations" techniques developed during the years of the Vietnam War.

Developed, that is, under the direct orders of John F. Kennedy. Arthur Schlesinger Jr. describes JFK's enthusiastic adoption of this stuff in "A Thousand Days": "Reading Mao Tse-tung and Che Guevara himself on the subject, he told the Army to do likewise. He used to entertain his wife on country weekends by inventing aphorisms in the manner of Mao's 'Guerrillas must move among the people as fish swim in the sea.' " (The contra manual has a section headlined: "Selection of Appropriate Slogans.") The counterinsurgency "gospel" was then spread to the Army and State Department by Robert Kennedy, Maxwell Taylor, Walt Rostow and Roger Hilsman. With it becoming quickly evident that the CIA's contra manual had risen, phoenixlike, from the ashes of Vietnam, enthusiasm seemed to wane.

Then Edgar Chamorro spoke up. Like the other major leaders of his contra group, Mr. Chamorro fought against Somoza and later left the country when it became evident that the Sandinista party was creating a Marxist dictatorship. Two days ago he described to the New York Times his group's association with the CIA. Mr. Chamorro's story must make ironic reading to every Vietnamese refugee now living in the U.S.

In the fall of 1982, Mr. Chamorro said, a CIA representative told him, "We are going to help you change the government in Managua." But in Congress—now flush with its dual responsibility with the president for U.S. foreign policy—there was already concern over preventing "another Vietnam." And so in December, Congress passed an amendment forbidding the agency from using military aid "for the purpose of overthrowing the government of Nicaragua." Whereupon, Mr. Chamorro says, the CIA began putting restrictions on the contras' use of U.S.-supplied arms: "They thought we would blow up all the bridges from the border to Managua, and Congress wouldn't like that."

In effect, then, the CIA wasn't working for the president; it was working for Edward Boland, Clarence Long and their House colleagues. "They were paying us to fight," Mr. Chamorro says, "but they weren't letting us win."

Leaving nothing to chance, Congress just a few weeks ago cut off aid to the contras completely, requiring the president to submit a report card before attempting any further disbursements and giving both chambers a veto over such actions. "The president's options in Central America," said Sen. Moynihan in what came across as triumphant tones, "have been closed."

What is going on here is the culmination of a process that began in November 1973 when Congress passed the War Powers Resolution to control a president who had just received 47 million votes at the height of the war. Congress then pulled the plug on South Vietnam's army with a series of votes reducing military authorizations for it. In 1975, the North's conventional army rolled up the South. Published histories of this process are appearing now, and Mr. Chamorro and his colleagues may have ample time to read them in Miami.

Meanwhile, Daniel Ortega campaigns vigorously in an election without opponents. This occurs against a backdrop of officials in neighboring Costa Rica saying any regional peace plan must include "on-site" arms inspections, insofar as the Sandinistas now have a 48,000-man army equipped with some 100 Soviet-made tanks. The State Department also reported this week that Soviet-bloc ships have been off-loading military equipment in Nicaragua.

After Mr. Ortega wins 99% of the vote, the world's other democratic Marxist governments will no doubt gather to celebrate his inauguration. And Vietnam's current foreign minister, Nguyen Co Thach, will be able to assure President Ortega that Nicaragua is indeed well on its way to becoming "another Vietnam."

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NEW CALL FOR FIRINGS OVER CIA HANDBOOK
BY ELIOT BRENNER

WASHINGTON (UPI) -- A CIA MANUAL FOR NICARAGUAN REBELS THAT SOME SAY ADVOCATES POLITICAL ASSASSINATIONS VIOLATES U.S. LAWS AND THOSE RESPONSIBLE SHOULD BE PROSECUTED, A MEMBER OF THE HOUSE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE SAYS.

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DISCLOSURE OF THE MANUAL RAISED NEW QUESTIONS IN CONGRESS ABOUT THE U.S. ROLE IN THE WAR AGAINST THE SANDINISTAS.

IN DECEMBER 1982, CONGRESS TOLD THE CIA IT COULD NOT AID THE "CONTRAS" TRYING TO OVERTHROW NICARAGUA'S SANDINISTA GOVERNMENT. SINCE THEN, THE ADMINISTRATION HAS MAINTAINED IT HAS BEEN TRYING TO INTERDICT ARMS SHIPMENTS FROM THE SANDINISTAS TO LEFTIST REBELS FIGHTING EL SALVADOR'S FLEDGLING U.S.-BACKED DEMOCRACY.

MONEY RAN OUT THIS SUMMER, AND CONGRESS HAS BARRED ADDITIONAL SPENDING UNTIL AT LEAST NEXT SPRING.

WHEN THE PAMPHLET BECAME PUBLIC LAST MONTH, MANY CONGRESSMEN SAID IT WAS EVIDENCE THAT THE CIA'S REAL GOAL WAS TO HELP THE REBELS TOPPLE THE MARXIST NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT.

AND IN AN INTERVIEW PUBLISHED IN THE NEW YORK TIMES THURSDAY, A REBEL LEADER SAID THE CIA APPROACHED HIM BY SAYING THEY WANTED TO HELP HIM OVERTHROW THE SANDINISTAS.

EDGAR CHAMORRO, WHO SAID HE HAD A HAND IN THE WRITING MANUAL ON GUERRILLA WARFARE, TOLD THE NEWSPAPER HE WAS RECRUITED BY THE CIA IN 1982 AND TOLD, "WE ARE GOING TO HELP YOU CHANGE THE GOVERNMENT IN MANAGUA AND DO IT WITHIN A YEAR."

AN INVESTIGATION OF THE MANUAL THAT REAGAN ORDERED THE CIA'S INSPECTOR GENERAL'S OFFICE TO CONDUCT HAS BEEN COMPLETED, A PRESIDENTIAL AIDE SAID THURSDAY. HOWEVER, THE REPORT IS UNLIKELY TO REACH CONGRESS BEFORE NEXT WEEK'S ELECTIONS. AND SOURCES SAID IT MAY BE SOME TIME BEFORE CIA DIRECTOR WILLIAM CASEY WILL BE AVAILABLE EITHER TO THE HOUSE OR SENATE PANELS FOR QUESTIONING.

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CASEY'S LETTER ON NICARAGUA MANUAL

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Casey's Letter on Nicaragua Manual

Special to The New York Times

WASHINGTON, Nov. 1 — Following is a letter from William J. Casey, Director of Central Intelligence, to members of the House and Senate Intelligence Committees. The letter, dated Oct. 25, was obtained today from a member of Congress.

I'd like you to look through the much publicized text of the F.D.N. manual on psychological operations together with the code of conduct prepared in pocket size for every F.D.N. soldier to carry with him at all times.

You will see that the thrust and purpose of this material is, as Senator Wallop has said publicly, on the whole quite different from the impression that has been created in the media. The ultimate distortion appeared in this morning's New York Times editorial, which speaks of the agency "having to be stopped from illegal minings and murders." This distortion of the reality must be corrected.

Let me describe these documents and their contents to help you work your way through them. They were prepared in the political section of the F.D.N. with the help of an advisor provided by the C.I.A. The code of conduct explains that the objective of the F.D.N. is the development of a democratic and pluralistic government in Nicaragua. It describes the need to achieve a reconciliation of the Nicaraguan family, to establish social justice and human rights in Nicaragua, to restore the freedoms violated by the Sandinistas and to achieve economic reform and "greater social mobility."

Purpose of Manual

The manual, entitled "Psychological Operations in Guerrilla Warfare," was prepared by and addressed to people who had made the fateful decision to engage in armed combat in order to resist oppression by a totalitarian regime. Its purpose is stated as assuring that every combatant will be "highly motivated to engage in propaganda face to face, to the same degree that he is motivated to fight."

It aims to make every F.D.N. guerrilla "persuasive in face-to-face communication — a propagandist combatant — in his contact with the people; he must be capable of giving 5 or 10 logical reasons why, for example, a peasant must give him fabric, needle and thread to mend his clothes. When the guerrilla behaves this way, enemy propaganda will never turn him into an enemy in the eyes of the population."

It goes on to deal with developing political awareness, using group dynamics, interaction with the people, "live, eat and work with the people," respect for human rights, teaching and civic action.

Protecting Guerrillas

There is a section headed "guerrilla arms are the strength of the people against an illegal government." This deals with protecting the guerrillas and citizens when a town is occupied. There is also a section on the training and operations of armed propaganda teams, made up of 6 to 10 members charged with raising political consciousness within Nicaragua and personal persuasion within the population.

Again, the emphasis is on education, avoiding combat if possible, "not turning the town into a battlefield." That context puts into perspective the four passages with which the whole document and the F.D.N. psychological operations have been characterized. Two of these four passages were deleted by the F.D.N.

Of the other two, one advises on how to explain to the population if a guerrilla, having "tried to stop the informant without shooting" should shoot that individual. The other uses the word "neutralize" in dealing with the problem of removing local officials or occupying a town.

It is important to note that these two passages are in the context of entering or occupying a community and dealing with a situation in which actual or potential resistance remains.

They are preceded by admonitions that the "enemies of the people, the Sandinista officials or agencies, must not be mistreated in spite of the criminal actions even though the guerrilla forces may have suffered casualties" and also that "whenever it is necessary to use armed force during an occupation or a visit to a town or a village," the guerrillas are to "explain to the population that first of all this is being done to protect them, the people not the guerrillas themselves" and that "this action, while not desirable, is necessary because the final objective of the insurrection is a free and democratic society where acts of force are not necessary."

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C.I.A. Chief Defends Manual for Nicaraguan Rebels

By JOEL BRINKLEY
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WASHINGTON, Nov. 1 — William J. Casey, Director of Central Intelligence, has written a letter to members of Congress defending a C.I.A. manual for Nicaraguan rebels that advocates kidnapping and assassinating Nicaraguan Government officials.

Mr. Casey's two-page letter, dated Oct. 25, is the first statement to be made public that expresses the agency's view of the document, which has been sharply criticized in Congress and elsewhere.

The White House has said any Central Intelligence Agency official "involved in the development" of the manual "or approval of it" will be dismissed.

But in his letter, Mr. Casey said the "thrust and purpose" of the manual are, "on the whole, quite different from the impression that has been created in the media."

'Emphasis on Education'

He said the manual's purpose was "to make every guerrilla persuasive in face-to-face communication" and to develop "political awareness," adding that its "emphasis is on education, avoiding combat if necessary."

Mr. Casey's letter was sent to members of the Senate and House intelligence committees, along with a translated and annotated copy of the manual and of another agency document for the insurgents, a rebel "code of conduct." Both committees are investigating to see if the agency acted improperly in preparing the manual.

The annotations of the manual show how the document was edited at C.I.A. headquarters. Agency officials told two members of the Senate Intelligence Committee last week that "a great part of" the manual "was excised before printing," Senator Malcolm Wallop, Republican of Wyoming, said after the C.I.A. briefing.

But the translation Mr. Casey sent to members of Congress shows that only one sentence "was deleted in the headquarters edition," the C.I.A. annotation says. That sentence says, "If possible, professional criminals will be hired to carry our selective 'jobs.'"

It is unclear when that sentence was deleted because rebel leaders said it was included in the edition they received.

Mr. Casey would not comment on his letter today.

Reagan Orders 2 Inquiries

In addition to the Congressional investigations, President Reagan ordered the C.I.A.'s inspector general and the President's Intelligence Oversight Board to conduct inquiries. Today the White House spokesman, Larry Speakes, said the C.I.A. investigation was now complete and had been sent to the oversight board.

Mr. Speakes said Mr. Reagan had not seen the C.I.A. inspector general's report and did not know what it says. Mr. Speakes also said he did not know when the Oversight Board investigation would be finished and when, if ever, the results would be made public.

Also today, Representative Norman Y. Mineta, the California Democrat who is a senior member of the House Intelligence Committee, said the C.I.A. had refused to allow the committee to question the agency employee known as John Kirkpatrick, who is believed to be the manual's author.

Mr. Mineta said: "We know who he is, and the C.I.A. knows where he is, and they just refuse to let us talk to him." He also said he had been told that Kirkpatrick was not the man's actual name, and he said he had learned that the manual's author was still employed by the C.I.A. at its headquarters in Washington.

Mr. Mineta and others members of Congress also criticized the C.I.A. today for another explanation of the manual that appeared in published reports this week.

Moderating Purpose Cited

An article in The Washington Post on Wednesday, quoting intelligence officials and rebel leaders, said the C.I.A. should have told Congress.

But Senator Patrick J. Leahy, the Vermont Democrat who is a member of the Senate committee, said, "There has been a clear absence of any such discussion."

A senior Government official who is familiar with the C.I.A.'s Congressional briefings on the subject said, "They have always said there is a little problem here and a little problem there, but nothing serious."

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THE AGENCY'S INSPECTOR GENERAL'S OFFICE, ORDERED TO INVESTIGATE THE MATTER BY PRESIDENT REAGAN, HAS COMPLETED ITS INQUIRY, A PRESIDENTIAL AIDE SAID THURSDAY.

THE REPORT, HOWEVER, MUST BE EXAMINED BY AN INTELLIGENCE OVERSIGHT BOARD BEFORE IT IS PASSED ON TO REAGAN BEFORE CIA DIRECTOR WILLIAM CASEY WILL BE AVAILABLE TO EITHER THE HOUSE PANEL OR ITS SENATE COUNTERPART, SOURCES SAID.

THAT, COUPLED WITH THE RELUCTANCE OF THE REPUBLICAN-CONTROLLED SENATE COMMITTEE'S RELUCTANCE TO DEAL WITH THE ISSUE IMMEDIATELY, LIKELY WILL PUT ANY FINAL DISPOSITION OFF UNTIL WELL AFTER THE ELECTIONS.

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DISCLOSURE OF THE BOOKLET HAS CAUSED A FUROR IN CONGRESS, WITH SEVERAL DEMOCRATS CALLING FOR CASEY'S RESIGNATION. OTHERS HAVE ASKED FOR A PROBE BY THE GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE TO SEE IF FEDERAL FUNDS WERE ILLEGALLY SPENT PRODUCING THE MATERIAL. AND THERE HAS BEEN A REQUEST TO THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT TO USE THE ETHICS IN GOVERNMENT ACT TO APPOINT A SPECIAL COUNSEL TO LOOK INTO THE MATTER.

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IN HIS DEBATE WITH DEMOCRATIC CHALLENGER WALTER F. MONDALE, REAGAN SAID A NUMBER OF PAGES DEALING WITH OBJECTIONABLE MATTERS WERE DELETED FROM THE MANUAL BY THE CIA OFFICER IN CHARGE IN CENTRAL AMERICA AND ALSO BY OFFICIALS AT CIA HEADQUARTERS IN LANGLEY, VA.

BUT INTELLIGENCE OFFICIALS, WHO INSISTED ON ANONYMITY, TOLD THE ASSOCIATED PRESS ON WEDNESDAY THAT ONLY ONE PARAGRAPH THAT SUGGESTED HIRING PROFESSIONAL CRIMINALS TO CARRY OUT ''SELECTIVE JOBS'' WAS REMOVED. THEY SAID THAT OTHER SECTIONS DEALING WITH ''NEUTRALIZING'' NICARAGUAN OFFICIALS, ARRANGING THE DEATH OF A REBEL SUPPORTER TO CREATE A ''MARTYR'' FOR THE CAUSE, AND COERCING NICARAGUANS INTO CARRYING OUT REBEL ASSIGNMENTS WERE ALL LEFT IN THE VERSION PRINTED AT CIA HEADQUARTERS.

''JUST WHAT EXACTLY DOES THE PRESIDENT KNOW AND IF HE IS NOT LYING TO US, WHO IS GIVING HIM ALL OF THIS LOUSY INFORMATION?'' MINETA SAID.

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WASHINGTON - A SENIOR DIRECTOR OF THE LARGEST NICARAGUAN REBEL FORCE SAYS THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY RECRUITED HIM TO SERVE AS A DIRECTOR TWO YEARS AGO AND TOLD HIM; ''WE ARE GOING TO HELP YOU CHANGE THE GOVERNMENT IN MANAGUA AND DO IT WITHIN A YEAR.''

THE OFFICER; SPEAKING IN AN INTERVIEW; ASSERTED THAT THE CIA PAID HIS FAMILY'S EXPENSES FOR MORE THAN A YEAR AND COACHED HIM AND OTHER REBEL LEADERS ON WHAT TO SAY IN PUBLIC SO THEY WOULD NOT ANGER MEMBERS OF CONGRESS; WHO HAD TO APPROVE FINANCING FOR THE CONTRAS; AS THEY ARE CALLED.

IN INTERVIEWS AT HIS HOME IN KEY BISCAYNE; FLA.; EDGAR CHAMORRO; ONE OF THE SEVEN DIRECTORS OF THE NICARGUAN DEMOCRATIC FORCE; GAVE A DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE THE GROUP AND THE CIA.

CHAMORRO SAID HE WAS TELLING THE STORY NOW; CONTRARY TO ORDERS HE AND OTHER REBEL OFFICERS HAD RECEIVED FROM THE CIA; PARTLY BECAUSE HE NOW BELIEVES THAT THE UNITED STATES IS NOT LIKELY TO RENEW AID TO THE REBELS. AID WAS ENDED LAST SPRING.

CHAMORRO ALSO SAID: ''I RESENT SOME OF THE THINGS THE CIA DID. THE AGENCY WASN'T TEACHING OUR MEN DEMOCRACY. THEY TAUGHT ONLY A SERIES OF TRICKS.''

THE CIA DECLINED COMMENT WEDNESDAY ON CHAMORRO'S REMARKS.

CHAMORRO'S ACCOUNT WAS CONFIRMED IN LARGE MEASURE BY INTELLIGENCE OFFICIALS IN WASHINGTON AND BY OTHER OFFICERS OF THE NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC FORCE; ALTHOUGH SOME REBEL OFFICERS DISPUTED CHAMORRO'S INTERPRETATION OF SOME EVENTS.

ONE OF THOSE OFFICERS; ALFONSO CALLEJAS; ANOTHER OF THE GROUP'S DIRECTORS; HAS ACKNOWLEDGED; HOWEVER; THAT CHAMORRO ''IS AN HONEST MAN'' WHO ''TELLS THE TRUTH.''

CHAMORRO WAS IN CHARGE OF PUBLISHING A CIA MANUAL THAT OFFERED ADVICE ON GUERRILLA INSURGENCY AND POLITICAL ASSASSINATION.

A CIA EMPLOYEE IDENTIFIED AS JOHN KIRKPATRICK PREPARED THE MANUAL FROM AN OLD UNITED STATES ARMY PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE PRIMER; AND CHAMORRO SAID HE WAS ANGRY WHEN HE READ THE MANUAL'S FINAL VERSION LAST DECEMBER.

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Chamorro said he wrote a letter to the CIA's station chief in Tegucigalpa, Honduras, last December, complaining about the manual and about Kirkpatrick. A few days later, Chamorro said, he and other officers met with the station chief at his Tegucigalpa home, where Chamorro heatedly complained that Kirkpatrick "bypassed me."

Chamorro said he told the station chief that Kirkpatrick "wrote these terrible things into the book that were wrong." In response, the station chief "was very defensive of his men," Chamorro said.

Another CIA official, in Miami, first approached Chamorro about serving as an officer in the Nicaraguan Democratic Force, in the fall of 1982, he said. He had been working for the rebel cause, but not in an official capacity.

The official, purportedly the head of the CIA's large Miami office, asked Chamorro if he would be willing to meet with a man from Washington, and a few days later "a man from the government who said he was speaking for the president told me I could help the cause," he said.

The man "said they needed people who they could sell to Congress," which at that time was debating legislation to end U..S. aid to the rebels. "He said we needed to move quickly," Chamorro said.

At that time, the rebel group's directorate had a bad reputation in Washington and Nicaragua because of past links between some of its members and Nicaragua's former dicatator, Anastasio Somoza Debayle.

Chamorro, a member of a prominent Nicaraguan family who was educated at Harvard and other American universities, said, "They were trying to repackage the FDN for Congress," he said, using the group's Spanish initials, "and I was not a Somozista."

Chamorro agreed to serve and said the agency paid support for members of his family, who lived in Miami.

"They bargained with me; I was surprised," Chamorro said, but they agreed on a payment of about $1,500 to $2,000 a month. He said the agents advised him on how to declare the money for income taxes, telling him, "I should say I was a self-employed consultant."

Chamorro said he believed the agency made similar arrangements with the other six directors. But Callejas, who said he still holds hope that the United States will resume aid to the rebels, said he received no payments for support of his family.

At first, Chamorro said, the agency men told him: "We are going to change the government in Managua and do it within a year. They spoke with a lot of confidence and a clear commitment."

But within a few months, Chamorro and other rebel leaders said, the CIA agents "changed their tune," starting to talk about interdicting arms to Salvador, not about the rebels' cause.

Chamorro said, "They wanted us to become customs agents for the United States, or mercenaries."

In December 1982, Congress approved an amendment forbidding the CIA to provide military aid "for the purpose of overthrowing the government of Nicaragua." Instead, the administration explained, the rebels were being paid to help interdict arms being smuggled from Nicaragua to Salvadoran insurgents. AN

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REAGAN'S CIA ACCOUNT CHALLENGED
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WASHINGTON (AP) - THE EDITION OF THE NICARAGUAN REBEL MANUAL APPROVED BY CIA HEADQUARTERS UNDERWENT ONLY ONE DELETION FROM THE ORIGINAL VERSION WRITTEN BY A CIA EMPLOYEE IN CENTRAL AMERICA; ACCORDING TO INTELLIGENCE OFFICIALS.

THE NEW ACCOUNT APPEARS TO CONFLICT WITH PRESIDENT REAGAN'S STATEMENT DURING THE OCT. 21 PRESIDENTIAL DEBATE THAT OBJECTIONABLE PARTS OF THE MANUAL WERE REMOVED.

REAGAN SAID ''A NUMBER OF PAGES WERE EXCISED'' BY THE CIA EMPLOYEE'S SUPERIOR IN CENTRAL AMERICA AND ''MORE PAGES WERE EXCISED'' AT CIA HEADQUARTERS.

BUT INTELLIGENCE OFFICIALS; WHO SPOKE ONLY ON CONDITIONS OF ANONYMITY; SAID MID-LEVEL OFFICERS AT CIA HEADQUARTERS IN LANGLEY; VA.; EXCISED ONE PARAGRAPH; WHICH RECOMMENDED THE HIRING OF PROFESSIONAL CRIMINALS TO CARRY OUT ''SELECTIVE JOBS.''

OTHER SECTIONS THAT URGED VIOLENT ACTS TO CREATE PROPAGANDA GAINS FOR THE REBELS WERE LEFT IN; THE OFFICIALS SAID WEDNESDAY.

ONE OF THOSE SECTIONS PROPOSED THAT AN ANTI-GOVERNMENT DEMONSTRATION BE TURNED INTO ''A CONFRONTATION WITH THE AUTHORITIES ... WHICH WILL CAUSE THE DEATH OF ONE OR MORE PERSONS; WHO WOULD BECOME THE MARTYRS.''

ANOTHER SECTION IN THE CIA-APPROVED MANUAL CALLS FOR ''SELECTIVE USE OF VIOLENCE'' TO ''NEUTRALIZE'' NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS; AND A THIRD PROPOSES COERCING NICARAGUANS INTO CARRYING OUT ASSIGNMENTS BY IMPLICATING THEM IN THE REBELLION AND THEN THREATENING TO TURN THEM OVER TO THE POLICE.

AFTER A THREE-HOUR CIA BRIEFING OCT. 22; SEN. SAM NUNN; D-GA.; A SENATE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE MEMBER; SAID ALL VERSIONS OF THE MANUAL ''HAD SOME OF WHAT WOULD BE CALLED QUESTIONABLE TO SOME AND TO OTHERS OFFENSIVE LANGUAGE RELATING TO SO-CALLED 'NEUTRALIZATION.'''

FROM NUNN'S STATEMENT; HOWEVER; IT WAS NOT CLEAR THAT THE TWO OTHER SECTIONS - ON ''MARTYRS'' AND COERCION - WERE ALSO LEFT IN THE EDITION APPROVED AND PRINTED AT CIA HEADQUARTERS.

WHITE HOUSE AND CIA OFFICIALS HAD NO COMMENT ON THE ACCOUNT THAT ONLY ONE SECTION WAS REMOVED.

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THE INTELLIGENCE OFFICIALS SAID THERE WERE THREE VERSIONS OF THE MANUAL, ENTITLED ''PSYCHOLOGICAL OPERATIONS IN GUERRILLA WAR.'' THE FIRST WAS WRITTEN A YEAR AGO BY A CIA CONTRACT OFFICER IN CENTRAL AMERICA FOR THE NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC FORCE, THE MAIN U.S.-BACKED REBEL GROUP FIGHTING NICARAGUA'S LEFTIST GOVERNMENT.

AFTER ABOUT 200 COPIES OF THAT VERSION WERE DISTRIBUTED, THE REBELS' PROPAGANDA CHIEF, EDGAR CHAMORRO, EXCISED TWO PAGES DEALING WITH HIRING PROFESSIONAL CRIMINALS AND CREATION OF ''MARTYRS,'' THE OFFICIALS SAID. ABOUT 2,000 COPIES OF THE REVISED VERSION WERE THEN SENT TO REBEL FIGHTERS.

MEANWHILE, THE ORIGINAL MANUAL WAS ALSO REVIEWED BY MID-LEVEL OFFICERS AT CIA HEADQUARTERS, WHO PRINTED AN ADDITIONAL 3,000 COPIES LAST SPRING, DROPPING THE REFERENCE TO PROFESSIONAL CRIMINALS BUT RETAINING THE ''MARTYR'' SECTION AS WELL AS THE PARTS ON ''NEUTRALIZING'' AND COERCION, THE OFFICIALS SAID.

AFTER THE ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORTED THE EXISTENCE OF THE MANUAL OCT. 14, THE CIA ISSUED A ''RECALL'' OF ALL COPIES AND INSTRUCTED NICARAGUAN REBELS TO IGNORE ITS CONTENTS.

AN INTERNAL CIA INVESTIGATION WAS COMPLETED THIS WEEK AND A SECRET REPORT HAS BEEN SENT TO THE PRESIDENT'S INTELLIGENCE OVERSIGHT BOARD, WHICH IS ALSO REVIEWING HOW THE MANUAL WAS PRODUCED AND WHETHER IT VIOLATED PRESIDENTIAL BANS ON U.S. PARTICIPATION IN ASSASSINATIONS.

THE HOUSE AND SENATE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEES HAVE PUT OFF PLANNED HEARINGS ON THE MANUAL UNTIL AFTER NEXT TUESDAY'S PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION.

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WASHINGTON (AP) -- CIA HEADQUARTERS APPROVED A VERSION OF THE NICARAGUAN REBEL MANUAL THAT NOT ONLY DISCUSSED ''NEUTRALIZING'' NICARAGUAN OFFICIALS, BUT ALSO SUGGESTED ARRANGING THE DEATH OF A REBEL SUPPORTER TO CREATE A MARTYR FOR THE CAUSE, INTELLIGENCE OFFICIALS SAID WEDNESDAY.

PRESIDENT REAGAN SAID DURING THE OCT. 21 PRESIDENTIAL DEBATE THAT OBJECTIONABLE PARTS OF THE MANUAL WERE DELETED. REAGAN SAID ''A NUMBER OF PAGES WERE EXCISED'' BY A CIA OFFICER IN CENTRAL AMERICA AND ''MORE PAGES WERE EXCISED'' AT CIA HEADQUARTERS.

HE SAID ''SOME WAY OR OTHER THERE WERE 12 OF THE ORIGINAL COPIES THAT GOT OUT DOWN THERE AND WERE NOT SUBMITTED FOR THIS PRINTING PROCESS OF THE CIA.''

BUT INTELLIGENCE OFFICIALS, WHO INSISTED ON ANONYMITY, SAID MID-LEVEL OFFICERS AT CIA HEADQUARTERS IN LANGLEY, VA., ONLY EXCISED ONE PARAGRAPH, WHICH RECOMMENDED THE HIRING OF PROFESSIONAL CRIMINALS TO CARRY OUT ''SELECTIVE JOBS.''

OTHER SECTIONS THAT URGED VIOLENT ACTS TO CREATE PROPAGANDA GAINS FOR THE REBELS WERE LEFT INTACT, THE OFFICIALS SAID.

THOSE SECTIONS INCLUDED A PROPOSAL THAT AN ANTI-GOVERNMENT DEMONSTRATION BE TURNED INTO ''A CONFRONTATION WITH THE AUTHORITIES ... WHICH WILL CAUSE THE DEATH OF ONE OR MORE PERSONS, WHO WOULD BECOME THE MARTYRS.''

ANOTHER SECTION IN THE CIA-APPROVED MANUAL CALLS FOR ''SELECTIVE USE OF VIOLENCE'' TO ''NEUTRALIZE'' NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS, AND A THIRD PROPOSES COERCING NICARAGUANS INTO CARRYING OUT ASSIGNMENTS BY IMPLICATING THEM IN THE REBELLION AND THEN THREATENING TO TURN THEM OVER TO THE POLICE.

AFTER A THREE-HOUR CIA BRIEFING A WEEK AGO, SEN. SAM NUNN, D-GA., A SENATE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE MEMBER, SAID ALL VERSIONS OF THE MANUAL ''HAD SOME OF WHAT WOULD BE CALLED QUESTIONABLE TO SOME AND TO OTHERS OFFENSIVE LANGUAGE RELATING TO SO-CALLED 'NEUTRALIZATION.'''

WHILE THE CIA BRIEFING APPEARED TO CONFLICT WITH REAGAN'S ACCOUNT DURING THE DEBATE, IT WAS NOT CLEAR THAT TWO OTHER SECTIONS THAT HAVE DRAWN PUBLIC CRITICISM WERE ALSO LEFT IN THE EDITION APPROVED AND PRINTED AT CIA HEADQUARTERS.

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WASHINGTON (UPI) -- CIA ADVISERS RECEIVED REPORTS OF WIDESPREAD ATROCITIES AND CORRUPTION IN THE RANKS OF CIA-BACKED REBELS IN NICARAGUA LAST YEAR, PROMPTING OFFICIALS TO PUBLISH A CONTROVERSIAL GOVERNMENT HANDBOOK, IT WAS REPORTED WEDNESDAY.
THE WASHINGTON POST QUOTED REBEL LEADERS IN ACCOUNTS CORROBORATED BY U.S. INTELLIGENCE SOURCES. CONCERN OVER THE CONDUCT OF THE REBELS, KNOWN AS "CONTRAS," LED CIA OFFICIALS TO ASSIGN AN ADVISER KNOWN AS JOHN KIRKPATRICK TO TRAVEL TO REBEL BASE CAMPS IN HONDURAS TO ASSESS THE SITUATION.
KIRKPATRICK REPORTED BACK TO CIA HEADQUARTERS IN SUBURBAN WASHINGTON, WHERE COMPILATION OF THE MANUAL BEGAN, THE POST SAID.
TAPER QUOTED EDGAR CHAMORRO, WHO HEADED PROPAGANDA ACTIVITIES AT THE TIME FOR THE NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC FORCE, OR FDN, AS SAYING KIRKPATRICK RETURNED TO HONDURAS AND, WORKING WITH FOUR CONTRA OFFICIALS, PUT TOGETHER THE 90-PAGE BOOKLET. CHAMORRO SAID THE MANUAL WAS PRINTED AND DISTRIBUTED IN TEGUCIGALPA, THE HONDURAN CAPITAL, IN LATE NOVEMBER.
THE MANUAL WAS DESIGNED TO MODERATE CONTRA CONDUCT AND PROVIDE GUIDELINES FOR ATTEMPTS TO WIN SUPPORT AMONG NICARAGUAN CIVILIANS, THE PAPER SAID.
THE MANUAL RECEIVED NATIONAL ATTENTION TWO WEEKS AGO, PROMPTING PRESIDENT REAGAN AND THE HOUSE AND SENATE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEES TO CALL FOR AN INVESTIGATION BECAUSE IT ADVOCATED THAT SELECTED NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS BE "NEUTRALIZED."
CONTRA LEADERS TOLD THE POST ITS PURPOSE WAS TO STEM INDISCRIMINATE KILLINGS AND OTHER ABUSES MENTIONED IN THE REPORTS REACHING CIA OFFICIALS.
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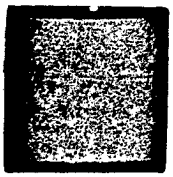

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CIA Manual Said Aimed at Contra Abuses

By Brian Barger
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MIAMI—CIA advisers working with rebels fighting the Nicaraguan government received reports of widespread atrocities and corruption in rebel ranks last year and compiled a controversial handbook in response to the abuses, according to leaders of the main rebel movement in accounts corroborated by U.S. intelligence sources.

Concern over the conduct inside Nicaragua of the rebels, known as *contras*, led CIA officials to assign an adviser, known to the rebels as John Kirkpatrick, to travel to rebel base camps in Honduras in September, 1983, to assess the situation, *contra* officials said. After a tour of the region, they said, Kirkpatrick reported back to CIA headquarters in McLean, Va., where compilation of the manual was begun.

Kirkpatrick returned to Honduras 10 days later and, working with four *contra* officials, put together the 90-page booklet, according to Edgar Chamorro, who headed propaganda activities at the time for the Nicaraguan Democratic Force, or FDN. He said the manual was printed and distributed in Tegucigalpa, the Honduran capital, in late November. The manual, Chamorro said, was designed to moderate *contra* conduct and provide guidelines for attempts to win support among Nicaraguan civilians.

The manual became highly controversial when it received wide attention in Washington two weeks ago, mainly because of passages advocating that selected Nicaraguan government officials be "neutralized." Actually, according to *contra* leaders, its purpose was to stem indiscriminate killings and other abuses mentioned in the reports reaching CIA officials.

The portions of the manual dealing with specific "neutralization," they said, were designed to ste[r] the use of violence into more sele[c]tive and productive channels.

One result of the campaign [t]bring rebel troops under control, according to various *contra* leaders, was the arrest and court-martial of a *contra* commander and several troops who "went crazy" during a killing spree inside Nicaragua during the summer of 1983. Members of the group were found guilty and executed late last year, they said.

A CIA public affairs official, asked about the general *contra* account of events last week, declined to comment. But two U.S. intelligence officials confirmed the *contra* version.

Although accounts of *contra* abuses began to appear from the beginning of the U.S.-funded "secret war" against Nicaragua's ruling Sandinista Front in late 1981, it was not until last year that there were widespread confirmed reports. Incidents continue to be reported this year, and the overall effectiveness of the campaign to stem the abuses has been difficult to assess.

Since the controversial portions of the manual became public, President Reagan and the House and Senate intelligence committees have requested investigations and an explanation about how it came to be written. According to Sen. Daniel Patrick Moynihan (D-N.Y.), the deputy inspector general of the CIA is expected to submit a report of his internal investigation to CIA Director William J. Casey, after which congressional hearings are to be scheduled.

Following an initial CIA briefing last week, Sen. Malcolm Wallop (R-Wyo) said he had read the manual and that, "taken as a whole, the manual calls for the avoidance of violence to the extent possible and was designed to put restraint and a rationale on guerrilla operations . . . As a whole, the manual is a code of conduct for which the United States ought not to be ashamed."

An aide to a prominent Senate Democrat who also was familiar with the CIA briefing, however, said he had expected the CIA to seek to cast the manual in the best possible light by explaining it as a positive effort against abuses.

"But there's no logic to it," he said. "It's a deeper hole than before. The way we turn them into good guys is to make them political assassins? Give me a break."

The aide noted that the CIA "has never been consistent" on the degree of control it had over the *contras*. "They wanted to be able to say everything was fine unless there was a problem, in which case it was renegades," he said.

The general outline of accounts by *contra* officials in interviews over the past week coincides with earlier reports that the CIA had received news of rebel abuses as early as July, 1982.

But the officials provided more details about the specific nature of the abuses and the direct connection between them and the writing of the manual. In addition, these accounts call into question the extent to which CIA officials in Washington participated in compiling the final version of the manual.

Chamorro said the adviser, known to the rebel troops as Juanito, met with him at the Alameda Hotel in Tegucigalpa on Sept. 4 through 6, 1983. Chamorro said he then escorted Kirkpatrick to a rebel base camp near Paraiso, Honduras, along the Honduran-Nicaraguan border. At the time, Chamorro said, about 1,000 rebels there were preparing for an attack on the Nicaraguan town of Ocotal.

During his visit to this and other rebel camps that month, Kirkpatrick learned of numerous instances of indiscriminate killings of Nicaraguan civilians, forced recruitment, rapes of young women, torture and occasional public executions of FDN soldiers accused of disobeying orders. In addition, Chamorro said, Kirkpatrick also learned of widespread corruption among some rebel commanders.

The CIA adviser took his findings to the CIA station chief in Tegucigalpa and returned to Washington where he also reported his findings to superiors at CIA headquarters, according to the rebel and intelligence sources.

On his return to Tegucigalpa 10 days later, he began working on the manual, called "Psychological Operations in Guerrilla Warfare," Chamorro said.

Chamorro said in a series of interviews here that the American adviser was particularly concerned about charges that some *contra* task force commanders were stealing money provided by the CIA to feed the troops, which amounted to $1 a day for each fighter.

"How can they do this?" Chamorro quoted the American as saying. "These peasants are laying down their lives for the cause, and these son-of-a-bitch commanders are stealing their money for food."

Chamorro said the the American adviser spoke Spanish, and closely identified with the rebels, treating those he worked with well. A specialist in propaganda activities, Kirkpatrick traveled frequently to rebel base camps between September and November 1983 to hold classes on public speaking, and instruct rebels in the use of cameras, tape recorders and loudspeakers, he recalled.

"He always emphasized the need to respect the population," said Chamorro, who worked closely with him. "At the beginning of each course, Juanito would give each student a new set of clothes and a baseball cap, and bought them food. They had a lot of respect for him."

In a speech he gave in one class along the Honduran-Nicaraguan border, Chamorro recalled, Kirkpatrick, of Irish descent, equated the Nicaraguan rebels with the Irish Republican Army, which he said was fighting a similar battle to rid their country of British domination.

Kirkpatrick learned during tours of rebel base camps that some rebel commanders would, as punishment, hang a rebel upside down by his feet from a tree, Chamorro said.

Another commander would bury a rebel up to his neck for the slightist infraction, he added. One, known as Commander Suicide, reportedly executed a group of rebels last year, in front of his troops, for refusing to go on a mission the rebels insisted was impossible and suicidal.

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Suicide was one of the best known of the *contra* commanders, both inside and outside Nicaragua. In early 1983 he allowed two reporters, including a correspondent of The Washington Post, to accompany him and his troops on a mission into Nicaragua from a *contra* base camp in Honduras in what appeared in part to be an effort to publicize the rebels' military prowess and level of support within the Nicaraguan population.

A former member of the National Guard of Nicaraguan dictator Anastasio Somoza, Suicide fled the country with hundreds of his fellow soldiers following Somoza's overthrow by the Sandinistas in 1979. After taking refuge in Honduras, he and his men began guerrilla strikes against the Sandinistas and their Cuban advisers inside Nicaragua even before being incorporated into the U.S.-funded effort that was approved by Reagan in November, 1981, as a means of stopping alleged Nicaraguan arms shipments to leftist guerrillas in El Salvador.

According to widespread accounts of various rebels and FDN leaders, Commander Suicide, in charge of rebel activites in Nueva Segovia province, "went crazy" when his wife, also a rebel, was killed last year, and "went on a rampage" in May of last year. Suicide and a group of close advisers carried out indiscriminate killings, kidnapings and rapes of Nicaraguan civilians, they said.

One FDN leader in charge of political education and psychological operations for the rebel group said he spent time with Commander Suicide last year, attempting to curb abuses. The rebel leader, Salvador Icaza, said in a telephone interview that these abuses did not represent FDN policy, and equated these instances with the 1968 My Lai massacre in Vietnam carried out by American troops. "My Lai did not represent what the American effort in Vietnam stood for," he said.

Commander Suicide was eventually pulled out of the field by FDN leaders and held under house arrest by Argentine military advisers at a safe house outside Tegucigalpa for several months, *contra* sources said. The Argentines, working with the rebel military high command at the time, helped to establish a court-martial for Suicide and others accused of "war crimes." They were tried and sentenced to death and were executed late last year, according to several *contra* commanders.

The psychological operations manual, Chamorro said, was produced by a five-person team, made up of Kirkpatrick; Chamorro; a man named Ortiz, who ran the 15th of September *contra* radio station; an unidentified woman who typed the manuscripts and helped with translations, and a man identified as "Plato," who did the final proofreading of the manual, and took it to a local printer in Tegucigalpa.

About 2,000 copies were brought to a rebel safe house in Tegucigalpa Nov. 21, 1983. The American left Honduras a few days later, Chamorro recalled, and returned in early January 1984 with a man Kirkpatrick said was to be his replacement, Chamorro recalled.

Chamorro said there was only one printing of the manual that he was aware of, and the final manuscript was not sent to Washington before being sent to the printer. He said that in late December he tore out two pages from all of the books except about 200 that already had been distributed. He said the pages dealt with the hiring of professional criminals and the selective killing of the *contras'* own men to create "martyrs" for their cause.

Chamorro's account of the Tegucigalpa printing and his own limited editing appears at variance with other versions, including one offered by Reagan in his Oct. 21 debate with Democratic presidential candidate Walter Mondale. The president said the CIA edited most of the 2,000 copies of the printed manual to excise portions dealing with "neutralization" before allowing them to be distributed.

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NICARAGUA-MANUAL
BY ROBERT PARRY

WASHINGTON (AP) -- SEN. BARRY GOLDWATER, R-ARIZ., CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE, INTENDS TO PUT OFF HEARINGS ON THE CIA'S NICARAGUAN REBEL MANUAL UNTIL AFTER NEXT WEEK'S PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION, SENATE AIDES SAID TUESDAY.

''THE CHAIRMAN FEELS VERY STRONGLY THAT HE DOESN'T WANT TO POLITICIZE THE INTELLIGENCE AGENCY AND AN INTELLIGENCE PROBLEM,'' SAID ONE COMMITTEE STAFF AIDE, WHO SPOKE ONLY ON CONDITION HE NOT BE IDENTIFIED. HE ADDED THAT A HEARING WOULD LIKELY BE HELD SHORTLY AFTER THE NOV. 6 ELECTION.

EARL EISENHOWER, SPOKESMAN FOR GOLDWATER, CONFIRMED THAT THE SENATOR HAS NO PLANS TO RETURN TO WASHINGTON FROM ARIZONA THIS WEEK TO CHAIR A HEARING ON THE MANUAL BEFORE THE ELECTION.

''SOME OF IT (THE CONTROVERSY OVER THE MANUAL) HE FEELS HAS BEEN BLOWN UP MORE THAN IT DESERVES,'' EISENHOWER SAID IN A TELEPHONE INTERVIEW FROM ARIZONA. ''I DON'T THINK THERE WILL BE A HEARING PRIOR TO THE ELECTION.''

SEN. DANIEL PATRICK MOYNIHAN, D-N.Y., THE PANEL'S VICE CHAIRMAN, HAD PRESSED FOR A HEARING THIS WEEK INTO THE CIA'S ROLE IN PRODUCING A PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE MANUAL THAT RECOMMENDS THE ''SELECTIVE USE OF VIOLENCE'' TO ''NEUTRALIZE'' NICARAGUAN OFFICIALS.

STAFF INVESTIGATORS FOR THE HOUSE AND SENATE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEES HAVE BEEN CONDUCTING REVIEWS OF THE MANUAL AND WHAT THE CIA MAY HAVE KNOWN ABOUT REPEATED NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT CHARGES THAT U.S.-BACKED REBELS HAVE EXECUTED CAPTURED GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS. HOUSE COMMITTEE OFFICIALS HAD SAID EARLIER THEY DID NOT PLAN A HEARING BEFORE NEXT WEEK'S ELECTIONS.

IN OTHER DEVELOPMENTS TUESDAY RELATED TO CENTRAL AMERICA:

--STATE DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN JOHN HUGHES SAID THE UNITED STATES DOES NOT SEEK THE OUSTER OF NICARAGUA'S SANDINISTA GOVERNMENT DESPITE SUGGESTIONS IN THE CIA MANUAL ON HOW THAT OBJECTIVE MIGHT BE ACCOMPLISHED.

--PRESIDENT REAGAN CHAIRED A NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL MEETING HELD TO CONDUCT WHAT ONE OFFICIAL CALLED A ''ROUTINE REVIEW'' OF THE SITUATION IN CENTRAL AMERICA. THE OFFICIAL SAID HE DID NOT EXPECT THE MANUAL TO BE DISCUSSED.

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GOLDWATER HAS SAID A HEARING WILL BE HELD AFTER THE CIA INSPECTOR GENERAL COMPLETES A REPORT ON WHETHER THE MANUAL'S CONTENTS VIOLATE A PRESIDENTIAL BAN ON U.S. INVOLVEMENT IN ASSASSINATIONS. AFTER THE EXISTENCE OF THE MANUAL WAS DISCLOSED, THE CIA URGED REBELS TO DISREGARD ITS RECOMMENDATIONS.

TWO CONGRESSIONAL STAFF AIDES SAID THE INSPECTOR GENERAL'S REPORT HAD BEEN COMPLETED AND WAS BEING SENT TO THE PRESIDENT'S INTELLIGENCE OVERSIGHT BOARD. THEY SAID IT WOULD PROBABLY NOT BE FORWARDED TO THE HOUSE AND SENATE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEES UNTIL LATER THIS WEEK.

CIA SPOKESMAN GEORGE LAUDER REFUSED COMMENT ON THE PROGRESS OF THE INSPECTOR GENERAL'S REPORT.

AFTER THE MANUAL'S EXISTENCE WAS REPORTED TWO WEEKS AGO, REAGAN ORDERED INVESTIGATIONS BY THE CIA'S INSPECTOR GENERAL AND THE OVERSIGHT BOARD, WHOSE THREE MEMBERS HE APPOINTS. DEMOCRATS CALLED FOR INDEPENDENT INVESTIGATIONS INTO THE MANUAL.

ACCORDING TO INFORMATION DEVELOPED BY THE CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEES, THE MANUAL APPEARS TO HAVE BEEN DRAWN HEAVILY FROM A ''LESSON PLAN'' USED IN A 1968 COURSE AT FORT BRAGG, N.C., TO TRAIN SPECIAL FORCES UNITS IN PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE TECHNIQUES APPLICABLE TO VIETNAM.

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SIMILAR PROPOSALS -- SOMETIMES NEARLY WORD FOR WORD -- ARE CONTAINED IN THE MANUAL, ENTITLED ''PSYCHOLOGICAL OPERATIONS IN GUERRILLA WAR,'' ALTHOUGH THE MANUAL USES THE WORD ''NEUTRALIZE'' -- RATHER THAN ''REMOVE'' -- WHEN DEALING WITH CAPTURED OFFICIALS. THE MANUAL ALSO DOES NOT USE THE PHRASE ''KANGAROO COURT.''

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WASHINGTON - A CONTROVERSY OVER THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY'S MANUAL FOR NICARAGUAN REBELS HAS FOCUSED ON THE ISSUE OF POLITICAL ASSASSINATIONS. BUT WHAT HAS BEEN LARGELY OVERLOOKED IS THAT THE DISPUTE HAS ALSO DRAWN THE ADMINISTRATION - AND BY IMPLICATION; PRESIDENT REAGAN - INTO ENDORSING A CAMPAIGN TO OVERTHROW THE NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT.

FOR MORE THAN TWO YEARS THE ADMINISTRATION'S OBJECTIVES IN NICARAGUA HAVE BEEN A POINT OF DEBATE WITH CONGRESS; WITH CRITICS CONTENDING THAT THE PRESIDENT WAS BENT ON DOING AWAY WITH THE SANDINISTA GOVERNMENT IN NICARAGUA; AND THE ADMINISTRATION SAYING PUBLICLY THAT ITS GOALS WERE MORE LIMITED.

BOTH DEMOCRATS AND REPUBLICANS ASSERT THAT THE MANUAL SHEDS NEW LIGHT ON THE ADMINISTRATION'S REAL GOALS.

THE PRESIDENT HAS SAID THE MANUAL WAS WRITTEN BY A CIA CONTRACT EMPLOYEE AND REVIEWED BY CIA OFFICIALS HERE AND IN CENTRAL AMERICA ''BEFORE BEING PRINTED.'' ON SUNDAY; SEN. DANIEL PATRICK MOYNIHAN; D-N.Y.; SAID THE MANUAL WAS DRAWN FROM MATERIAL USED IN THE TRAINING OF U.S. SPECIAL FORCES DURING THE VIETNAM WAR. THE SENATOR; WHO IS DEPUTY CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE SELECT COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE; SAID THE MANUAL INCLUDED ''WORD FOR WORD'' PASSAGES FROM GUERRILLA WARFARE INSTRUCTIONS DEVELOPED BY THE ARMY IN 1968.

IN HIS DEBATE WITH WALTER F. MONDALE; REAGAN SAID HE OBJECTED TO PASSAGES IN THE MANUAL THAT ADVOCATE AND GIVE ADVICE ABOUT POLITICAL ASSASSINATIONS. HE SAID THAT THIS VIOLATED AN EXECUTIVE ORDER HE ISSUED IN 1981 AND THAT; AFTER AN INTERNAL CIA INVESTIGATION; THE PEOPLE RESPONSIBLE WOULD BE REMOVED.

BUT THE PRESIDENT RAISED NO OBJECTIONS DURING THE DEBATE - AND HAS NOT SINCE THEN - TO THE BASIC MESSAGE OF THE MANUAL; WHICH DESCRIBES GUERRILLA WAR AS A FORM OF POLITICAL WAR THAT IN NICARAGUA IS INTENDED TO SPREAD THROUGHOUT THE POPULATION TO FOMENT OPEN REVOLUTION TO OVERTHROW THE ''SANDINISTA STRUCTURE.''

THE MANUAL CONTAINS SEVERAL SECTIONS SETTING OUT TECHNIQUES AND OBJECTIVES FOR THE NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC FRONT; A GROUP BACKED BY THE CIA. IN THE PUBLISHED VERSION OF THE MANUAL AVAILABLE HERE; THERE ARE SEVERAL ASSERTIONS SUCH AS THESE.

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''WHEN THE INFILTRATION AND INTERNAL SUBJECTIVE CONTROL HAVE BEEN DEVELOPED IN A MANNER PARALLEL TO OTHER GUERRILLA ACTIVITIES; A COMMANDANTE OF OURS WILL LITERALLY BE ABLE TO SHAKE UP THE SANDINISTA STRUCTURE; AND REPLACE IT.''

''THE MASS ASSEMBLIES AND MEETINGS ARE THE CULMINATION OF A WIDE BASE SUPPORT AMONG THE POPULATION AND IT COMES ABOUT IN THE LATER PHASES OF THE OPERATION. THIS IS THE MOMENT IN WHICH THE OVERTHROW CAN BE ACHIEVED AND OUR REVOLUTION CAN BECOME AN OPEN ONE; REQUIRING THE CLOSE COLLABORATION OF THE ENTIRE POPULATION OF THE COUNTRY.''

REAGAN; BY REPORTING THAT THE MANUAL HAD BEEN REVIEWED AND EDITED TO DELETE OBJECTIONABLE PASSAGES; FIRST BY THE CIA ''MAN IN CHARGE'' IN CENTRAL AMERICA AND THEN BY CIA HEADQUARTERS IN WASHINGTON; INDICATED THAT THE PUBLISHED VERSION HAD OFFICIAL APPROVAL.

SOME CRITICS READ REAGAN'S REMARKS AS HIS OWN IMPLIED ENDORSEMENT OF MOST OF THE MANUAL; BUT WHITE HOUSE OFFICIALS SAID HE HAD NOT SEEN IT.

''IT'S SIGNIFICANT THAT THE PRESIDENT IS CONFIRMING WHAT THE CRITICS OF HIS POLICY HAVE BEEN SAYING ALL ALONG; THAT HIS POLICY IS TO GET RID OF THE SANDINISTAS;'' SAID REP. MICHAEL D. BARNES; D-MD.; CHAIRMAN OF THE HOUSE FOREIGN AFFAIRS SUBCOMMITTEE ON WESTERN HEMISPHERE AFFAIRS.

WHITE HOUSE OFFICIALS DECLINE TO TALK FOR THE RECORD. BUT PRIVATELY; THEY REPORT THAT REAGAN HAS STILL NOT SEEN THE MANUAL. ONE SENIOR OFFICIAL SAID THAT ''WE'LL BE AT A LOSS ON ANY FINE POINTS;'' SUCH AS THE POLICY IMPLICATIONS OF THE MANUAL; UNTIL THE CIA'S INTERNAL INVESTIGATION IS COMPLETED.

FOR THE LAST TWO YEARS REAGAN HAS EXPRESSED STRONG MORAL SUPPORT FOR NICARAGUAN ''FREEDOM FIGHTERS'' AND ASSERTED HIS DESIRE TO SEE DEMOCRATIC CHANGES IN NICARAGUA. BUT HE HAS DENIED BACKING A REVOLUTIONARY OVERTHROW OF THE SANDINISTA GOVERNMENT.

FOR EXAMPLE; ADDRESSING CONGRESS ON APRIL 27; 1983; REAGAN SAID: ''OUR PURPOSE; IN CONFORMITY WITH AMERICAN AND INTERNATIONAL LAW; IS TO PREVENT THE FLOW OF ARMS TO EL SALVADOR; HONDURAS; GUATEMALA; AND COSTA RICA.'' BUT REFERRING TO THE SANDINISTA GOVERNMENT IN NICARAGUA; HE SAID; ''WE DO NOT SEEK ITS OVERTHROW.''

CONGRESS ORIGINALLY AUTHORIZED THE CIA TO HAVE NICARAGUAN REBEL GROUPS TRY TO CHECK THE ARMS FLOW FROM NICARAGUA TO LEFTIST GUERRILLAS IN EL SALVADOR. BUT REBEL OPERATIONS SPREAD TO INCLUDE RAIDS AGAINST NICARAGUAN OIL INSTALLATIONS AND TOBACCO FARMS AND EVENTUALLY TO THE MINING OF NICARAGUAN PORTS AND HARBORS; AND CRITICS IN CONGRESS SAID THE CIA WAS PURSUING BROADER AIMS.

IN LATE 1982; THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES; LED BY REP. EDWARD P. BOLAND; D-MASS.; AND CHAIRMAN OF THE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE; ENACTED A BAN ON THE USE OF AMERICAN MONEY TO OVERTHROW THE SANDINISTAS. THE SENATE FOLLOWED SUIT.

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IN SEPTEMBER 1983; THE ADMINISTRATION WON SENATE BACKING FOR A SOMEWHAT BROADER MISSION TO ALLOW THE CIA TO SUPPORT BOTH INTERDICTION OF THE NICARAGUAN ARMS FLOW AND REBEL HARASSMENT OF THE NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT TO GET IT TO STOP EXPORTING REVOLUTION.

WITH SOME POLITICAL EMBARRASSMENT FOR THE ADMINISTRATION; NICARAGUAN REBEL LEADERS HAVE SAID PUBLICLY THAT THEIR GOAL IS A REVOLUTION TO OUST THE SANDINISTAS. IN RESPONSE; ADMINISTRATION OFFICIALS HAVE SAID THAT WASHINGTON COULD NOT CONTROL REBEL STATEMENTS AND MAINTAINED THAT AMERICAN OBJECTIVES WERE DIFFERENT. BUT NOW; MEMBERS OF BOTH PARTIES IN CONGRESS CONTEND THAT THE GUERRILLA MANUAL HAS UNDERCUT REAGAN'S ABILITY TO MAINTAIN THAT DISTINCTION.

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C.I.A. Manual Is Linked To Vietnam War Guide

By PHILIP TAUBMAN
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WASHINGTON, Oct. 28 — A manual on guerrilla warfare prepared for Nicaraguan rebels by the Central Intelligence Agency was drawn from material used to train United States Special Forces troops during the Vietnam War, Senator Daniel Patrick Moynihan said today.

The New York Democrat, who is deputy chairman of the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence, said that the manual included "word for word" passages from guerrilla warfare instructions developed by the United States Army in 1968.

Mr. Moynihan said that the instructions, which were used to train Special Forces troops, also known as Green Berets, at Fort Bragg in North Carolina, were provided to the intelligence committee last week by the C.I.A. and had been located in the agency's library.

The C.I.A. manual has come under intense scrutiny and criticism since its existence was disclosed two weeks ago, with most attention focused on the booklet's comments on how to "neutralize" Nicaraguan leaders.

Assassinations Prohibited

The intelligence agency is prohibited by Presidential order from directly or indirectly planning or carrying out assassinations.

Mr. Moynihan said that the Army material included advice about how to "remove" civilian leaders as part of a campaign of psychological warfare. He said that the term "remove" was clearly meant to be synonymous with assassination and that the instructions were apparently modeled on terror techniques that he said were used during the Communist takeover of China in the 1940's.

"They were talking," Mr. Moynihan said, "about a specific technique of the Chinese Communists. Every time they came to a village they identified somebody as a landowner, an oppressor. They got everybody together in the village and they formally shot him."

A Senate aide said that the Army material mentioned by Mr. Moynihan came from "lesson plans" developed in 1968 by the psychological operations department of the United States Army Special Warfare School at Fort Bragg.

Response From the Pentagon

Lieut. Comdr. Charles D. Smith, a Defense Department spokesman, said that a review of lesson plans since 1972 "has revealed no reference to assassination being condoned or encouraged."

He said the Pentagon had not yet located the 1968 plan uncovered by the Senate investigators.

The Senate aide said that one of the lesson plans, No. 643, was entitled "Armed Psyop." Psychological warfare operations are known in military jargon as "Psyops." The subtitle, according to the aide, was "Implicit and explicit terror. Psyop by selected use of armed force."

Under that heading, he said, the plan included these "teaching points":

"Carefully selected, planned targets — judges, police officials, tax collectors, etc — may be be removed for Psyop effect in an Unconventional Warfare Operations Area, but extensive precautions must insure that the people 'concur' in such an act by thorough explanatory canvassing among the affected populace before and after conduct of the mission."

'Selective Use of Violence'

The manual has a section entitled "implicit and explicit terror." In a section called "Selective Use of Violence for Propagandistic Effects," it says:

"It is possible to neutralize carefully selected and planned targets, such as court judges, police and state security officials.... etc. For psychological purposes it is necessary to take extreme precautions, and it is absolutely necessary to gather together the population affected, so that they will be present, take part in the act, and formulate accusations against the oppressor."

Senator Barry M. Goldwater, Republican of Arizona, the chairman of the Senate Intelligence Committee, said that an investigation of the C.I.A. manual by the intelligence agency's inspector general would not be completed until the end of the week. The Senate committee has tentatively scheduled hearings on the manual this week.

Mr. Goldwater and Mr. Moynihan made their comments in telephone interviews and on the ABC News program "This Week."

Author Not Publicly Identified

A member of the House Select Committee on Intelligence, which is also investigating the manual, said that the committee had asked the C.I.A. to order the author of the booklet, who has not been publicly identified, to appear before the panel within the next two weeks.

The lawmaker said the staff had determined that the author borrowed much of the information in the manual from the 1968 instruction material used at Fort Bragg. "It seems that most of what he did was translate the stuff into Spanish rather than write much that was original," the legislator, a Democratic member of Congress, said.

Mr. Moynihan said it was not clear whether the C.I.A., which paid the manual's author to prepare the booklet, had known until recent days that much of its contents had been taken from Green Beret training materials.

Senator Goldwater and William E. Colby, a former Director of Central Intelligence, said on the ABC program that the word "neutralize" did not necessarily mean that people should be killed.

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WASHINGTON - THE SENATE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEES HOPES TO HOLD A HEARING NEXT WEEK ON THE ORIGINS OF A PRIMER ON GUERRILLA WARFARE DEVELOPED BY THE CIA FOR USE BY THE NICARAGUAN REBELS; A COMMITTEE AIDE SAID SATURDAY NIGHT.

THE AIDE SAID THE PANEL HAS RECENTLY OBTAINED A COPY OF A 1968 ARMY MANUAL ON GUERRILLA WARFARE. THE MANUAL; PREPARED FOR USE BY THE ARMY'S SPECIAL FORCES IN VIETNAM; CONTAINS PASSAGES THAT THE AIDE SAID ''WERE STRIKINGLY SIMILAR'' TO PORTIONS OF THE NICARAGUAN MANUAL.

IT IS UNCLEAR WHO WROTE THE MANUAL FOR THE NICARAGUAN REBELS. CONGRESSIONAL STAFF MEMBERS HAVE SAID THE MAN WAS IDENTIFIED IN INITIAL REPORTS AS JOHN KIRKPATRICK; A CIA EMPLOYEE IN THE VIETNAM ERA WHO RETIRED AND WAS CALLED BACK ON CONTRACT. EDGAR CHAMORRO; ONE OF THE LEADERS OF THE NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC FORCE; HAS DESCRIBED KIRKPATRICK AS A ''MAVERICK'' WHO SPENT THREE MONTHS WITH THE REBELS LAST FALL.

THE WHITE HOUSE HAS SAID THAT THE MANUAL WAS WRITTEN BY A ''LOW-LEVEL CONTRACT EMPLOYEE.''

THE PRIMER ADVOCATES THE ''NEUTRALIZATION'' OF NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND SUGGESTS THAT THE REBELS ARRANGE FOR THE KILLING OF SOME OF THEIR OWN FOLLOWERS SO THAT THEY COULD BECOME MARTYRS.

ASSASSINATIONS BY AMERICAN INTELLIGENCE AGENTS WERE FIRST BANNED BY PRESIDENT FORD IN 1976. THAT PROHIBITION WAS RESTATED BY PRESIDENT CARTER AND PRESIDENT REAGAN.

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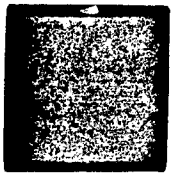

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NICARAGUA-MANUAL
BY DAVID GOELLER

WASHINGTON (AP) -- THE CIA-PRODUCED MANUAL DISCUSSING ''NEUTRALIZATION'' OF NICARAGUAN OFFICIALS WAS LIFTED FROM A VIETNAM-ERA ARMY PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE PAPER, THE VICE CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE SAID SUNDAY.

''IT IS A WORD-FOR-WORD TRANSLATION OF THE LESSON PLAN ON PSYCHOLOGICAL OPERATIONS THAT WAS PREPARED AT THE ARMY SPECIAL WARFARE SCHOOL IN FORT BRAGG, N.C., (IN) APRIL 1968,'' SAID SEN. DANIEL PATRICK MOYNIHAN, D-N.Y.

''IF YOU WERE A PROFESSOR, THERE WOULD BE A PROBLEM OF PLAGIARISM,'' MOYNIHAN SAID IN AN INTERVIEW ON ABC-TV'S ''THIS WEEK WITH DAVID BRINKLEY.''

MOYNIHAN SAID THE ARMY DOCUMENT DISCUSSED TACTICS USED BY GUERRILLA LEADERS, SUCH AS THE PRACTICE OF CHINESE COMMUNISTS IN THE 1940S OF MOVING INTO A VILLAGE AND PUBLICLY EXECUTING THE LOCAL LEADER.

HE SAID THE SPANISH LANGUAGE MANUAL DISTRIBUTED TO THE U.S.-BACKED ANTI-SANDINISTA GUERRILLAS IN NICARAGUA ''DOES TALK ABOUT FINDING HOODLUMS -- GANGSTERS -- TO CARRY OUT JOBS.''

''IT THEN GOES UNDER A SECTION THAT IS CALLED 'IMPLICIT AND EXPLICIT TERRORISM' ... TO TALK ABOUT NEUTRALIZE,'' ACCORDING TO MOYNIHAN. HE SAID THE ORIGINAL ARMY TEXT USED THE WORD ''REMOVED'' INSTEAD OF ''NEUTRALIZE.''

APPEARING ON THE SAME PROGRAM, THE CHAIRMAN OF THE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE, SEN. BARRY GOLDWATER, R-ARIZ., SAID HE DID NOT ''SEE ANYTHING TO GET EXCITED ABOUT.''

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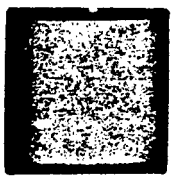

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HE SAID THE UNITED STATES SHOULD NEITHER PRACTICE ASSASSINATION NOR ''ADVOCATE ANYBODY TO ATTEMPT ASSASSINATION.''

TWO FORMER CIA DIRECTORS -- WILLIAM COLBY, WHO SERVED DURING THE FORD ADMINISTRATION, AND ADM. STANSFIELD TURNER, WHO HELD THE POST DURING THE CARTER ADMINISTRATION -- OFFERED DIFFERENT INTERPRETATIONS OF ''NEUTRALIZATION'' ON THE BRINKLEY SHOW.

''IT DOES NOT MEAN ASSASSINATION,'' COLBY SAID. NEUTRALIZATION ''MEANS TAKE THE PERSON OUT OF ACTION ... IT DOESN'T SAY TO KILL THEM.''

BUT TURNER, NOTING THAT THE WORD APPEARS UNDER THE HEADING ''SELECTIVE USE OF VIOLENCE,'' SAID: ''I DON'T THINK YOU CAN NEUTRALIZE WITH VIOLENCE WITHOUT RISKING MURDER.''

TURNER SAID HE THOUGHT THE CIA'S COVERT AID TO THE NICARAGUAN REBELS COULD END UP DAMAGING THE INTELLIGENCE AGENCY.

''WHAT'S HAPPENING IS THEY'VE BEEN ASKED TO DO SOMETHING THAT'S ALMOST IMPOSSIBLE TO DO BY THIS TECHNIQUE,'' TURNER SAID. ''THEREFORE, THE CIA PEOPLE ON THE SPOT ARE FRUSTRATED AND KEEP REACHING FOR SOME NEW TECHNIQUE OR DEVICE TO GET THEIR JOB DONE WELL. WHAT'S HAPPENED? IT'S INCREASINGLY QUESTIONABLE TYPES OF ACTIVITIES THEY TURN TO.''

COLBY SAID HE WAS ''VERY AMBIVALENT'' ABOUT AIDING THE REBELS, WHO ARE KNOWN AS ''CONTRAS'' -- SHORT-HAND SPANISH FOR COUNTER-REVOLUTIONARIES.

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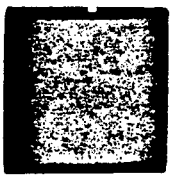

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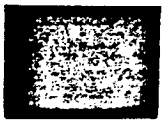

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LT. COMDR. CHARLES D. SMITH; A DEFENSE DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN; SAID THAT A REVIEW OF LESSON PLANS SINCE 1972 HAS REVEALED NO REFERENCE TO ASSASSINATION BEING CONDONED OR ENCOURAGED.''

HE SAID THE PENTAGON HAD NOT YET LOCATED THE 1968 PLAN UNCOVERED BY THE SENATE INVESTIGATORS.

THE SENATE AIDE SAID THAT ONE OF THE LESSON PLANS; NO. 643; WAS ENTITLED ''ARMED PSYOP.'' PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE OPERATIONS ARE KNOWN IN MILITARY JARGON AS ''PSYOPS.'' THE SUBTITLE; ACCORDING TO THE AIDE; WAS ''IMPLICIT AND EXPLICIT TERROR. PSYOP BY SELECTED USE OF ARMED FORCE.''

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SEN. BARRY M. GOLDWATER; R-ARIZ.; THE CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE; SAID THAT AN INVESTIGATION OF THE CIA MANUAL BY THE INTELLIGENCE AGENCY'S INSPECTOR GENERAL WOULD NOT BE COMPLETED UNTIL THE END OF THE WEEK. THE SENATE COMMITTEE HAS TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED HEARINGS ON THE MANUAL THIS WEEK.

GOLDWATER AND MOYNIHAN MADE THEIR COMMENTS IN TELEPHONE INTERVIEWS AND ON THE ABC NEWS PROGRAM ''THIS WEEK.''

A MEMBER OF THE HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE; WHICH IS ALSO INVESTIGATING THE MANUAL; SAID THAT THE COMMITTEE HAD ASKED THE CIA TO ORDER THE AUTHOR OF THE BOOKLET; WHO HAS NOT BEEN PUBLICLY IDENTIFIED; TO APPEAR BEFORE THE PANEL WITHIN THE NEXT TWO WEEKS.

THE LAWMAKER SAID THE STAFF HAD DETERMINED THAT THE AUTHOR BORROWED MUCH OF THE INFORMATION IN THE MANUAL FROM THE 1968 INSTRUCTION MATERIAL USED AT FORT BRAGG. ''IT SEEMS THAT MOST OF WHAT HE DID WAS TRANSLATE THE STUFF INTO SPANISH RATHER THAN WRITE MUCH THAT WAS ORIGINAL;'' THE LEGISLATOR; A DEMOCRATIC MEMBER OF CONGRESS; SAID.

MOYNIHAN SAID IT WAS NOT CLEAR WHETHER THE CIA; WHICH PAID THE MANUAL'S AUTHOR TO PREPARE THE BOOKLET; HAD KNOWN UNTIL RECENT DAYS THAT MUCH OF ITS CONTENTS HAD BEEN TAKEN FROM GREEN BERET TRAINING MATERIALS.

GOLDWATER AND WILLIAM E. COLBY; A FORMER DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE; SAID ON THE ABC PROGRAM THAT THE WORD ''NEUTRALIZE'' DID NOT NECESSARILY MEAN THAT PEOPLE SHOULD BE KILLED.

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The CIA Has Slipped Its Leash Again

Viewpoint

by Hodding Carter III

Sometimes it's hard to believe that this isn't 1975. The revelations about the activities of our paid terrorists in and around Nicaragua sound like a replay of the stories that unfolded before Congress a decade ago, stories that confirmed the CIA had behaved abroad in ways more popularly ascribed to the KGB—and that it had done so with the knowledge, consent or direction of the White House. Congressional oversight was supposed to cure all that, but it hasn't, and it's time for public and politicians alike to take yet another hard look at the actions and accountability of an agency whose chief function is supposedly contained in its name.

In the brave new world of 1984, words mean what government officials say they mean, as former CIA chief George Bush has been demonstrating lately. Nonetheless, "intelligence," as in the second word in the CIA's title, is said by my dictionary to mean: "(1) mental ability, the power of learning and understanding; (2) information, news, especially that of military value; (3) the people engaged in collecting this."

What does any of this have to do with the mining of harbors of a nation with which we are not at war, the financing of random murder of civilians as well as government officials and the instruction of former Somoza thugs in whatever techniques of terrorism our money did not help them learn during their murderous reign in Managua?

As we are often told, however, we must not be naive. This is a tough world in which real enemies plot real threats to the national interest. If we are to be forewarned and therefore forearmed, we must have a first-rate intelligence agency—and that includes a first-rate espionage capacity. (As my dictionary sees it, espionage means "spying or using spies to obtain secret information.")

All but a few of us would concede, grudgingly or not, that spying and human history go hand in hand and that so-called "human intelligence" remains vitally important in the deadly world we inhabit. But what does that have to do with a manual that teaches our clients how to "neutralize" public officials "such as court judges, police and state security officials. Gather together the population affected so that they will be present and take part in the act . . ."? That's not spying and that isn't intelligence. That's murder.

At this point in the discussion, apologists for such activity tend to lower their voices and speak firmly of the need to fight fire with fire. It is the nature of communist regimes, we are told, to do such things, and they must never forget that two can tango. But we are not a totalitarian police state and our ideology carries no justification for putting ends above means. Play the ape long enough and you become an ape, which stands both creationism and evolution on their heads but which accurately reflects the way things happen in human society.

And that is the point of what we have been doing in Central America, if not elsewhere. The CIA, given what was apparently extraordinary latitude by a presidential directive in late 1981, has simply cast off its new restrictions and gone back to the bad old days with a vengeance. For any who doubt it, we have the word of the president himself, who confirmed in the Sunday night debate that agency employees are indeed hard at work in Central America and have been directly involved with the terrorism manual and other good deeds. (As an old government spokesman who was always instructed to offer a stiff "no comment" when asked about intelligence activities, I fell back in amused shock when the president publicly confirmed all but the details of the agency's role in the region. The only aspect of his remarks more ludicrous than the fact that he uttered them at all was his retraction of the apparent admission that CIA operatives are in Nicaragua itself. Of course they are.)

But, so too, are they in El Salvador, dying in plane crashes while trying to intercept those extraordinarily elusive "massive arms shipments" from Nicaragua about which we keep hearing so much but seeing so little. So too are they in Costa Rica and Honduras in great numbers. In the latter nation, they are publicly gathered in ways that already parody their presence in Vietnam 15 years ago.

How much of this has been authorized by Congress? To hear those responsible for congressional oversight, including such men as Barry Goldwater and Daniel Patrick Moynihan, almost none. Each new revelation provokes expressions of congressional outrage or cautious disapproval. Occasionally, new restrictions are voted and promptly ignored. How much of it had and has the approval, explicit or implicit, of the president? To hear him tell it, almost none. But if Congress and the president have not approved U.S.-financed war and U.S.-financed terrorism, then the CIA is out of control, and the question arises: Who is in charge here, a secret organ of state security or the state?

Finally, one other word that was briefly surfaced and then "newspeaked" to death by the vice president. The word is shame. As my dictionary sees it, the preferred definition is: "A painful mental feeling aroused by a sense of having done something wrong or dishonorable or improper or ridiculous." It's the right word for the moment, and it will take more than White House double talk to expunge it.

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f Congressional Panels Broaden Reviews of CIA Manual
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WASHINGTON (AP) - Congressional oversight committee staffs are broadening their inquiries into the CIA's Nicaraguan rebel manual to examine what the spy agency knew about alleged political killings carried out by U.S.-backed forces; Capitol Hill sources said Thursday.

Initial reviews by the staffs of the House and Senate intelligence committees focused on who authorized production of the CIA manual; which advocates ''selective use of violence'' to ''neutralize'' officials of Nicaragua's leftist government.

But staff investigators for both committees are also looking into whether the rebels have; in fact; executed Nicaraguan officials and what the CIA's role may have been; said sources; who spoke only on condition they not be identified.

''We don't want our people getting bogged down on who deleted which paragraph'' of various versions of the manual; said one House Intelligence Committee official.

He said the committee is trying to pry loose information from the CIA about repeated reports that anti-government rebels have attacked civilian targets and executed individual officials.

On Sunday; President Reagan said that a CIA employee in Central America wrote the manual but that sections relating to assassinations were deleted by his superiors there and at CIA headquarters. CIA officials; however; told the Senate Intelligence Committee on Monday that all copies of the manual contained advice on ''neutralizing'' Nicaraguan officials.

CIA officials also said they were recalling all versions of the 90-page booklet.

During the three-hour briefing Monday; the committee also reviewed a 1982 Defense Intelligence Agency report that stated that rebels had engaged in ''the assassination of minor government officials and a Cuban adviser.''

Officials who attended that briefing later discounted the DIA report; saying it was based largely on local Nicaraguan press reports and discussions with foreign journalists; not on hard; independent intelligence. Sources also say the CIA has denied knowledge of such killings.

But one committee source said that during the early days of the covert operation; which began in December 1981; the CIA ''did not have 100 percent control of all these guys'' and that it was clear that Nicaraguan civilians ''have been killed or murdered or even assassinated.''

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ANOTHER SENATE SOURCE SAID STAFF INVESTIGATORS ARE LOOKING INTO THE CIA'S RELATIONSHIP WITH [illegible] HANDLED MUCH OF THE EARLY TRAINING OF THE REBEL TROOPS BASED IN HONDURAS. THE ARGENTINE ADVISERS WERE WITHDRAWN AFTER THE UNITED STATES SIDED WITH GREAT BRITAIN IN THE FALKLAND ISLANDS WAR IN 1982.

ON SATURDAY, EDGAR CHAMORRO, PROPAGANDA CHIEF FOR THE HONDURAN-BASED NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC FORCE, SAID IT IS THE ''PRACTICE'' OF HIS CIA-BACKED GROUP TO EXECUTE CAPTURED NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS WHO ARE DEEMED ''CRIMINALS'' BY THE LOCAL POPULATION.

BUT CHAMORRO SAID HE WAS UNAWARE OF A SPECIFIC CASE IN WHICH THE CIA MANUAL PROMPTED SUCH A KILLING. CHAMORRO'S ADMISSION THAT EXECUTIONS WERE CARRIED OUT WAS LATER DISAVOWED BY OTHER REBEL OFFICIALS, WHO INSISTED THAT THEIR FORCES DO NOT MURDER CIVILIANS.

NICARAGUA'S LEFTIST GOVERNMENT AND SOME AMERICANS LIVING IN THE COUNTRY HAVE CHARGED REPEATEDLY THAT REBEL FORCES HAVE TARGETED CIVILIAN GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND PROMINENT SANDINISTA SUPPORTERS FOR ASSASSINATION.

ON THURSDAY, THE NICARAGUAN EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON RELEASED A BREAKDOWN OF CIVILIANS KILLED BY REBEL FORCES SINCE 1981, ALLEGING THAT 854 PEOPLE HAVE BEEN ASSASSINATED, INCLUDING 329 GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES, 436 PEASANTS ON AGRICULTURAL COOPERATIVES, AND 89 ADULT EDUCATION TEACHERS.

IN A 1983 HOUSE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE REPORT, REP. DAVE MCCURDY, D-OKLA., CITED THE KILLING OF A WEST GERMAN DOCTOR, GEORG PFLAUM, AND 12 NICARAGUAN MEDICAL ASSISTANTS AS PROVING ''ALL TOO CONVINCINGLY THAT (REBEL MILITARY) ACTIVITY IS NOT BEING RESTRICTED TO MILITARY TARGETS.''

ALSO, IN MID-1983, LISA FITZGERALD, AN AMERICAN NUN AND FORMER ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL IN MASSACHUSETTS, RETURNED FROM NICARAGUA AND TOLD THE HOUSE COMMITTEE THAT ANTI-SANDINISTA REBELS OFTEN TARGETED RELIGIOUS OFFICIALS, HEALTH WORKERS, TEACHERS AND DOCTORS FOR ASSASSINATION.

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORTED THE EXISTENCE OF THE CIA MANUAL 10 DAYS AGO. FOUR DAYS LATER, REAGAN ORDERED TWO ADMINISTRATION INVESTIGATIONS, INCLUDING AN INTERNAL REVIEW BY THE CIA.

ANNOUNCING THE INVESTIGATIONS, WHITE HOUSE SPOKESMAN LARRY SPEAKES DECLARED THAT ''THE ADMINISTRATION HAS NOT ADVOCATED OR CONDONED POLITICAL ASSASSINATION OR ANY OTHER ATTACKS ON CIVILIANS.'' SPEAKES ALSO CITED A DEC. 4, 1981 PRESIDENTIAL EXECUTIVE ORDER PROHIBITING U.S. PARTICIPATION IN ASSASSINATIONS.

SEN. BARRY GOLDWATER, R-ARIZ., INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN, HAS ORDERED A FULL COMMITTEE MEETING ON THE MANUAL AS SOON AS THE CIA COMPLETES ITS INTERNAL REVIEW. HOWEVER, NO TIME HAS BEEN SET FOR THE MEETING.

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WASHINGTON (UPI) -- THE STATE DEPARTMENT PROTESTED TO NICARAGUA THURSDAY THE GOVERNMENT SUPPORT OF A DEMONSTRATION IN FRONT OF THE U.S. EMBASSY IN MANAGUA.

THE PROTEST, REVEALED BY STATE DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN JOHN HUGHES, IS THE LATEST IN A SERIES OF PROTESTS AND COMPLAINTS BETWEEN THE TWO GOVERNMENTS.

ON WEDNESDAY, THE NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT DELIVERED A PROTEST TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT, COMPLAINING OF A CIA MANUAL DISTRIBUTED TO SOME REBEL FORCES THAT TALKED OF "NEUTRALIZING" NICARAGUAN PERSONNEL.

ON TUESDAY, THE U.S. AMBASSADOR TO MANAGUA, HARRY BERGOLD, WAS SUMMONED TO THE FOREIGN MINISTRY, APPARENTLY TO BE GIVEN THE PROTEST ABOUT THE CIA MANUAL, BUT FOUND THAT LOCAL PHOTOGRAPHERS AND REPORTERS HAD BEEN NOTIFIED IN ADVANCE OF HIS VISIT.

HUGHES SAID, "HE WAITED 10 MINUTES WHILE BEING PHOTOGRAPHED, WHICH HE THOUGHT WAS SUFFICIENT, AND THEN LEFT" WITHOUT RECEIVING THE PROTEST.

HUGHES SAID THURSDAY'S U.S. PROTEST, WHICH WAS HANDED OVER TO THE NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT, ARISES FROM CALLS MADE TO FOREIGN AND LOCAL NEWSMEN IN MANAGUA URGING THEM TO BE ON HAND FOR A DEMONSTRATION THURSDAY IN FRONT OF THE U.S. EMBASSY.

"THE UNITED STATES HAS LEARNED THAT THE GOVERNMENT OF NICARAGUA IS ENCOURAGING MEDIA TO ATTEND TODAY'S DEMONSTRATION," HUGHES SAID.

HE DESCRIBED THAT AS UNUSUAL AND UNACCEPTABLE, BUT SAID THERE IS NO EVIDENCE THAT THE SANDINISTA GOVERNMENT IS DIRECTLY SPONSORING ANY VIOLENCE TOWARD THE U.S. EMBASSY OR DIPLOMATS. HE REFUSED TO SAY IF EXTRA SECURITY HAS BEEN ORDERED AROUND THE EMBASSY OR U.S. PERSONNEL IN MANAGUA.

HUGHES SAID THAT EVIDENCE CONTINUES TO COME IN THAT NICARAGUA IS RECEIVING SOVIET ARMS, INCLUDING A SHIPMENT ABOARD A BULGARIAN SHIP THAT IS CURRENTLY BEING UNLOADED AT THE NICARAGUAN PORT OF EL BLUFF. HOWEVER, HUGHES SAID THERE IS NO EVIDENCE THAT THE SHIP CARRIES ADVANCED SOVIET-BUILT AIRCRAFT, AS SOME REPORTS HAVE SAID.

HE REPEATED EARLIER STATEMENTS THAT THE UNITED STATES WOULD "VIEW SERIOUSLY" ANY ATTEMPT BY NICARAGUA TO PROCURE SUCH AIRCRAFT, WHICH THE STATE DEPARTMENT HAS SAID WOULD UPSET THE MILITARY BALANCE OF THE REGION.

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ŧNICARAGUA COMPLAINS TO UNITED NATIONS ABOUT CIA MANUAL

UNITED NATIONS (AP) - NICARAGUA CHARGED IN THE U.N. GENERAL ASSEMBLY WEDNESDAY THAT A CIA MANUAL FOR REBELS WAS NOT AN ISOLATED INCIDENT BUT A PRINTED CONFIRMATION OF U.S. INTENT TO OVERTHROW THE SANDINISTA GOVERNMENT.

''IS THIS OR IS IT NOT STATE TERRORISM?'' NICARAGUAN AMBASSADOR JAVIER CHAMORRO MORA ASKED DELEGATES AS THE 159-MEMBER ASSEMBLY OPENED A TWO-DAY DEBATE ON THE SITUATION IN CENTRAL AMERICA.

CHAMORRO ASSERTED THAT THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY MANUAL; DISCLOSED LAST WEEK; WAS EVIDENCE THAT THE ''SECRET DIRTY WAR'' AGAINST HIS COUNTRY WAS NOT AIMED AT HALTING ARMS TRAFFIC TO EL SALVADOR BUT AT TOPPLING THE NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT.

THE MANUAL; CHAMORRO TOLD DELEGATES; ''MUST NOT BE SEEN AS AN ISOLATED AND INSIGNIFICANT FACT. IT IS NOTHING LESS THAN THE PRINTED VERSION OF THE PHILOSOPHY OF THE PRESENT GOVERNMENT OF THE MOST POWERFUL NATION ON EARTH. IT IS THE MEASURE OF ITS MORAL STANDING; THE MOST ELOQUENT EXPRESSION OF ITS REPUDIATION OF THE PRINCIPLES AND PURPOSES OF THE U.N. CHARTER.''

THE NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT ON TUESDAY SENT A LETTER TO SECRETARY OF STATE GEORGE SHULTZ ACCUSING THE UNITED STATES OF PROMOTING ''CRUEL AND INHUMAN ACTS'' AGAINST NICARAGUA THROUGH THE MANUAL. FOREIGN MINISTER MIGUEL D'ESCOTO IN MANAGUA GAVE THE LETTER TO AMBASSADOR HARRY E. BERGOLD JR.; WHO WOULD NOT COMMENT ON IT.

AT THE U.N.; CHAMORRO SAID THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION ''UNBLUSHINGLY'' HAS CONFIRMED THE VALIDITY OF THE CIA MANUAL; WHICH GIVES ''GUIDANCE FOR THE PERPETRATION OF CRIMES AGAINST THE NICARAGUAN PEOPLE AND THEIR LEADERS; ENCOURAGING KIDNAPPING AND ASSASSINATION AND EVEN THE CONTRACTING OF HIRED KILLERS.''

IN HIS TELEVISED DEBATE SUNDAY WITH DEMOCRATIC PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE WALTER MONDALE; PRESIDENT REAGAN SAID THE MANUAL HAD APPARENTLY BEEN WRITTEN BY A LOW-LEVEL CONTRACT EMPLOYEE OF THE CIA IN NICARAGUA. REAGAN SAID THE MATTER WAS UNDER INVESTIGATION AND HE PROMISED THAT WHOEVER WAS RESPONSIBLE WOULD BE FIRED.

HE SAID THE MANUAL'S REFERENCES TO ASSASSINATION OF GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS WERE A VIOLATION OF AN EXECUTIVE ORDER HE SIGNED WHEN HE TOOK OFFICE.

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THE CIA, MEANWHILE, HAS ADVISED THE U.S. CONGRESS THAT IT HAS ORDERED THE ''FULL RECALL'' OF THE CONTROVERSIAL MANUAL.

THE NICARAGUAN ENVOY URGED U.N. DELEGATES TO GIVE THE ''BROADEST SUPPORT'' TO HIS PROPOSED RESOLUTION CALLING FOR ''THE UNCONDITIONAL AND IMMEDIATE CESSATION OF THE THREATS, HOSTILE ACTS, PRESSURES AND ATTACKS DIRECTED AGAINST NICARAGUA.''

HE SAID HE HOPED ''THE INTERNATIONAL UPROAR WILL LEAD THOSE RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS WAR OF EXTERMINATION AGAINST MY COUNTRY TO CHANGE THEIR MINDS.''

CHAMORRO ACCUSED THE UNITED STATES AND THE CIA OF CONDUCTING A ''POLICY OF AGGRESSION WHICH IS CONTINUING AGAINST MY COUNTRY.'' HE LISTED AIR ATTACKS, MINING OF HARBORS, ACTS OF SABOTAGE AND LARGE-SCALE U.S. MILITARY MANEUVERS IN THE AREA.

THE NICARAGUAN ALSO SAID HIS DELEGATION SUPPORTS A SEPARATE RESOLUTION INTRODUCED BY THE FOUR MEMBERS OF THE CONTADORA GROUP - COLOMBIA, MEXICO, PANAMA AND VENEZUELA - CALLING FOR AN EARLY SIGNING OF THEIR PEACE TREATY FOR CENTRAL AMERICA. THE RESOLUTION ALSO URGES OTHER STATES WITH TIES TO THE REGION TO SIGNIFY THEIR SUPPORT OF THE CONTADORA ACT BY SIGNING ITS ''ADDITIONAL PROTOCOL.''

AFTER ACCUSING THE UNITED STATES OF TRYING TO SCUTTLE THE PROPOSED TREATY, CHAMORRO SAID WASHINGTON HAD A CHANCE TO PROVE ITS AVOWED PEACEFUL INTENTIONS ''BY ANNOUNCING ITS WILLINGNESS TO SUPPORT THE ADDITIONAL PROTOCOL.''

THE DRAFT TREATY PRESCRIBES REDUCTIONS IN ARMS AND TROOPS, WITHDRAWAL OF FOREIGN MILITARY ADVISERS, CLOSING OF FOREIGN MILITARY BASES, AN END TO EFFORTS TO SUBVERT GOVERNMENTS OF OTHER COUNTRIES AND GUARANTEES FOR DEMOCRACY, INCLUDING FREE ELECTIONS.

NICARAGUA HAS ACCEPTED THE DRAFT WITHOUT RESERVATIONS. BUT THE OTHER FOUR CENTRAL AMERICAN COUNTRIES - COSTA RICA, GUATEMALA, HONDURAS AND EL SALVADOR - HAVE PROPOSED CHANGES TO STRENGTHEN VERIFICATION AND CONTROL PROCEDURES AND TO STIPULATE TIMETABLES FOR REDUCTIONS AND WITHDRAWALS. THE UNITED STATES RAISED SIMILAR POINTS IN EXPRESSING RESERVATIONS ON THE DRAFT TREATY.

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FNICARAGUA ACCUSES U.S. OF PROMOTING TERRORISM

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MANAGUA, NICARAGUA (AP) - THE U.S. AMBASSSADOR TO NICARAGUA WAS CALLED TO THE FOREIGN MINISTRY AND GIVEN A STERNLY WORDED LETTER ACCUSING THE UNITED STATES OF INCITING TERRORISM AND INTERFERING IN THE COUNTRY'S NOV. 4 ELECTIONS.

THE LETTER WAS ADDRESSED TO SECRETARY OF STATE GEORGE SHULTZ AND DELIVERED TUESDAY TO AMBASSADOR HARRY E. BERGOLD JR. BY NICARAGUAN FOREIGN MINISTER MIGUEL D'ESCOTO.

THE LETTER REFERRED TO A ''SOCIOLOGICAL MANUAL OF OPERATIONS IN GUERRILLA WARFARE;'' REPORTEDLY DRAWN UP AND DISTRIBUTED BY THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGAENCY TO GUERRILLAS TRYING TO TOPPLE NICARAGUA'S LEFTIST SANDINISTA GOVERNMENT.

THE LETTER SAID THE MANUAL, WHOSE EXISTENCE WAS DISCLOSED LAST WEEK, ''CONSTITUTES NEW MATERIAL PROOF'' OF ''POLITICAL TERRORISM'' PERPETRATED BY THE UNITED STATES AGAINST NICARAGUA.

THE BOOKLET DESCRIBED WAYS IN WHICH GUERRILLAS COULD ''NEUTRALIZE'' FOES BY USE OF ''SELECTIVE VIOLENCE;'' CREATE MARTYRS WITHIN THEIR OWN RANKS AND DISRUPT GOVERNMENT ACTIVITIES.

THE LETTER SAID THE MANUAL CALLED FOR ''CRUEL AND INHUMAN ACTS'' AGAINST NICARAGUA AND DISCRIBED ITS CONTENTS AS A ''FLAGRANT VIOLATION'' OF BOTH U.S. LAW AND INTERNATIONAL CONDUCT.

IN TEGUCIGALPA, THE HONDURAN CAPITAL, A LEADER OF THE LARGEST REBEL ORGANIZATION SAID ITS TROOPS HAVE NOT SEEN THE MANUAL.

ADOLFO CALERO, HEAD OF THE NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC FORCE, SAID, ''THE TRANSLATION WAS NOT DONE BY PROFESSIONALS IN THE SPANISH LANGUAGE, WHICH LEAVES IT OPEN TO ERRORS AND IMPRECISE PHRASES SUCH AS THE WORD 'NEUTRALIZE,' WHICH HAS BEEN INTERPRETED IN ITS CRUDEST USAGE.''

''OVER TIME WE HAVE RECEIVED FROM WELL-INTENTIONED PEOPLE SOME SUGGESTIONS, ADVICE AND BOOKS ... BUT RECEIVING IT DOES NOT IMPLY REJECTION OR FOLLOWING IT, LEAST OF ALL WORD-FOR-WORD.''

CALERO SAID THE FRONT ''REJECTS AND CONDEMNS ALL FORMS OF TERRORISM;'' RESPECTS THE CIVILIAN POPULATION ''EVEN OF OUR ENEMIES;'' AND HAD ADVISED THE INTERNATIONAL RED CROSS THAT IT WOULD ADHERE TO THE GENEVA CONVENTION.

D'ESCOTO'S LETTER ALSO ACCUSED THE UNITED STATES OF TRYING TO MANIPULATE NICARAGUA'S NOV. 4 ELECTIONS BY ENCOURAGING OPPOSITION PARTIES TO WITHDRAW FROM PARTICIPATION.

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THE LETTER SPECIFICALLY CITED THE WITHDRAWAL OF ARTURO CRUZ; THE LEADING OPPOSITION CANDIDATE; AS THE WORK OF WHAT IT CALLED PRESSURE BY THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION.

THE LETTER ALSO SAID THE WITHDRAWAL TWO DAYS AGO OF ANOTHER OPPOSITION GROUP; THE INDEPENDENT LIBERAL PARTY HEADED VIRGILIO GODOY; WAS INSTIGATED BY THE UNITED STATES.

GODOY MET WITH BERGOLD LAST WEEK; BUT HE SAID MONDAY THAT THE AMBASSADOR DID NOT TRY TO GET HIM TO WITHDRAW FROM THE CAMPAIGN.

A PRESS SPOKESMAN FOR THE EMBASSY SAID BERGOLD HAD NO COMMENT ON THE LETTER.

CRUZ NEVER FORMALLY ENTERED HIS CANDIDACY; WHICH WAS BACKED BY A COALITION OF FOUR CENTRIST AND CONSERVATIVE PARTIES.

HE CLAIMED THE SANDINISTAS WERE PROHIBITING A FREE AND OPEN ELECTION CAMPAIGN; BUT NEVERTHELESS CONTINUED TO STUMP AROUND THE COUNTRY UNTIL EARLY THIS MONTH.

D'ESCOTO'S LETTER WAS THE FIRST OFFICIAL REACTION BY THE NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT TO REPORTS ABOUT THE COUNTERREVOLUTIONARY MANUAL.

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ŧCIA TRIES TO CALL BACK NICARAGUA MANUALS

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WASHINGTON (AP) - THE CIA IS TRYING TO RECALL SEVERAL THOUSAND COPIES OF ITS PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE MANUAL THAT ADVISES NICARAGUAN REBELS IN THE ''SELECTIVE USE OF VIOLENCE'' TO ''NEUTRALIZE'' GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS.

SEN. PATRICK LEAHY; D-VT.; A SENATE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE MEMBER; SAID TUESDAY THAT CIA OFFICIALS HAD TOLD HIM THEY HAD ORDERED A ''FULL RECALL'' OF ALL VERSIONS OF THE BOOK AND WERE INSTRUCTING REBELS THAT ITS CONTENTS ''SHOULD BE IGNORED.''

A COMMITTEE SOURCE SAID CIA OFFICIALS ALSO MENTIONED THE RECALL DURING A CLOSED BRIEFING ON MONDAY. THE SOURCE; WHO INSISTED ON ANONYMITY; SAID THE AGENCY WAS TRYING TO RECOVER SEVERAL THOUSAND PRINTED COPIES OF THREE VERSIONS OF THE MANUAL.

CIA OFFICIALS HAVE TOLD MEMBERS OF CONGRESS THAT SOME DELETIONS WERE MADE FROM THE ORIGINAL MANUAL PRODUCED LAST OCTOBER; BUT THAT ALL EDITIONS - INCLUDING ONE APPROVED AT CIA HEADQUARTERS - CONTAINED REFERENCES TO USING VIOLENCE TO ''NEUTRALIZE'' NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS.

''NEUTRALIZE'' IS NOT DEFINED IN THE MANUAL BUT REFERENCES TO ''DANGER TO OTHER INDIVIDUALS IN THE AREA OF THE TARGET'' AND TO ASSESSING LIKELY REPLACEMENTS SUGGEST THAT THE GOAL IS TO REMOVE THE OFFICIALS PHYSICALLY.

CIA SPOKESWOMAN PATTI VOLZ CONTINUED TO REFUSE ANY COMMENT ABOUT THE MANUAL.

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Middle-Level CIA Officials Cleared Manual

By Bob Woodward
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Members of the covert-operations division at CIA headquarters here, not senior officials, reviewed and approved a guerrilla-warfare manual advising Nicaraguan rebels on "selective use of violence" to "neutralize carefully selected and planned targets," according to Reagan administration officials.

The officials said yesterday that there was confusion about use of the word "neutralize" and that it was not intended to mean or imply assassinations, strictly prohibited by presidential order.

In addition, the officials said, some CIA personnel reviewing the manual at headquarters or in Central America, where it was initially drafted, could not read the Spanish version.

Sen. Sam Nunn (D-Ga.), one of two senators who attended a CIA briefing Monday about the manual, said yesterday, "It is my conclusion after reading the manual that the word 'neutralize' is subject to interpretation but could be interpreted by reasonable people to mean assassination . . . and thousands of copies should not have been sent out, as was the case.

"Review did take place in Washington, but [CIA briefers] were vague as to who [conducted the review] . . . we need more answers," he said.

Sen. Malcolm Wallop (R-Wyo.), with Nunn at the briefing, said the original document was in English and called for government officials to be "removed." That meant "removed from effectiveness and in no way meant assassination," he said.

The Senate Select Committee on Intelligence, for which the briefing was given, said yesterday that it plans an investigation next week.

Administration officials said CIA Director William J. Casey and other senior agency officials did not approve the manual and were unaware of it until asked about it this month by the Associated Press.

Officials said an internal CIA investigation has determined that, at most, about a dozen middle- and low-level CIA personnel reviewed or handled the manual after a contract employe drafted it last year. In the process, some portions of the initial draft that advised hiring criminals and creating martyrs were deleted before 2,000 copies were published.

Other sources said investigators have had difficulty determining the chain of command involved and said Casey is disturbed that facts about the process seem to change from day to day.

Investigators initially believed last week that all paragraphs thought to be offensive had been removed before the manual was distributed. In Sunday's presidential debate, President Reagan said only 12 uncensored copies were circulated. It is now apparent that these accounts are incomplete.

Deanna Hammond, a translator for the Congressional Research

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Service, which made an English-language version of the manual for the House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, said yesterday that the Spanish and English versions of the manual's controversial parts are so similar that even someone unfamiliar with Spanish should not have been confused by them.

She said that the word "neutralize" was *"neutralizarse"* in the Spanish version and that the verb in its various forms has no other English meaning. The phrase "selective use of violence," she said, is also very similar in its Spanish version, *"uso selectivo de la violencia."*

An administration official said the manual was drawn up from insurgency manuals available to the CIA as long ago as the Vietnam war era. The official said all copies of the manual are being withdrawn.

Wallop said that he has read the 90-page manual and that, "taken as a whole, the manual calls for the avoidance of violence to the extent possible and was designed to put restraint and a rationale on guerrilla operations . . . as a whole, the manual is a code of conduct for which the United States ought not to be ashamed."

Wallop said Casey has "been responsible and forthright on this and, when the political season is over, people will see this for what it is."

Vice President Bush, a former CIA director, said yesterday in Wisconsin that the controversial language "could mean various things." He added, " . . . You're dealing with an awful lot of brutality, a lot of loss of life down there."

The CIA investigation is being conducted by its deputy inspector general because Inspector General John Stein headed the covert-operations division last year when the manual was written, reviewed and distributed.

Officials said the investigation has cleared Stein and the CIA's No. 2 official, John N. McMahon, of involvement with or knowledge of the manual.

"I've heard nothing to conclude one way or the other whether senior officials [approved the manual] or not . . . ," Nunn said yesterday. "I would think the review process would be tight and far up the line."

Nunn said Monday's three-hour briefing suggested to him that the CIA has "serious problems in management and control over covert operations." He added, "When you are going to publish thousands of copies of a sensitive document in a sensitive operation, [top managers] should know."

Monday's briefing was conducted by two officials from the covert-operations division who have held their jobs less than a month, officials said, and several persons at the session later voiced frustration about what they termed imprecise answers.

Nunn said the controversy highlights a serious problem with covert operations in Nicaragua only because the administration's chief reason for them is purportedly interdiction of arms from there to leftist rebels in El Salvador. The Nicaraguan rebels, known as contras, are seeking overthrow of the Sandinista government.

"The long-term questions are the management of covert operations and whether [the United States] can enter into this kind of limited operation when the contras have another purpose," Nunn said.

Administration officials familiar with the three-year secret war in Nicaragua said terror tactics outlined in the manual are grim and should not necessarily surprise anyone but are almost inevitable outgrowths of such a covert plan.

National Security Council records indicate that the initial Nicaraguan operation plan, drafted in November 1981, was to "work primarily through non-Americans" against the Cuban presence in Nicaragua but that, in some cases, the CIA was to "take unilateral paramilitary action—possibly using U.S. personnel —against special Cuban targets."

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How to "Neutralize" the Enemy

A shocking CIA primer jolts the Administration

The 89-page booklet entitled *Psychological Operations in Guerrilla Warfare* is a primer on insurgency, a how-to book in the struggle for hearts and minds. Some of the "techniques of persuasion" are benign: helping the peasants harvest crops, learn to read, improve hygiene. Others are decidedly brutal: assassination, kidnaping, blackmail, mob violence.

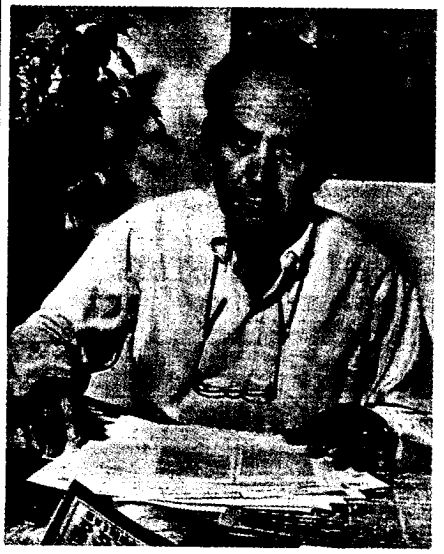
It could be a manual for the Viet Cong or the Cuban-backed rebels in El Salvador. If it were, the Administration would likely be waving it as proof of its thesis about the sources of insidious world terrorism. In fact, however, it is a publication of the CIA, written for Nicaraguan *contras* seeking to overthrow the Sandinista regime. Its disclosure last week came as a political embarrassment to the Administration and a major moral one for the U.S. It stirred memories of CIA abuses that were supposedly outlawed a decade ago and gave Democrats a potentially hot new campaign issue.

The pamphlet, written in Spanish, recommends use of "selective violence" to "neutralize" Sandinista public officials "such as court judges, police and state security officials." To make an example of an execution, it is "absolutely necessary to gather together the population affected, so that they will be present and take part in the act." If "it should be necessary" to shoot a "citizen who is trying to leave town," guerrillas should claim that he was "an enemy of the people." Targets who fail to cooperate, the manual instructs, should be "exposed" to police "with false statements from citizens." The finale of a successful local insurgency is a mob riot. "Professional criminals will be hired to carry out specific selective jobs" like provoking a shooting that will "cause the death of one or more people who would become martyrs for the cause." A guerrilla commander stationed in a tower or tree should give the signal to begin the mayhem, the manual instructs. "Shock troops" armed with "knives, razors, chains, clubs and bludgeons" will "march slightly behind the innocent and gullible participants."

The document clearly violates the spirit of an Executive Order signed by Reagan in 1981 that prohibits even indirect participation in assassination. At the very least, the document undercuts Reagan's moral pronouncements condemning state-sponsored terrorism by such nations as Libya, Syria and Iran. Last June, for example, Secretary of State George Shultz declared, "It is not hard to tell, as we look around the world, who are the terrorists and who are the freedom fighters . . . The *contras* in Nicaragua do not blow up school buses or hold mass executions of civilians." (Asked how to reconcile Shultz's statement with the manual, a State Department spokesman said he was prohibited from discussing intelligence matters.)

Psychological Operations in Guerrilla Warfare

A *contra* leader now in exile in Miami, Edgar Chamorro, told TIME that the document is based on notes given him a year ago by a "gringo" who arrived as a CIA operative at rebel headquarters in Tegucigalpa, Honduras. He was described by Chamorro as an Irishman who fought for the U.S. in the Korean War and admired the "psychological operations" of the Irish Republican Army. Chamorro printed up 2,000 copies of the manual and handed out 200 of them to his troops, but then he had second thoughts. He revised the rest by censoring out references to "criminals" and "murder." (It was not the only time that *contra* leaders have balked at CIA help. Last spring they objected to a 16-page CIA *Freedom Fighters' Manual*, which showed, with comic-book–style illustrations, sabotage techniques like pulling down power cables and putting dirt into gas tanks. It was eventually distributed, but one *contra* leader objected that the cartoon characters depicted in the drawings "didn't look very Nicaraguan.")



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***Contra* Leader Chamorro in Miami**

Censoring out references to "murder."

Adolfo Calero, one of the *contra* leaders, denied last week that his guerrillas followed the terrorist teachings in the CIA manual. But in the field, the *contras* do use psychological and physical coercion to win over the peasantry, just as Communist-backed rebel organizations do. Government sympathizers are sometimes executed, and *contra* commanders have discussed assassinating one or another of the nine-member ruling Sandinista directorate. The *contras* had a list of 60 Sandinistas in the village of San Fernando who had to be "eliminated" before the *contras* could safely occupy the town last year, according to those who traveled with the *contras*. (They never took the town.)

Reaction to the CIA manual, the existence of which was first revealed by the Associated Press last Monday, was fast and furious. Walter Mondale demanded the resignation of CIA Director William Casey, and questioned Reagan's role. "Did he know this was going on?" asked Mondale. "I don't know which is worse—knowing this was going on or having a Government where no one is in charge." Congressman Edward Boland, the chairman of the House Intelligence Committee, fumed that the document was "repugnant to a nation that condemns such acts by others. It embraces the Communist revolutionary tactics that the United States is pledged to defeat throughout the world." His committee launched an investigation, and its Senate counterpart scheduled a closed briefing by CIA officials.

The White House moved quickly to disavow the document. President Reagan ordered two investigations, one by the CIA inspector general's office and the other by the agency's three-member oversight board. "The Administration has not advocated or condoned political assassination or any other attacks on civilians, nor will we," said Spokesman Larry Speakes. Other officials claimed that the booklet had been prepared by a "low-level contract employee" of the CIA and was never cleared for publication by higher-ups. The document indicates a sophisticated knowledge, apparently drawn from CIA field reports, of techniques currently being used by Communist guerrillas. The key political and moral question is whether senior Government officials knew what the CIA manual was advocating, and if not, why not. —***By Evan Thomas. Reported by Martin Casey/Miami and Ross H. Munro/Washington***

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CIA flap rages

By John Hanchette
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WASHINGTON — The controversy over a Nicaraguan guerrilla manual and President Reagan's explanations of its origin continued Monday to plague the White House.

■ Copies of the CIA manual — which advocated violent acts including assassination — were circulated more widely than Reagan suggested in Sunday's presidential debate, Sen. Sam Nunn, D-Ga., said.

Nunn said the CIA told a Senate committee that all copies of the manual — not just 12 originals, as Reagan said — discussed ways to "neutralize" Nicaraguan officials.

■ Vice President George Bush had to retract his claim that the manual was disclosed by former CIA employee Philip Agee and *Counterspy*, an intelligence journal.

■ Stansfield Turner, President Carter's CIA chief, criticized Reagan for mentioning and later denying a CIA presence in Nicaragua. He said CIA stations never are identified.

Other Reagan debate missteps corrected Monday:

■ The State Department refuted Reagan's claim that no group other than the Marcos government is pursuing democratic ideals in the Philippines.

■ Reagan chided Walter Mondale for filming a campaign ad about defense aboard the aircraft carrier Nimitz, which Mondale opposed while a senator. Mondale aides said the ad was filmed aboard the Midway, commissioned in 1945, long before Mondale was in the Senate.

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CIA briefers on manual conflict with president

New York Times News Service

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Senators Nunn and Malcolm Wallop (R-Wyo.), both of whom are members of the Senate Intelligence Committee, attended the CIA briefing along with staff members.

Senator Nunn said: "There were deletions before some printings were made and before some distributions were made." But he added that all copies of the manual "had some of what would be called questionable to some, and to others offensive, language, including language relating to so-called 'neutralization.'"

Both senators said that the CIA's investigation was not complete and that many questions had not been answered.

Senator Daniel Patrick Moynihan (D, N.Y.), deputy chairman of the intelligence committee, did not attend the meeting but was briefed on the discussion. "The CIA," he said, "still has not told us who ordered this manual, who wrote it, and who approved it."

A Nicaraguan rebel officer, Alfonso Callejas Deshon, a senior director of the Nicaraguan Democratic Force, said in an interview yesterday that 2,000 copies of the manual were printed. All contained the language advising the rebels to "neutralize" Sandinista officials, he said.

Mr. Callejas corroborated the account given Saturday by Edgar Chamorro, the rebel leader who said he was in charge of publishing the manual.

"I am not aware that there were any other editions," Mr. Callejas said.

The manuals "were given to some of our officers," he said. "I saw quite a few of them" in the rebels' headquarters in Tegucigalpa, Honduras, he added. "I was given one myself."

The only editing the manual received was by the rebels themselves, who ripped two pages from some copies, Mr. Callejas said.

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Congressional staff members said yesterday that initial reports indicate that the man, identified as John Kirkpatrick, was a CIA employee during the Vietnam era who retired and was called back on contract recently.

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Nicaragua Manual Was Censored, but Still Urged Violence

By Joanne Omang
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CIA officials, before distributing a manual advising rebels in Nicaragua about guerrilla techniques, censored all but a few copies but did not remove recommendations that violence be used to "neutralize" Nicaraguan government officials, two senators said yesterday after a Central Intelligence Agency briefing.

The announcement by Sens. Malcolm Wallop (R-Wyo.) and Sam Nunn (D-Ga.) contrasts with the impression left by President Reagan in Sunday's presidential debate. That included a question on whether his administration was supporting terrorism by distributing a manual advocating assassination of Nicaraguan officials, hiring criminals and creating martyrs by killing some rebels.

Reagan said that only 12 uncensored copies of the 90-page handbook "got out down there and were not submitted" for censorship. Those responsible for "the few that did not get excised or changed . . . will be removed," Reagan said, citing possible violations of his December 1981 executive order banning political assassinations.

However, Nunn and Wallop said the censored portions did not include the section entitled "Selective Use of Violence" that has caused most of the controversy.

In that part, the booklet says, "It is possible to neutralize carefully selected and planned targets, such as court judges . . . police and State Security officials." It stresses the need to make sure that the local population understands the need to "replace the target" individual.

"The term 'neutralization' was in all the documents," Nunn said. "It *should not* have been published or distributed by the CIA."

The censored parts referred to hiring criminals and creating martyrs, according to some of those at the three-hour CIA briefing. Wallop, appearing with Nunn afterward, noted that "neutralization" did not necessarily mean "assassination," a word not used in the manual.

Nunn agreed but added that, when read in context, "it could lead one to the conclusion that the president's policy [on assassinations] was being or could possibly be breached."

Democrats seized on the issue when the manual surfaced last week, citing it as evidence that Reagan's goal in Nicaragua is to overthrow the leftist Sandinista government, not merely stop Nicaragua from sending arms to leftist rebels in El Salvador.

Wallop and Nunn, the only members of the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence in town for the briefing, said that many questions remain unanswered and that the CIA briefers were new to the issue and not as well informed as they could have been.

But Wallop said he saw "no indication of foot-dragging" and insisted that the document did not cast doubts on Reagan's policy.

"I do not believe that it calls for the overthrow of the government. It calls for the establishment of democracy, which the [Nicaraguan] government says that it is about to try to do," he said. Presidential elections there are scheduled Nov. 4.

According to others at the briefing, the CIA explanation conflicted in part and agreed in part with the account given journalists last week by Edgar Chamorro, a member of the directorate of the largest Nicaraguan rebel group, the Nicaraguan Democratic Force (FDN).

The CIA, Chamorro and Reagan agreed that the manual was written by a low-level CIA contract employe, who FDN sources said called himself John Kirkpatrick. Chamorro said that, as propaganda director, he received 2,000 copies of the manual and personally deleted sections on hiring criminals and creating martyrs because he found them offensive.

The section on "neutralization" was left in.

Reagan said during the debate that a CIA official in Central America "recognized that what was in that manual was in direct contravention of my own executive order" and had it censored.

The CIA told Wallop and Nunn that all but 24 copies were censored and that 12 of those were recovered, according to some of those present. That tallied with Reagan's observation that 12 copies escaped censorship "some way or other."

The CIA officials said a second printing of the manual, not the first, involved more than 2,000 copies, those present said.

They said the briefers, referring to the deaths Friday of four CIA employes in a plane crash in El Salvador, assured Wallop and Nunn that the plane's mission did not involve Nicaragua.

They said the briefers also discounted a Defense Intelligence Agency document, which was dated July 16, 1982, and reported "assassinations" by Nicaraguan rebels, calling some of them terrorists.

The publication, entitled "Weekly Intelligence Summary," had so little importance and was seen by so few people that it has since been discontinued, the briefers said. The information that rebels were killing Nicaraguan officials despite Reagan's 1981 order may not have been accurate and probably never reached high officials, they said.

In a related development, FDN spokesman Bosco Matamoros said here that Chamorro "is no longer authorized to speak for the FDN."

He admitted "abuses" during the four-year rebel effort but said those responsible have been punished. "That the manual exists does not mean we put it into practice," he said. "The ones who practice assassinations are the Sandinistas."

Meanwhile, U.N. Ambassador Jeane J. Kirkpatrick dismissed as "irresponsible" a Newsweek magazine report that members of her staff debated the need for such a guerrilla guide to help the rebels a year ago.

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C.I.A. AIDES DISPUTE REAGAN ON PRIMER

Tell Senators Guerrilla Manual Advised on 'Neutralization'

By JOEL BRINKLEY
Special to The New York Times

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Rebel's Account Corroborated

Senator Daniel Patrick Moynihan, the New York Democrat who is deputy chairman of the Intelligence Committee, did not attend the meeting but was briefed on the discussion. "The C.I.A.," he said, "still has not told us who ordered this manual, who wrote it and who approved it."

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On Sunday night, Mr. Reagan said, "We have a gentleman down in Nicaragua who is on contract to the C.I.A. advising, supposedly, on military tactics."

"He drew up this manual" and turned it over to a C.I.A. officer in the region, "and a number of pages were excised by that agency head there," Mr. Reagan said. He added that the primer was sent to C.I.A. headquarters in Washington "where more pages were excised before it was printed."

"But some way or the other, there were 12 of the original copies that got down there and were not submitted for this printing process by the C.I.A."

Mr. Callejas said 2,000 copies of the manual, unedited, were printed by his own men in Honduras.

"This man came down to give us advice," Mr. Callejas added, "gave Mr. Chamorro and others a draft" of the manual "and they translated it." Mr. Chamorro was in charge of editing, "and somehow this terrible advice escaped and was printed."

Assassinations Are Disputed

After the books were printed, Mr. Callejas said, "we tore out pages 70 and 71," which included advice on hiring professional criminals. The criminals were to arrange the shooting deaths of other insurgents so that they would become martyrs.

Mr. Callejas did quarrel with Mr. Chamarro's assertion that the rebels had assassinated Nicaraguan Government officials.

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Mr. Chamorro used to be the rebels' official spokesman, but Mr. Callejas said "he has not been authorized to speak for us since May." Mr. Callejas said he was "shocked to read what Mr. Chamorro said about executions."

"That is totally against the policies of our national directorate," he said.

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Alfonso Callejas, seated, and Bosco Matamoros of Nicaraguan Democratic Force, in Washington. Mr. Callejas was reading transcribed C.I.A. manual.

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NICARAGUA-MANUAL

BY ROBERT PARRY

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THE PRESIDENT'S DEBATE STATEMENT AND THE CIA'S ADMISSION THAT THE SECTION ON ''NEUTRALIZATION'' REMAINED IN THE BOOK MEAN THAT APPROVAL OF THAT PART OF THE MANUAL REACHED AS HIGH AS CIA HEADQUARTERS IN LANGLEY, VA. ONE INTELLIGENCE SOURCE, WHO SPOKE ONLY ON CONDITION HE NOT BE IDENTIFIED, SAID THE MANUAL APPARENTLY WAS REVIEWED BY MIDDLE-LEVEL CIA OFFICIALS AT LANGLEY.

A WEEK AGO, THE ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORTED THE EXISTENCE OF THE CONTROVERSIAL MANUAL. FOUR DAYS LATER, REAGAN ORDERED INVESTIGATIONS BY THE CIA AND THE THREE-MEMBER PRESIDENT'S INTELLIGENCE OVERSIGHT BOARD, WHICH HE APPOINTS.

MONDAY EVENING, SEN. DANIEL PATRICK MOYNIHAN, D-N.Y., INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE VICE CHAIRMAN, COMPLAINED THAT ''THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY HAS STILL NOT TOLD US WHO ORDERED THIS MANUAL, WHO WROTE IT AND WHO APPROVED IT.''

NUNN AND SEN. MALCOLM WALLOP, R-WYO., THE ONLY TWO COMMITTEE MEMBERS WHO ATTENDED THE CIA BRIEFING, SAID THE CIA'S INTERNAL INVESTIGATION INTO THE PRODUCTION OF THE MANUAL WAS CONTINUING AND THAT MANY QUESTIONS REMAINED.

ON THE KEY QUESTION OF WHETHER THE CIA-PRODUCED MANUAL ENCOURAGED ASSASSINATIONS, NUNN SAID:

''THERE WERE DELETIONS BEFORE SOME PRINTINGS WERE MADE AND BEFORE SOME DISTRIBUTION WAS MADE, BUT ALL OF THE DOCUMENTS PRESUMABLY ... HAD SOME OF WHAT WOULD BE CALLED QUESTIONABLE TO SOME AND TO OTHERS OFFENSIVE LANGUAGE, INCLUDING LANGUAGE RELATING TO SO-CALLED 'NEUTRALIZATION.'''

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BUSH
BY TOM RAUM
GREEN BAY, WIS. (AP) -- VICE PRESIDENT GEORGE BUSH SUGGESTED ON TUESDAY THAT PRESIDENT REAGAN WILL ULTIMATELY ''TAKE THE RESPONSIBILITY'' FOR DISTRIBUTION OF A CIA GUERRILLA WARFARE MANUAL TO ANTIGOVERNMENT FORCES IN NICARAGUA.
AND, WHILE SAYING HE HAD NOT READ THE MANUAL AND WAS NOT PREPARED TO PASS JUDGMENT ON IT, BUSH LABELED IT THE PRODUCT OF BRUTALITY ON BOTH SIDES OF THE CONFLICT THERE.
ASKED AT A NEWS CONFERENCE IF THE MANUAL COULD HAVE BEEN PRODUCED BY A LOW-LEVEL CIA CONTRACT EMPLOYEE WITHOUT THE KNOWLEDGE HIGH-RANKING OFFICIALS, BUSH RESPONDED: ''IT COULD HAVE BEEN.''
BUT THE FORMER CIA DIRECTOR SAID, ''THE PRESIDENT'S NOT AVOIDING EVER TAKING RESPONSIBILITY UNDER THE OLD CAPTAIN-OF-THE SHIP THEORY.''
''I THINK IN THE FINAL ANALYSIS, I GUESS THE RESPONSIBILITY FOR EVERYTHING RESTS WITH THE PRESIDENT,'' BUSH SAID.
''I'VE NEVER SEEN A MAN WHO ULTIMATELY WILL TAKE RESPONSIBILITY FOR THINGS LIKE THE PRESIDENT,'' BUSH ADDED.
BUSH WAS DOGGED BY QUESTIONS ABOUT THE CIA MANUAL ON A CAMPAIGN SWING THROUGH DAIRY COUNTRY.
HE RETRACTED HIS CLAIM OF THE DAY BEFORE THAT COUNTERSPY, A PRIVATE INTELLIGENCE JOURNAL, AND FORMER CIA AGENT PHILIP AGEE HAD GIVEN OUT COPIES OF THE MANUAL.
''I WAS WRONG WHEN I SAID COUNTERSPY,'' BUSH SAID. ''I WAS CONFUSED ON THAT.''
HE SAID THE MAGAZINE EARLIER HAD RELEASED ANOTHER DOCUMENT WITH DEFENSE INTELLIGENCE AGENCY MATERIAL AND HE HAD CONFUSED THE TWO IN HIS MIND.
THE MANUAL GIVES INSTRUCTION ON PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE, INCLUDING METHODS OF ''NEUTRALIZING'' GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS.
ASKED WHAT THE WORD ''NEUTRALIZE'' MEANT, BUSH, A FORMER CIA DIRECTOR, SAID: ''IT COULD MEAN VARIOUS THINGS.''
''I'M AFRAID WE'RE LIVING IN A WORLD IN WHICH YOU'LL SEE BRUTALITY (ON BOTH SIDES),'' BUSH SAID. ''YOU'RE DEALING WITH AN AWFUL LOT OF BRUTALITY, A LOT OF LOSS OF LIFE DOWN THERE.''
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†CIA ORDERS 'RECALL' OF NICARAGUAN MANUAL

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WASHINGTON (AP) - THE CIA HAS ORDERED A ''FULL RECALL'' OF ITS CONTROVERSIAL MANUAL FOR NICARAGUAN REBELS AND IS ASKING THAT ITS CONTENTS; INCLUDING ADVICE ON ''SELECTIVE USE OF VIOLENCE'' TO ''NEUTRALIZE'' GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS; BE IGNORED; THE SPY AGENCY HAS TOLD CONGRESS.

SEN. PATRICK LEAHY; D-VT.; A SENATE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE MEMBER; SAID TUESDAY THAT HE WAS INFORMED OF THE RECALL BY CIA OFFICIALS MONDAY NIGHT. A COMMITTEE SOURCE SAID THE CIA ALSO MENTIONED THE RECALL OF ALL COPIES DURING A THREE-HOUR BRIEFING OF THE PANEL EARLIER MONDAY.

LEAHY SAID THE CIA; IN ORDERING A ''FULL RECALL;'' IS TELLING REBELS THAT THE MANUAL ''IS INOPERATIVE AND SHOULD BE IGNORED.'' HE SAID THE REBELS ARE BEING INSTRUCTED TO FOLLOW ANOTHER BOOK CONTAINING A CODE OF CONDUCT THAT REFLECTS TRADITIONAL GUIDELINES OF WAR.

THE COMMITTEE SOURCE; WHO INSISTED ON ANONYMITY; SAID THE AGENCY WAS TRYING TO RECOVER SEVERAL THOUSAND PRINTED COPIES OF THREE VERSIONS OF THE MANUAL. HE SAID ONLY ABOUT TWO DOZEN OF THE ORIGINAL UNCENSORED EDITION REMAIN IN EXISTENCE; WITH ABOUT 12 IN WASHINGTON AND 12 IN CENTRAL AMERICA. A COPY OF ONE OF THOSE ORIGINALS WAS OBTAINED BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.

DURING MONDAY'S BRIEFING; CIA OFFICIALS TOLD MEMBERS OF CONGRESS THAT SOME DELETIONS WERE MADE FROM THE ORIGINAL MANUAL PRODUCED LAST OCTOBER; BUT THAT ALL EDITIONS - INCLUDING ONE APPROVED AT CIA HEADQUARTERS - CONTAINED REFERENCES TO USING VIOLENCE TO ''NEUTRALIZE'' NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS.

PRESIDENT REAGAN HAD ASSERTED DURING SUNDAY'S PRESIDENTIAL DEBATE THAT PAGES DEALING WITH ASSASSINATION WERE REMOVED. HE ADDED THAT 12 COPIES OF THE ORIGINAL WITH REFERENCES TO SUCH VIOLENT ACTS ''SOME WAY ... GOT OUT DOWN THERE.''

REAGAN SAID THE ORIGINAL MANUAL WAS THE WORK OF A CIA CONTRACT EMPLOYEE IN CENTRAL AMERICA; BUT THAT WHEN IT WAS TURNED OVER TO HIS CIA SUPERIOR; ''A NUMBER OF PAGES WERE EXCISED BY THAT AGENCY HEAD THERE ... AND HE SENT IT ON UP HERE TO CIA; WHERE MORE PAGES WERE EXCISED BEFORE IT WAS PRINTED.''

MEANWHILE; IN GREEN BAY; WIS.; VICE PRESIDENT GEORGE BUSH SAID HE EXPECTS THE PRESIDENT TO ULTIMATELY ''TAKE THE RESPONSIBILITY'' FOR THE MANUAL'S DISTRIBUTION.

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WHITE HOUSE SPOKESMAN LARRY SPEAKES SAID HE DID NOT KNOW WHAT WAS MEANT BY THE WORD ''NEUTRALIZE.'' ASKED ABOUT THE CIA BRIEFING ON THE MANUAL THAT APPEARED TO CONFLICT WITH REAGAN'S DEBATE EXPLANATION; SPEAKES SAID; ''WE'LL WAIT 'TIL OUR INVESTIGATION IS COMPLETE'' BEFORE COMMENTING FURTHER.

SEN. SAM NUNN; D-GA.; WHO ATTENDED THE CIA BRIEFING; SAID THE WORD ''NEUTRALIZE'' IS SUBJECT TO VARIOUS INTERPRETATIONS; BUT ADDED THAT WHEN READ IN CONTEXT; ''IT COULD LEAD ONE TO THE CONCLUSION THAT THE PRESIDENT'S POLICY (BARRING ASSASSINATIONS) WAS BEING OR COULD POSSIBLY BE BREACHED.''

''NEUTRALIZE'' IS NOT DEFINED IN THE MANUAL BUT REFERENCES TO ''DANGER TO OTHER INDIVIDUALS IN THE AREA OF THE TARGET'' AND TO ASSESSING LIKELY REPLACEMENTS SUGGEST THAT THE GOAL IS TO REMOVE THE OFFICIALS PHYSICALLY.

CIA SPOKESWOMAN PATTI VOLZ CONTINUED TO REFUSE ANY COMMENT ABOUT THE MANUAL.

ON SATURDAY; EDGAR CHAMORRO; CHIEF OF PROPAGANDA FOR THE NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC FORCE; KNOWN BY ITS SPANISH INITIALS FDN; SAID IT IS THE ''PRACTICE'' OF HIS HONDURAN-BASED GROUP TO EXECUTE CAPTURED GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS WHO ARE DEEMED ''CRIMINALS'' BY THE LOCAL POPULATION.

CHAMORRO'S REMARKS WERE DISAVOWED BY OTHER FDN OFFICIALS MONDAY. FDN SPOKESMAN BOSCO MATAMOROS SAID; ''WE ALWAYS REJECT AND CONDEMN POLITICAL ASSASSINATION AND TERRORISM.''

ONE SOURCE; FAMILIAR WITH THE CIA BRIEFING TO THE COMMITTEE; SAID THE DEFINITION OF ''ASSASSINATION'' WAS DISCUSSED ALONG WITH WHETHER EXECUTIONS OF SECURITY OFFICIALS AS DESCRIBED BY CHAMORRO WOULD COME UNDER THE TERM.

PRESIDENTIAL EXECUTIVE ORDERS DATING BACK TO THE FORD ADMINISTRATION HAVE PROHIBITED U.S. GOVERNMENT INVOLVEMENT IN ASSASSINATION; BUT AS IN THE LATEST INTELLIGENCE GUIDELINES APPROVED BY REAGAN ON DEC. 4; 1981; THE WORD IS NOT DEFINED.

THE SOURCE ADDED THAT INTELLIGENCE OFFICIALS DISCOUNTED THE SIGNIFICANCE OF A JULY 16; 1982 DEFENSE INTELLIGENCE AGENCY REPORT THAT SAID THE REBELS HAD ENGAGED IN ''THE ASSASSINATION OF MINOR GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND A CUBAN ADVISER.''

THE SOURCE SAID MUCH OF DIA'S INFORMATION APPARENTLY CAME FROM LOCAL NICARAGUAN PRESS REPORTS AND FOREIGN JOURNALISTS.

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CHATTANOOGA, TENN. (UPI) -- JESSE JACKSON COMPARED THE CIA'S DISTRIBUTION OF A GUERILLA WARFARE MANUAL TO THE WATERGATE SCANDAL TUESDAY AND DECLARED THAT "REAGAN IS CLOSER TO THE CRIME IN NICARAGUA THAN NIXON WAS TO WATERGATE.

"WE NEED A SPECIAL PROSECUTOR ON THE NICARAGUA SITUATION," JACKSON SAID AT A NEWS CONFERENCE BEFORE ATTENDING A DEMOCRATIC PARTY RALLY.

SPEAKING TO ABOUT 500 CHEERING DEMOCRATS AT THE RALLY, JACKSON DELIVERED A SCATHING ATTACK ON REAGAN'S FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC POLICIES AND PRAISED WALTER MONDALE'S RECORD ON CIVIL RIGHTS AND WOMEN'S RIGHTS.

"THERE IS NOW A MURDER MANUAL PAID FOR BY OUR GOVERNMENT CIRCULATING AROUND NICARAGUA," JACKSON SAID. "LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, WE'RE HAVING AN UNDECLARED WAR IN NICARAGUA."

SPEAKING ON THE ONE-YEAR ANNIVERSARY OF THE TRUCK BOMBING THAT KILLED 240 U.S. SERVICEMEN IN LEBANON, JACKSON ALSO CRITICIZED REAGAN FOR FAILING TO TAKE ALL PRECAUTIONS TO ENSURE THE SAFETY OF THE PEACEKEEPING MARINES.

"THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION IGNORED INTELLIGENCE REPORTS AND SUBJECTED OUR BOYS TO THAT MASSACRE. WHILE THOSE BOYS WERE ON THEIR WAY HOME AS CORPSES, REAGAN INVADED GRENADA," HE SAID.

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Nicaragua Manual Was Censored, but Still Urged Violence

By Joanne Omang
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CIA officials, before distributing a manual advising rebels in Nicaragua about guerrilla techniques, censored all but a few copies but did not remove recommendations that violence be used to "neutralize" Nicaraguan government officials, two senators said yesterday after a Central Intelligence Agency briefing.

The announcement by Sens. Malcolm Wallop (R-Wyo.) and Sam Nunn (D-Ga.) contrasts with the impression left by President Reagan in Sunday's presidential debate. That included a question on whether his administration was supporting terrorism by distributing a manual advocating assassination of Nicaraguan officials, hiring criminals and creating martyrs by killing some rebels.

Reagan said that only 12 uncensored copies of the 90-page handbook "got out down there and were not submitted" for censorship. Those responsible for "the few that did not get excised or changed . . . will be removed," Reagan said, citing possible violations of his December 1981 executive order banning political assassinations.

However, Nunn and Wallop said the censored portions did not include the section entitled "Selective Use of Violence" that has caused most of the controversy.

In that part, the booklet says, "It is possible to neutralize carefully selected and planned targets, such as court judges . . . police and State Security officials." It stresses the need to make sure that the local population understands the need to "replace the target" individual.

"The term 'neutralization' was in all the documents," Nunn said. "It should not have been published or distributed by the CIA."

The censored parts referred to hiring criminals and creating martyrs, according to some of those at the three-hour CIA briefing. Wallop, appearing with Nunn afterward, noted that "neutralization" did not necessarily mean "assassination," a word not used in the manual.

Nunn agreed but added that, when read in context, "it could lead one to the conclusion that the president's policy [on assassinations] was being or could possibly be breached."

Democrats seized on the issue when the manual surfaced last week, citing it as evidence that Reagan's goal in Nicaragua is to overthrow the leftist Sandinista government, not merely stop Nicaragua from sending arms to leftist rebels in El Salvador.

Wallop and Nunn, the only members of the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence in town for the briefing, said that many questions remain unanswered and that the CIA briefers were new to the issue and not as well informed as they could have been.

But Wallop said he saw "no indication of foot-dragging" and insisted that the document did not cast doubts on Reagan's policy.

"I do not believe that it calls for the overthrow of the government. It calls for the establishment of democracy, which the [Nicaraguan] government says that it is about to try to do," he said. Presidential elections there are scheduled Nov. 4.

According to others at the briefing, the CIA explanation conflicted in part and agreed in part with the account given journalists last week by Edgar Chamorro, a member of the directorate of the largest Nicaraguan rebel group, the Nicaraguan Democratic Force (FDN).

The CIA, Chamorro and Reagan agreed that the manual was written by a low-level CIA contract employe, who FDN sources said called himself John Kirkpatrick. Chamorro said that, as propaganda director, he received 2,000 copies of the manual and personally deleted sections on hiring criminals and creating martyrs because he found them offensive.

The section on "neutralization" was left in.

Reagan said during the debate that a CIA official in Central America "recognized that what was in that manual was in direct contravention of my own executive order" and had it censored.

The CIA told Wallop and Nunn that all but 24 copies were censored and that 12 of those were recovered, according to some of those present. That tallied with Reagan's observation that 12 copies escaped censorship "some way or other."

The CIA officials said a second printing of the manual, not the first, involved more than 2,000 copies, those present said.

They said the briefers, referring to the deaths Friday of four CIA employes in a plane crash in El Salvador, assured Wallop and Nunn that the plane's mission did not involve Nicaragua.

They said the briefers also discounted a Defense Intelligence Agency document, which was dated July 16, 1982, and reported "assassinations" by Nicaraguan rebels, calling some of them terrorists.

The publication, entitled "Weekly Intelligence Summary," had so little importance and was seen by so few people that it has since been discontinued, the briefers said. The information that rebels were killing Nicaraguan officials despite Reagan's 1981 order may not have been accurate and probably never reached high officials, they said.

In a related development, FDN spokesman Bosco Matamoros said here that Chamorro "is no longer authorized to speak for the FDN."

He admitted "abuses" during the four-year rebel effort but said those responsible have been punished. "That the manual exists does not mean we put it into practice," he said. "The ones who practice assassinations are the Sandinistas."

Meanwhile, U.N. Ambassador Jeane J. Kirkpatrick dismissed as "irresponsible" a Newsweek magazine report that members of her staff debated the need for such a guerrilla guide to help the rebels a year ago.

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CIA Ex-Chief Cites Probable 'Excesses

Turner Discusses Covert Operations

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"There are going to be excesses" in a "large-scale covert operation" such as the one the Central Intelligence Agency is conducting in Nicaragua, former CIA director Adm. Stansfield Turner said yesterday.

Adding to that probability, he said, was the Reagan administration's recall of "a lot of oldtime [CIA] employes" to run the operation. "Some of them have not been able to adapt to the [restrictions in the] new oversight process," Turner said at a breakfast with reporters.

Although he believes that under his successor, William J. Casey, the CIA has become "politicized" in its intelligence analyses and has "overemphasized" covert operations, Turner said he does not "think it is out of control that much" compared with the past. He recalled that in the 1950s and 1960s, agents running CIA covert operations sometimes "deliberately" misled the director about their activities.

Turner began his discussion of "excesses" with the recently disclosed CIA pamphlet for guerrilla operations in Nicaragua. The booklet calls for kidnaping officials of the Sandinista government and arranging the deaths of guerrilla members to create martyrs.

"At least one [CIA contract employe] did not understand the rule change" that says "don't do assassinations," Turner said. He added that he doubted that approval for the pamphlet was taken very high in the agency, saying it was "conceivable the director did not know of the manual."

He also described the situation in Nicaragua as "an overt covert operation" because of all the publicity surrounding it. "You should operate differently when you are under scrutiny," Turner said, indicating that he thought that the administration had not learned that lesson.

"You can't keep an operation covert," he added, "when it is controversial in the body politic."

In a broader sense, Turner said the administration has "overemphasized" covert operations, promoting some "that were not important to national security."

When he took office in 1977, Turner said, "there was no meaningful covert action under way" because of the backlash from earlier publicized CIA failures in Cuba and in Chile.

"We had a substantial number of covert actions under way before we quit," Turner said, but he criticized the Reagan administration for adding to that number.

In explaining the present trend, Turner said: "To the degree that the country has gone to the right, there is a greater acceptance . . . that we should do dirty tricks around the world to preserve our position."

He noted published reports that covert operations had been undertaken in Mauritius and Suriname. Turner said he "had surveyed," while CIA director, "some of the places where [this administration] has gone in." He said he had decided not to attempt some operations because the need was not that great or "the chances of success were not overwhelming."

Turner backed up his criticism of Casey's supposed "politicization" of the CIA by citing the recent resignations of two analysts who maintained that their findings had not been accepted because they went against administration policies.

On the other hand, he said he has "sympathy" for Casey on this issue because "sometimes analysts don't understand" that the director does not have to accept the opinions of analysts.

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DES MOINES (UPI) -- VICE PRESIDENT BUSH RODE A WAVE OF REPUBLICAN GLEE INTO THE MIDWEST MONDAY, BUT MARRED HIS CAMPAIGNING WITH CONFUSING STATEMENTS ABOUT A CIA MANUAL ADVISING NICARAGUAN REBELS ON POLITICAL ASSASSINATION.

BOLSTERED BY EARLY POLLS THAT TAGGED PRESIDENT REAGAN THE WINNER OF HIS FOREIGN POLICY DEBATE AGAINST DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE WALTER MONDALE, BUSH DECLARED THE GOP TICKET TO BE ENERGIZED AND ON A MARCH TOWARD VICTORY AS HE CAMPAIGNED THROUGH MISSOURI, IOWA AND ON TO A SYMBOLIC STOP IN MONDALE'S HOME STATE OF MINNESOTA.

HIS EFFORTS TO HELP KEEP REPORTERS FOCUSED ON THE DEBATE WERE DISRUPTED BY COMMENTS ON HOW A CONTROVERSIAL CIA MANUAL ON GUERRILLA WARFARE FOUND ITS WAY INTO THE PUBLIC DOMAIN.

IN AN INTERVIEW ON KNOX-TV IN CAPE GIRARDEAU, MO., HE APPEARED TO PLACE THE BLAME ON A MAGAZINE THAT IS OPPOSED TO CIA COVERT OPERATIONS MAKING THE TERRORISM HANDBOOK PUBLIC.

"THIS MANUAL WAS GIVEN OUT BY A THING CALLED 'COUNTERSPY,'" HE SAID. COUNTERSPY IS A MAGAZINE PUBLISHED IN WASHINGTON, WHICH HAS EXPOSED CIA AGENTS AND OPERATIONS IN THE PAST.

BUSH SAID THE MAGAZINE HAS BEEN ASSOCIATED WITH RENEGADE EX-CIA AGENT PHILIP AGEE AND ADDED, "I HAVE SEEN AGENTS ... KILLED WHEN EXPOSED BY THIS COUNTERSPY."

THE PUBLICATION WAS ACCUSED OF EXPOSING A CIA STATION CHIEF IN ATHENS WHO LATER WAS ASSASSINATED.

EDITORS OF COUNTERSPY, REACHED IN WASHINGTON, DENIED LEAKING THE REPORT. BUSH, THROUGH A SPOKESMAN, LATER SAID HE WAS REFERRING NOT TO THE GUERRILLA WARFARE MANUAL PREPARED FOR THE NICARAGUAN "CONTRAS," BUT TO A 1982 DEFENSE INTELLIGENCE AGENCY REPORT -- PROVIDED TO REPORTERS BY COUNTERSPY LAST DECEMBER -- DEALING WITH SIMILAR ISSUES.

BUSH'S PRESS SECRETARY PETER TEELEY DISCOUNTED THE DISCREPENCY, WHICH SUGGESTED BUSH HAD MISSPOKEN. "I THINK IT'S VERY CLEAR," HE TOLD REPORTERS, "AND YOU'RE NITPICKING."

BUSH SPENT MOST OF HE DAY PLAYING UP WHAT HE CALLED AN UNEQUIVOCAL REAGAN VICTORY IN THE FINAL DEBATE OF THE CAMPAIGN.

"THE AMERICAN PEOPLE SEE THIS PRESIDENT IN CONTROL, IN COMMAND, LEADING THE NATION WITH A NEW SPIRIT," BUSH TOLD STUDENTS AT SOUTHEAST MISSOURI STATE UNIVERSITY.

"THAT'S WHY I REALLY BELIEVE THAT AFTER LAST NIGHT, WE ARE ON A ROLL," HE DECLARED.

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WASHINGTON (AP) - The CIA told the Senate Intelligence Committee on Monday that all copies of a CIA-written psychological warfare manual for Nicaraguan rebels contained language on ''neutralization'' of government officials; a panel member said.

After a three-hour briefing; Sen. Sam Nunn; D-Ga.; said that while some deletions were made in the 90-page manual; ''the term 'neutralization' was in all the documents.''

During the presidential debate Sunday night; President Reagan said CIA officials had deleted a number of pages that dealt with assassination of Nicaraguan government officials; although adding that 12 copies of an original with such references ''some way ... got out down there.''

Nunn and Sen. Malcolm Wallop; R-Wyo.; were the only two committee members who attended the CIA briefing; which the Georgia senator said was handled ''by people who were new ... and not by people who presumably would know the most about this operation.''

Wallop and Nunn also said the CIA's internal investigation into the production of the manual was continuing and that many questions remained. Wallop said he saw no indication of ''foot dragging;'' adding that tracing the decision-making process on the manual involved ''a complicated paper trail.''

But on the key question of whether the CIA-produced manual encouraged assassinations; Nunn said:

''There were deletions before some printings were made and before some distribution was made; but all of the documents presumably ... had some of what would be called questionable to some and to others offensive language; including language relating to so-called 'neutralization.'''

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Nunn's description of the CIA's briefing appeared to support an account from Edgar Chamorro; propaganda chief for the Nicaraguan Democratic Force; who said that deletions were made in the original manual to remove references to hiring professional criminals for ''selective jobs'' and creating a ''martyr'' by arranging the death of a rebel supporter.

But Chamorro said the revised manual still contained advice on the ''selective use of violence'' to ''neutralize'' Nicaraguan government officials and on coercing Nicaraguans into carrying out assignments against their will.

In an intervien with The Associated Press on Saturday; Chamorro said about 200 copies of the original manual were distributed although most were later recalled. He said about 2;000 copies of the second version were sent to rebels fighting Nicaragua's leftist government.

At the debate; Reagan said the original manual was the work of a CIA contract employee in Central America; but that when it was turned over to his CIA superior; ''a number of pages were excised by that agency head there ... and he sent it on up here to CIA; where more pages were excised before it was printed.''

Reagan said the CIA official in charge in Central America had ''recognized that what was in that manual was direct contravention of my own executive order in December 1981 that we would have nothing to do with regard to political assassinations.''

Wallop also noted that none of the versions specifically used the word ''assassination;'' and he disputed some members of Congress who have claimed that the manual is proof that the Reagan administration is trying to overthrow the Nicaraguan government.

''I do not believe that (the manual) calls for the overthrow of the government;'' Wallop said. ''It calls for the establishment of democracy; which the government says that it is about to try to do.''

Nunn; however; said the manual contained language that he considered ''clearly inappropriate in terms of the presidential directive against assassinations.''

Nunn said the word ''neutralize'' is subject to various interpretations; but added that when read in context; ''it could lead one to the conclusion that the president's policy (on assassinations) was being or could possibly be breached.''

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After the briefing; Sen. Daniel Patrick Moynihan; D-N.Y.; committee vice chairman; said; ''The Central Intelligence Agency has still not told us who ordered this manual; who wrote it and who approved it.''

In another development; Bosco Matamoros; Washington spokesman for the Nicaraguan Democratic Force; said Chamorro no longer has ''the right to talk for'' the Honduran-based group.

On Saturday; Chamorro said it was the ''practice'' of the CIA-backed rebels to execute Nicaraguan government officials who are deemed ''criminals.'' Matamoros disputed Chamorro's statement; saying: ''We always reject and condemn political assassination and terrorism.''
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WASHINGTON - FORMER CIA DIRECTOR STANSFIELD TURNER SAYS THE AUTHOR OF A CONTROVERSIAL CIA-SPONSORED MANUAL ON TERRORIST TACTICS IN NICARAGUA PROBABLY IS ONE OF A GROWING NUMBER OF FORMER AGENTS WHO WERE EASED OUT OF THE CIA IN 1977 AND HAVE BEEN REHIRED ON A CONTRACT BASIS FOR SPECIAL MISSIONS IN CENTRAL AMERICA.

THE MANUAL FOR REBELS FIGHTING THE SANDINISTA GOVERNMENT IN NICARAGUA OUTLINES VARIOUS ACTIONS - INCLUDING ASSASSINATIONS - THAT COULD BE USED BY GUERRILLAS.

PRESIDENT REAGAN AND HIS FOREIGN POLICY ADVISER; ROBERT MACFARLANE; HAVE SAID THE ISSUANCE OF THE MANUAL IS UNDER INVESTIGATION. MACFARLANE SAID WHOEVER IS RESPONSIBLE FOR PRODUCING THE MANUAL ''SHOULD BE FIRED.''

TURNER; WHO HEADED THE CIA IN THE CARTER ADMINISTRATION; SAYS THE MANUAL SOUNDS LIKE THE WORK OF ONE OF THE CIA AGENTS HE ORDERED TO TAKE EARLY RETIREMENT OR FIRED IN 1977 FOR UNACCEPTABLE PERFORMANCE.

''THESE WERE PRINCIPALLY THE 'OLD BOYS' OF THE AGENCY; WHO EITHER DIDN'T REALIZE OR DIDN'T WANT TO ACCEPT THE FACT THAT THE RULES OF THE GAME HAD CHANGED; AND THAT THE NEW POLICY; UNDER THE LAW; WAS 'NO ASSASSINATIONS' AND COMPREHENSIVE OVERSIGHT BY CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEES;'' HE TOLD REPORTERS MONDAY.

TURNER SAID THAT WHAT HAD BEEN TERMED BY HIS CRITICS AT THE TIME AS TURNER'S ''PURGE'' OF THE CIA ACTUALLY RESULTED FROM RECOMMENDATIONS IN AN INTERNAL CIA MEMORANDUM THAT HAD BEEN SUBMITTED TO HIS PREDECESSOR; GEORGE BUSH; NOW THE VICE PRESIDENT. THE HOUSECLEANING WAS AWAITING BUSH'S ACTION WHEN CARTER NAMED TURNER TO SUCCEED BUSH.

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THE MEMORANDUM; ACCORDING TO TURNER; NOTED THAT THE CIA HAD BECOME BLOATED DURING THE VIETNAM WAR AND THAT WITH THE WAR OVER THE AGENCY WAS ''OVERSTAFFED BY 1;300; OVERSUPERVISED AND OVERMANAGED; WITH FEW OPPORTUNITIES FOR ADVANCEMENT FOR THE YOUNGER PERSONNEL; WITH THE RESULT THAT MORALE WAS LOW. THE RECOMMENDATION WAS THAT TOTAL PERSONNEL BE REDUCED BY 5 PERCENT; BY A VARIETY OF MEANS.''

TURNER SAID HE DECIDED TO ELIMINATE 820 POSITIONS IMMEDIATELY - 17 BY DISMISSALS; 155 BY EARLY RETIREMENT AND THE REST THROUGH NORMAL ATTRITION. THOSE DISMISSED OR GIVEN EARLY RETIREMENT; HE SAID; WERE RELEASED ON THE BASIS OF INFERIOR PERFORMANCE.

MANY OF THOSE RELEASED DURING THIS PERIOD; TURNER SAID; HAD RESISTED THE SHARP CHANGE IN CONTROL OF THE CIA THAT RESULTED FROM THE 1975 REPORT OF A SENATE COMMITTEE; WHICH CHARGED THAT THE CIA WAS GUILTY OF MANY ILLEGAL EXCESSES AND WHICH URGED STRICTER OVERSIGHT OF THE AGENCY BY CONGRESS.

''THE UNSUPERVISED INTELLIGENCE SYSTEM THAT EXISTED FROM 1948 TO 1975 WAS NOT A SUCCESS;'' TURNER SAID; ''BECAUSE THERE WAS NO ACCOUNTABILITY AND WHEN YOU HAVE NO ACCOUNTABILITY AND NO LIMITS; YOU ARE GOING TO HAVE EXCESSES LIKE COVERT ACTIONS THAT GO FAR BEYOND ANYTHING THIS NATION STANDS FOR. YOU CAN'T HAVE ANY AGENCY FLOUTING THE WILL OF CONGRESS; AND THIS IS WHAT HAD BEEN HAPPENING.''

TURNER; A RETIRED ADMIRAL; SAID THAT WHILE HE DOES NOT AGREE WITH CIA CRITICS WHO CONTEND THE AGENCY ''IS OUT OF CONTROL;'' HE IS ''AFRAID THAT I DO BELIEVE THAT IT HAS BECOME POLITICIZED'' UNDER CURRENT DIRECTOR WILLIAM J. CASEY.

TURNER POINTED TO THE RECENT RESIGNATIONS OF TWO TOP CIA ANALYSTS WHO SAID THEY HAD QUIT BECAUSE CASEY WANTED THEIR REPORTS TO BE ALTERED FOR POLITICAL REASONS.

JM END FICHENBERG

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President Cites Mixup On Manual

12 Unedited Primers For 'Contras' Spread 'Some Way or Other'

By Joyce Murdoch
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Washington Post Staff Writers

President Reagan said last night that a CIA employe in Central America had removed several pages from a guerrilla-warfare manual after recognizing that it violated the president's order barring any U.S. role in political assassinations, but "some way or other there were 12 of the original copies that got out down there."

Reagan said that an investigation was continuing, and White House national security affairs adviser Robert C. McFarlane said yesterday that any Reagan administration official found to be involved with the Central Intelligence Agency primer instructing the antigovernment "contras" in Nicaragua on assassinations, blackmail and mob violence would be fired.

During his foreign-policy debate last night with Walter F. Mondale, Reagan said the manual was written by "a gentleman down in Nicaragua who is on contract to the CIA, advising—supposedly on military tactics—the contras."

Reagan said the administration would "take the proper action at the proper time" after determining "where any blame lies for the few that did not get excised."

Mondale responded, "This manual, several thousand of which were produced, was distributed, ordering political assassinations, hiring of criminals and other forms of terrorism. Some of it was excised, but the part dealing with political terrorism was continued."

According to Reagan, the manual was delivered to a CIA official in Central America, who "recognized that what was in that manual was a direct contravention of my own executive order in December of 1981, that we would have nothing to do with regard to political assassinations." He said the CIA official excised several pages before passing the manual on to the CIA, where more pages were deleted.

McFarlane, on "This Week With David Brinkley" (ABC, WJLA), said that no Reagan administration official had been linked to the 90-page manual. He said the evidence suggested it was solely the work of Nicaraguan rebels and the CIA contract employe without the knowledge of U.S. officials.

"I think the president has made clear that if there were U.S. officials involved in the development of this and approval of it, they ought to be fired," McFarlane said.

Later he said, "All of the evidence preliminarily is that this was a subordinate official and perhaps not even someone who was employed by the CIA."

Asked if CIA Director William J. Casey would be fired if found to have been involved, McFarlane said: "Whoever was involved ought to be fired." He said that an investigation should be completed within a week.

Former president Jimmy Carter yesterday joined Democrats calling for Casey's resignation because of the CIA manual. Mondale, House Speaker Thomas P. (Tip) O'Neill Jr. (D-Mass.), Rep. James M. Shannon (D-Mass.) and Rep. George Miller (D-Calif.) have demanded Casey's ouster.

McFarlane's latest statements about the CIA manual came amid reports suggesting that the Nicaraguan contras, whom Reagan calls "freedom fighters," were executing officials of the Sandinista government as early as 1982, and that senior Reagan aides had discussed the need for a guerrilla-warfare handbook last year.

Newsweek magazine reported yesterday that aides to U.N. Ambassador Jeane J. Kirkpatrick, Casey and Defense Department officials discussed the need for such a handbook in August 1983.

Meanwhile, in Miami, a Nicaraguan rebel leader told the Associated Press that his group had a "practice" of executing officials of Nicaragua's government, mostly security officials in small towns. "We have taken towns, and our men have had to kill officials of the Sandinista government," said Edgar Chamorro, chief of propaganda for the Nicaraguan Democratic Force.

"In guerrilla war, if you have to exact justice immediately, sometimes you have to do it," he said. "We don't have jails. We are in the jungle."

The Reagan administration has denied seeking to overthrow the Nicaraguan government, which came to power in the rebellion against Anastasio Somoza in 1979. But Reagan has advocated support for the contras by arguing that the Sandinistas are supplying arms to leftist guerrillas in El Salvador.

Secretary of State George P. Shultz asserted again yesterday, "There isn't any doubt whatsoever that the Salvadoran guerrillas are supplied by Nicaragua."

Speaking on "Meet the Press" (NBC, WRC), Shultz said that evidence of Nicaraguan arms supplies to Salvadoran rebels was being obtained by CIA surveillance flights that became public Friday, when four CIA employes were killed in the crash of their small unarmed plane three miles from San Salvador, the country's capital.

Shultz said that because "the situation in El Salvador has been gradually improving" U.S. officials there had begun traveling more freely about the country, venturing farther and farther from the capital.

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U.S. would fire culprit in manual

From Wire Services

WASHINGTON — The Reagan administration will fire any U.S. official found to have taken part in preparing a CIA manual that instructs Nicaraguan rebels in political assassination, a top White House aide said yesterday.

"I think the president has made clear that if there were U.S. officials involved in the development of this and the approval of it, then they ought to be fired," said National Security Adviser Robert C. McFarlane.

He said an internal Central Intelligence Agency probe of the matter, ordered by President Reagan, should be ready in "a week or so," before the November 6 presidential election.

Asked if the CIA's director, William J. Casey, would be dismissed if the investigation showed that he was involved, Mr. McFarlane said, "Whoever was involved ought to be fired."

He added, however, that it appeared that involvement by a U.S. official — if any — was at a low level of government.

"All of the evidence preliminarily is that this was a subordinate official and perhaps not even someone that was employed by the CIA," he said on the ABC-TV program "This Week With David Brinkley."

The primer offers to U.S.-backed Nicaraguan guerrillas detailed advice on political blackmail and assassination of selected officials of the Sandinista government.

White House officials have repudiated the manual, which would appear to violate a 1981 presidential executive order barring U.S. intelligence officials from conspiring to "engage in assassination."

Disclosure of the manual prompted Democratic presidential candidate Walter F. Mondale to call for the dismissal of Mr. Casey.

Senator Paul Laxalt, a close friend of the president, said the issue was unlikely to hurt Mr. Reagan's bid for reelection.

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CIA booklet sparks furor

Special for USA TODAY

President Reagan will fire any U.S. official who helped produce a CIA booklet that suggests anti-Sandinista rebels assassinate Nicaraguan officials, a top adviser said Sunday.

National Security Adviser Robert McFarlane, who appeared on ABC's *This Week with David Brinkley*, said, "I think the president has made clear that if there were U.S. officials involved in the development of this and approval of it they ought to be fired."

At issue is a 90-page pamphlet — reportedly written by an American named John Kirkpatrick who worked for the CIA — that contains recommendations on ways to "neutralize" Sandinista officials.

Kirkpatrick is reportedly a man in his 50s who considered himself an expert in the psychological aspects of guerrilla warfare.

He was described in reports as a "low-level" CIA contract agent. The CIA had no comment on the matter Sunday.

Edgar Chamorro, propaganda director for the CIA-backed rebel group, Nicaraguan Democratic Force, said it's the "practice" of his group to execute government officials who are labeled "criminals."

"In guerrilla war, if you have to exact justice immediately, sometimes you have to do it," he said. "We don't have jails. We are in the jungle."

Chamorro also said the psychological warfare manual — produced by the CIA and recommending "selective use of violence" to "neutralize" officials — was distributed to rebel troops inside Nicaragua.

But Chamorro, the booklet's editor, said he knew of no specific case in which material from the manual led directly to a killing.

He also said two other parts of the manual — calling for hiring professional criminals to carry out "selective jobs" and creating a "martyr" for the cause — were removed before most of the books were sent out.

The White House has ordered an investigation of the matter, saying the administration "has not advocated or condoned political assassination."

Newsweek today says that last year Defense Department officials and aides to U.N. Ambassador Jeane Kirkpatrick and CIA Director Casey discussed the need for a handbook on guerrilla warfare.

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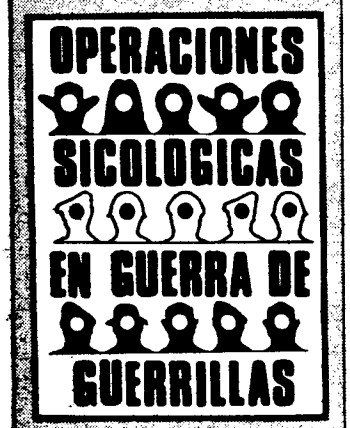
McFARLANE: Security adviser says President Reagan will fire any U.S. officials who developed and approved booklet.

Rebels' how-to



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PAMPHLET: This is the cover of a controversial CIA-produced manual that offers tips on waging psychological warfare. The 90-page booklet was produced for Nicaraguan rebels.

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CANDIDATES CLASH ON FOREIGN POLICY AND C.I.A. MANUAL

'HIRED ASSASSINS' CHARGE

Reagan Rejects Accusation by Mondale, Saying Agents Contravened His Order

By STEVEN R. WEISMAN
Special to The New York Times

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 21 — President Reagan and Walter F. Mondale opened their debate on foreign policy and military issues tonight with a sharp exchange over Central America.

A question about Central America brought an immediate clash between the two candidates over recent reports that the Central Intelligence Agency prepared a manual telling Nicaraguan rebels how to carry out political assassinations and kidnappings.

Mr. Mondale said the Administration had given "instructions for hired assassins, hired criminals and the rest" and "strengthened our opponents" in Central America.

Mr. Mondale asserted that Mr. Reagan had failed to show leadership and encouraged policies that had "embarrassed" the United States.

Reagan Cites His Order

Mr. Reagan responded that he had ordered an investigation into the manual, which he said was prepared in "direct contravention of my own order" that the United States would not get involved in political killings.

Mr. Mondale also charged, as he has several times in the campaign, that Mr. Reagan had displayed ignorance by saying that submarine missiles could be recalled after launching. Mr. Reagan said he had said no such thing and called on the Democratic candidate to make a retraction.

By contrast to the first debate, Mr. Reagan spoke vigorously and in a firm voice. After the former Vice President said he supported military assistance, economic aid and diplomatic efforts to resolve disputes in Central America, Mr. Reagan said the former Vice President seemed to be endorsing his own policies

Dispute Over Staging

Before the debate, there was a lively dispute between the two camps over arrangements on the stage, in which the Republicans asked that the lights be dimmed so that Mr. Reagan would have a softer look on television. The dispute was resolved with an agreement to dim the lights but not to take other steps demanded by the Reagan aides, such as prohibiting camera shots that could show one candidate's reaction to what the other was saying.

The debate came at the end of a week of foreign policy developments and disclosures, particularly on the subjects of the Reagan Administration's relations with the Soviet Union and its actions and policies in Central America and the Middle East.

Even before the encounter tonight, Mr. Mondale used these developments to hammer at his themes that Mr. Reagan had fueled the arms race and had been dangerously out of touch with events overseas.

Mr. Reagan fired back that the former Vice President was naïve in his view of the world and had made a career of opposing military buildup programs.

Soviet Relations Stressed

The key issue from the point of view of both sides was the American relationship with the Soviet Union. It was underscored by the comments last week by Konstantin U. Chernenko, the Soviet leader, who told The Washington Post in an unusual interview that the Administration had made "no practical shift" toward peace.

From the beginning of his campaign, Mr. Mondale has charged that Mr. Reagan missed opportunities for breakthroughs in nuclear arms talks with Moscow. In the last week he has sought to turn the campaign into a kind of referendum on Mr. Reagan's proposal to build a space-based antimissile system.

The Democratic Presidential candidate has also seized on disclosures that the Central Intelligence Agency had prepared a manual for Nicaraguan rebels that includes advice on political assassinations. He also cited reports that the Administration had been warned in advance that the United States Embassy in Lebanon might be attacked by radical Shiite terrorists.

The President has defended his record by asserting the need for the United States to protect its worldwide interests. In the last two weeks his campaign has specifically focused on past statements and votes by Mr. Mondale in opposition to key weapons programs.

It is Mr. Mondale's opposition to such programs that has exposed the country to "dangerous, unnecessary risks," Mr. Reagan has asserted.

Both Mr. Reagan and Mr. Mondale arrived on a crisp autumn afternoon under bright skies and found time to travel to the Art Deco Music Hall of the Kansas City Municipal Auditorium to test the equipment and get the feel of the stage.

The hall, built in the Depression, looked festive for the occasion with its swept-back walls of brilliant red with gold trim and a shimmering lobby of marble and onyx.

Candidates Caricatured

The downtown area around the hall was cordoned off, and the area was festooned with posters and banners featuring caricatures of the candidates, and a photograph of two boxing gloves, with the names Reagan and Mondale on them, titled "The Main Event."

At nearby hotels, Reagan and Mondale supporters gathered to cheer on their candidates at receptions and parties. Outside the convention hall, there were smatterings of demonstrators on both sides of the abortion rights issue.

There has been a difference of view in the Reagan and Mondale campaigns over the importance of foreign policy issues in general, and over the importance of the debate tonight specifically.

Mr. Mondale's aides have said they think that the concern of Americans about the dangers of war will be the central focus of the remaining weeks of the campaign. Mr. Reagan's aides say they think the economy will be the main focus, and they intend for the President to continue to attack his opponent for advocating tax increases.

Emphasis on Debate Differs

In addition, the Mondale campaign has seen the debate itself as a major event likely to be decisive in shaping the opinion of voters. The Reagan campaign has seen it as a more secondary event, in which the performance of the candidates will prove far less important to voters than their records over the past two decades.

There was a considerable amount of jockeying on both sides before the debates, with Mr. Mondale losing out on his main request to have more than two. However, the Democratic candidate won on his other main demand, which was to have the second debate occur fairly close to the election so that it could help influence the opinion of voters.

The first debate, which was on domestic affairs, took place two weeks ago in Louisville, Ky. Mr. Reagan gave what his aides later reluctantly acknowledged was an uninspired performance, prompting his advisers to concentrate this time on preparing him to use broadly thematic points rather than a recitation of statistics.

Format Set by Sponsor

Mr. Mondale had asked for a debate format in which the two candidates would simply speak and rebut each other's comments. The League of Women Voters, which sponsored the debates, acceded to the Reagan campaign request to have a panel of four journalists ask questions of the candidates.

The panel members for the debate tonight were Henry Trewhitt, diplomatic correspondent for The Baltimore Sun; Georgie Anne Geyer, syndicated columnist for the Universal Press Syndicate; Marvin Kalb, chief diplomatic correspondent for NBC News, and Morton Kondracke, executive editor of the magazine The New Republic.

The 90-minute debate was moderated by Edwin Newman, a former NBC News correspondent who is now a syndicated columnist for King Features.

Dorothy S. Ridings, president of the league, said the panelists were chosen from an original list of 83 names compiled as possible questioners in the first debate. Both campaigns raised objections to nearly all the names on that list, in what Mrs. Ridings says was an abuse of the process.

After the debate tonight, Mr. Reagan's campaign schedule called for a final round of campaigning in his home state of California, followed by a trip to Oregon, Washington and Ohio. Campaign aides said they expected him to concentrate between now and Election Day on the industrial Northeast and Middle West, which are normally Democratic strongholds. This year Mr. Reagan has regarded the South and the West as his base and has campaigned less in those regions.

Mr. Mondale is to campaign in New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and the industrial Middle West in the days immediately following the debate.

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Reagan to Dismiss Officials Responsible For Guerrilla Primer

By JOEL BRINKLEY
Special to The New York Times

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21 — The White House national security adviser said today that President Reagan would dismiss any United States official who developed or approved the Central Intelligence Agency manual advising Nicaraguan rebels to commit political assassinations.

The adviser, Robert C. McFarlane, said Mr. Reagan "will deal with this as he has with other issues in this domain, unequivocally, firmly, promptly."

The primer became public last week, and on Thursday the President ordered two investigations to determine if the C.I.A. acted improperly in preparing it. Mr. McFarlane said he expected the investigations to be completed "within a week or so."

'A Subordinate Thing'

Asked if the C.I.A.'s director, William J. Casey, will be dismissed if the investigation shows that he was involved, Mr. McFarlane said, "Whoever was involved ought to be fired."

But he added that "all the evidence preliminariiy is that this was a subordinate thing, perhaps not even someone who is employed by the C.I.A." Mr. McFarlane was interviewed on the ABC News program "This Week."

Last week a White House spokesman said the primer "appears to be the work of a low-level contract employee of the C.I.A. working in the region."

'Brought a Lot of Money'

Rebel leaders said the man was named John Kirkpatrick and was a veteran of the Korean and Vietnam wars who had a particular interest and expertise in psychological warfare techniques. They said the primer was prepared from Mr. Kirkpatrick's personal notes.

They added that he paid for publication of 2,000 bound copies of the manual, titled "Psychological Operations in Guerrilla Warfare," and also bought the rebels a variety of expensive specialized equipment, including loudspeakers, public address systems and cameras.

"He brought a lot of money with him," said Edgar Chamorro, one of the directors of the rebel group, the Nicaraguan Democratic Force.

'Something of a Maverick'

Mr. Chamorro said other C.I.A. employees working with the rebels in Honduras were aware of the primer. He said the others were friendly with Mr. Kirkpatrick. "They kidded him a lot," he said. "They thought he was something of a maverick."

Mr. Chamorro said Mr. Kirkpatrick spent three months with the rebels last fall but frequently traveled back to the United States during that period.

Today Mr. McFarlane said, "The President has made clear that if there were U.S. officials involved in the development of this and approval of it, then they ought to be fired." Asked again if they would be dismissed, he said, "Yes."

A White House spokesman said on Saturday that the President became aware of the primer when he read a newspaper article about it on Wednesday. "As to whether there were others in the White House who may have known about the document or its history, I don't know," he added. "That's what we will find out in the investigations."

Kidnappings Are Advised

Senator Paul Laxalt, traveling to Kansas City with President Reagan for the debate today with the Democratic Presidential candidate, Walter F. Mondale, said of the primer, "We've got to get to the bottom of that." Mr. Laxalt, general chairman of the Reagan-Bush campaign, said: "For us to be instructing people in Central America in how to go about terrorism is an exercise in futility."

The primer "came to light as a document that had been circulated to some degree in a format with parts that didn't comply to policy," he said.

The primer advises the rebels to "kidnap all officials of the Sandinista Government," to arrange the deaths of their own members so they will become martyrs and to execute selected Nicaraguan officials publicly."

The C.I.A.'s Deputy Inspector General is investigating the primer, as is the Intelligence Oversight Board, whose members are appointed by the President. The Senate and House Intelligence Committees and the General Accounting Office, the investigative arm of Congress, are also investigating the primer.

In 1981, President Reagan signed an executive order that forbids Government employees to take part in assassinations or to ask anyone else to commit assassinations.

The Nicaraguan rebels' activities have been financed by the United States, through the C.I.A., since 1981. On Saturday Mr. Chamorro said, "Frankly, I do admit we have killed people in cold blood."

He added: "We do believe in the assassination of tyrants. Some Sandinistas are tyrants in the small villages."

Today, Bosco Matmoros, the Washington representative for the Nicaraguan Democratic Force, said Mr. Chamorro "is not authorized to speak on the F.D.N.'s behalf anymore."

Although Mr. Chamorro remains an officer in the rebel force, Mr. Matmoros said, "his views as they have been presented are his own, not the F.D.N.'s."

"We have condemned any form of terrorism, including assassinations."

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The Debate Windup

MR. MONDALE was very much on the attack last night, though he was careful not to trample on the dignity of the presidency. He was able to use the latest news—the CIA's Nicaragua manual, the developing record of the administration's Lebanon travails—to advantage. President Reagan, however, came back hard on some of the old Carter policies and did his best to tag his challenger with "a record of weakness second to none." There was a lot of vigor and some genuine strong feeling: at one point a flushed Mr. Reagan, twice (and fairly) challenged on his knowledge of arms control detail, declared he would not respond further to Mr. Mondale's "repetitions of falsehoods."

We thought Walter Mondale put on a presidential performance. He had a theme—the requirement for alert, knowledgeable and responsible leadership—and he illustrated it deftly as the debate went along in respect to military programs and arms control proposals alike. His pursuit of the president on personal knowledge of and commitment to arms control was sure.

Mr. Mondale's particular purpose was to rebut the notion that he would be soft in standing up to the Russians. He was pretty skillful in putting the best face on his past opposition to so many military programs. He would apply a nuclear freeze, for instance, only when it was mutual and could be verified with assurance—this helps get him off an unfortunate wicket, i.e., the freeze. His explanation that he voted earlier to slow down the F14 because of bugs in the plane made the necessary point that, in national defense, money isn't everything. We think he was wrong to oppose the immigration bill, but he made about the best case for his opposition that is available.

Ronald Reagan made a notable gaffe by unwittingly acknowledging the previously known but unacknowledged CIA role in Nicaragua. His explanation of the Nicaragua manual was, to be charitable, lame. His suggestion that it was not he but the military commander who put the Marines in the Beirut barracks allowed Mr. Mondale to cite Harry Truman tellingly: "The buck stops here."

Yet the president has plainly come a long way from the simplicities of his campaign of four years ago. He tried hard last night to reach out to those who have been unnerved by some of his policies and who doubt his devotion to peace and, specifically, to arms control. He was right when he said that all human rights are lost when a country goes totalitarian. He was easy and avuncular, and scored well in response to a question on his age.

Mr. Reagan did much better than he had done in the last debate. He *has* had some successes in foreign policy; his administration *has* done some things well. In certain respects we would say he even had a better case than he made. Factually, he was weak. We would give the edge to Mr. Mondale.

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†REAGAN SAYS CIA MANUAL UNDERWENT EDITING

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WASHINGTON (AP) - PRESIDENT REAGAN SAYS A CONTROVERSIAL CIA MANUAL FOR NICARAGUAN REBELS WENT THROUGH EXTENSIVE EDITING TO REMOVE REFERENCES TO POLITICAL ASSASSINATION; LEAVING ONLY 12 COPIES OF AN UNEXPURGATED VERSION THAT ''SOME WAY ... GOT OUT DOWN THERE.''

REAGAN'S ACCOUNT - PRESENTED DURING SUNDAY NIGHT'S PRESIDENTIAL DEBATE - CONFLICTS WITH AN EXPLANATION BY A NICARAGUAN REBEL LEADER WHO SAYS THE REBELS CUT OUT ONLY TWO OF 90 PAGES AND LEFT IN A SECTION URGING ''SELECTIVE USE OF VIOLENCE'' TO ''NEUTRALIZE'' NICARAGUAN OFFICIALS.

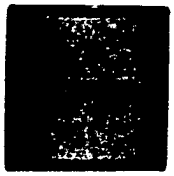
EDGAR CHAMORRO; PROPAGANDA CHIEF FOR THE NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC FORCE; SAID IN AN INTERVIEW SATURDAY THAT ABOUT 2;000 COPIES OF THE FINAL VERSION CONTAINING THE ''NEUTRALIZE'' SECTION WERE DISTRIBUTED TO REBEL FIGHTERS IN NICARAGUAN BORDER AREAS.

REAGAN'S EXPLANATION ALSO DOES NOT APPEAR TO SQUARE WITH A STATEMENT BY A SENIOR ADMINISTRATION OFFICIAL WHO SAID LAST WEEK THAT THE MANUAL WAS PRODUCED BY A ''FREE-WHEELING; FREE-LANCING;'' LOW-LEVEL CIA CONTRACT EMPLOYEE WITHOUT THE KNOWLEDGE OF HIS SUPERIORS. THE OFFICIAL INSISTED ON ANONYMITY.

DURING THE FIRST ROUND OF QUESTIONS IN SUNDAY'S FOREIGN POLICY DEBATE; DEMOCRATIC CHALLENGER WALTER F. MONDALE DENOUNCED THE MANUAL AS AN ''EMBARRASSMENT'' THAT INVOLVED ''GIVING INSTRUCTIONS FOR HIRED ASSASSINS.'' HE SAID PRODUCTION OF THE MANUAL ''HAS STRENGTHENED OUR OPPOSITION AND UNDERMINED THE MORAL AUTHORITY OF OUR PEOPLE AND OUR COUNTRY. ...

''HOW CAN SOMETHING THIS SERIOUS OCCUR IN AN ADMINISTRATION AND HAVE THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES ... SAY HE DIDN'T KNOW.''

REAGAN; HOWEVER; ATTEMPTED TO MINIMIZE THE SIGNIFICANCE OF THE MANUAL; WHOSE EXISTENCE WAS REPORTED BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS ONE WEEK AGO.



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ASKED IF THE MANUAL AMOUNTED TO ''OUR OWN STATE-SUPPORTED TERRORISM;'' REAGAN RESPONDED THAT HE HAD ORDERED AN INVESTIGATION AND WOULD TAKE ACTION AGAINST ANY OFFICIAL WHO HAD ACTED IMPROPERLY.

''WE HAVE A GENTLEMAN DOWN IN NICARAGUA WHO IS ON CONTRACT TO THE CIA ADVISING SUPPOSEDLY ON MILITARY TACTICS'' FOR THE REBELS; REAGAN SAID. ''HE DREW UP THIS MANUAL; TURNED IT OVER TO THE AGENCY HEAD OF THE CIA IN NICARAGUA TO BE PRINTED; A NUMBER OF PAGES WERE EXCISED BY THE AGENCY HEAD THERE; AND HE SENT IT ON UP HERE TO CIA WHERE MORE PAGES WERE EXCISED BEFORE IT WAS PRINTED.

''SOME WAY OR OTHER THERE WERE 12 OF THE ORIGINAL COPIES THAT GOT OUT DOWN THERE AND WERE NOT SUBMITTED FOR THIS PRINTING PROCESS OF THE CIA. ...

''AS SOON AS WE HAVE AN INVESTIGATION AND FIND OUT WHERE ANY BLAME LIES FOR THE FEW THAT DID NOT GET EXCISED OR CHANGED; WE ARE CERTAINLY GOING TO DO SOMETHING ABOUT THAT. WE'LL TAKE THE PROPER ACTION AT THE PROPER TIME.''

REAGAN LATER SAID HE ''MISSPOKE'' HIMSELF WHEN HE SAID THERE WAS A ''CIA HEAD IN NICARAGUA.''

REAGAN'S NATIONAL SECURITY ADVISER ROBERT C. MCFARLANE; INTERVIEWED ON ABC NEWS' ''THIS WEEK WITH DAVID BRINKLEY;'' SAID SUNDAY THAT IF ANY U.S. OFFICIALS WERE INVOLVED IN THE PRODUCTION OF THE MANUAL; ''THEN THEY OUGHT TO BE FIRED.''

HE ADDED; ''ALL OF THE EVIDENCE PRELIMINARILY IS THAT THIS WAS A SUBORDINATE OFFICIAL AND PERHAPS NOT EVEN SOMEONE THAT WAS EMPLOYED BY THE CIA.''

IN AN INTERVIEW WITH THE AP; CHAMORRO SAID THE TWO PAGES THAT WERE REMOVED DEALT WITH HIRING PROFESSIONAL CRIMINALS TO CARRY OUT ''SELECTIVE JOBS'' AND CREATING A ''MARTYR'' THROUGH THE KILLING OF A REBEL SUPPORTER.

BUT CHAMORRO SAID ANOTHER SECTION THAT PROPOSES ''SELECTIVE USE OF VIOLENCE'' TO ''NEUTRALIZE'' NICARAGUAN OFFICIALS WAS LEFT IN THE VERSION THAT RECEIVED WIDE DISTRIBUTION.

CHAMORRO AND A SENIOR U.S. INTELLIGENCE OFFICIAL; WHO INSISTED ON ANONYMITY; SAID THE MANUAL WAS PRINTED IN TEGUCIGALPA; HONDURAS; WHERE THE NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC FORCE MAINTAINS ITS POLITICAL HEADQUARTERS.

THE SENIOR ADMINISTRATION OFFICIAL; WHO OUTLINED THE PRELIMINARY FINDINGS OF THE CIA INVESTIGATION LAST WEEK; SAID ''THE MANUAL WAS NEVER APPROVED BY THE INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY IN WASHINGTON.''

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DEBATE-MANUAL
BY ROBERT PARRY

WASHINGTON (AP) -- PRESIDENT REAGAN SAID SUNDAY NIGHT THAT A CONTROVERSIAL CIA MANUAL FOR NICARAGUAN REBELS -- BLASTED BY HIS OPPONENT AS AN ''EMBARRASSMENT'' -- WAS WRITTEN BY A CIA CONTRACT EMPLOYEE IN CENTRAL AMERICA, BUT PAGES WERE EXCISED BY HIS SUPERIOR THERE AND OTHERS WERE REMOVED BY CIA HEADQUARTERS.

REAGAN'S ACCOUNT OF THE BOOK'S PRODUCTION CONFLICTS WITH AN EXPLANATION BY A NICARAGUAN REBEL LEADER WHO SAID THE REBELS CUT OUT ONLY TWO OF 90 PAGES, LEAVING IN A SECTION URGING ''SELECTIVE USE OF VIOLENCE'' TO ''NEUTRALIZE'' NICARAGUAN OFFICIALS.

IN THE PRESIDENTIAL FOREIGN POLICY DEBATE, DEMOCRATIC CHALLENGER WALTER F. MONDALE CALLED THE CIA'S PRODUCTION OF THE MANUAL AN ''EMBARRASSMENT (THAT) HAS STRENGTHENED OUR OPPOSITION AND UNDERMINED THE MORAL AUTHORITY OF OUR PEOPLE AND OUR COUNTRY.''

''HOW CAN SOMETHING THIS SERIOUS OCCUR IN AN ADMINISTRATION AND HAVE THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES ... SAY HE DIDN'T KNOW,'' MONDALE SAID. ''I DON'T KNOW WHICH IS WORSE: NOT KNOWING OR KNOWING AND NOT STOPPING.''

ASKED IF THE MANUAL AMOUNTED TO ''OUR OWN STATE-SUPPORTED TERRORISM,'' REAGAN RESPONDED THAT HE HAD ORDERED AN INVESTIGATION AND WOULD TAKE ACTION AGAINST ANY OFFICIAL WHO HAD ACTED IMPROPERLY.

GIVING HIS CLEAREST PUBLIC ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF CIA BACKING FOR REBELS FIGHTING NICARAGUA'S LEFTIST GOVERNMENT, REAGAN SAID, ''WE HAVE A GENTLEMEN DOWN IN NICARAGUA WHO IS ON CONTRACT TO THE CIA ADVISING SUPPOSEDLY ON MILITARY TACTICS.

''HE DREW UP THIS MANUAL, TURNED IT OVER TO THE AGENCY HEAD OF THE CIA IN NICARAGUA TO BE PRINTED, A NUMBER OF PAGES WERE EXCISED BY THE AGENCY HEAD THERE, AND HE SENT IT ON UP HERE TO CIA WHERE MORE PAGES WERE EXCISED BEFORE IT WAS PRINTED.

''SOME WAY OR OTHER THERE WERE 12 OF THE ORIGINAL COPIES THAT GOT OUT DOWN THERE AND WERE NOT SUBMITTED FOR THIS PRINTING PROCESS OF THE CIA. ... AS SOON AS WE HAVE AN INVESTIGATION AND FIND OUT WHERE ANY BLAME LIES FOR THE FEW THAT DID NOT GET EXCISD OR CHANGED, WE ARE CERTAINLY GOING TO DO SOMETHING ABOUT THAT. WE'LL TAKE T(E PROPER ACTION AT THE PROPER TIME.''

REAGAN LATER SAID HE ''MISSPOKE'' HIMSELF WHEN HE SAID THERE WAS A ''CIA HEAD IN NICARAGUA.''

IN AN INTERVIEW WITH THE ASSOCIATED PRESS ON SATURDAY, EDGAR CHAMORRO, HEAD OF PROPAGANDA FOR THE CIA-BACKED NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC FORCE, SAID ONLY TWO PAGES WERE REMOVED BEFORE THE BULK OF THE MANUALS WERE DISTRIBUTED. THOSE TWO PAGES INCLUDED REFERENCES TO HIRING PROFESSIONAL CRIMINALS TO CARRY OUT ''SELECTIVE JOBS'' AND CREATING A ''MARTYR'' THROUGH THE KILLING OF A REBEL SUPPORTER.

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AIDE SAYS REAGAN WILL FIRE THOSE INVOLVED IN REBEL GUIDE

WASHINGTON (UPI) -- NATIONAL SECURITY ADVISER ROBERT MCFARLANE SAID SUNDAY PRESIDENT REAGAN WILL FIRE ANY U.S. OFFICIAL INVOLVED IN PRODUCING A PRIMER ADVISING NICARAGUAN REBELS ON POLITICAL ASSASSINATION, BLACKMAIL AND MOB VIOLENCE.

"I THINK THE PRESIDENT HAS MADE CLEAR THAT IF THERE WERE U.S. OFFICIALS INVOLVED IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF THIS AND APPROVAL OF IT THEY OUGHT TO BE FIRED," HE SAID IN AN APPEARANCE ON ABC'S "THIS WEEK WITH DAVID BRINKLEY."

WHEN ASKED IF CIA DIRECTOR WILLIAM CASEY WOULD BE FIRED IF HE WAS FOUND TO BE INVOLVED, MCFARLANE REPLIED, "ALL OF THE EVIDENCE PRELIMINARILY IS THAT THIS WAS A SUBORDINATE OFFICIAL AND PERHAPS NOT EVEN SOMEONE WHO WAS EMPLOYED BY THE CIA. BUT THE POINT IS WHOEVER WAS INVOLVED OUGHT TO BE FIRED."

DEMOCRATIC PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEE WALTER MONDALE HAS CALLED FOR REAGAN TO FIRE CASEY, A REQUEST ALSO MADE BY FORMER PRESIDENT JIMMY CARTER, HOUSE SPEAKER THOMAS P. O'NEILL, D-MASS., AND DEMOCRATIC REPS. GEORGE MILLER OF CALIFORNIA AND JAMES SHANNON OF MASSACHUSETTS.

REAGAN HAS NOT COMMENTED ON CASEY DIRECTLY SINCE CALLS FOR HIS DISMISSAL BEGAN THIS WEEK AND WHITE HOUSE STATEMENTS ON THE MATTER HAVE STOPPED SHORT OF SAYING THE PRESIDENT RETAINS HIS CONFIDENCE IN CASEY.

WHEN ASKED SATURDAY IF THE PRESIDENT WOULD FIRE HIS CIA DIRECTOR, DEPUTY WHITE HOUSE PRESS SECRETARY ROBERT SIMS REPLIED, "I DON'T THINK THE PRESIDENT HAS GIVEN ANY CONSIDERATION WHATSOEVER TO THAT."

AT ISSUE IS A 90-PAGE CIA MANUAL THAT INSTRUCTS REBELS FIGHTING THE SANDINISTA GOVERNMENT IN NICARAGUA ON WAYS TO WIN POPULAR SUPPORT. IT INCLUDES A SECTION ON "SELECTIVE USE OF VIOLENCE" THAT OUTLINES WAYS TO "NEUTRALIZE CAREFULLY SELECTED AND PLANNED TARGETS, SUCH AS COURT JUDGES ... POLICE AND STATE SECURITY OFFICIALS."

REAGAN HAS ORDERED THE CIA TO INVESTIGATE THE MATTER TO SEE IF THERE WAS IMPROPER CONDUCT BY ANY OF ITS EMPLOYEES. TWO MEMBERS OF CONGRESS, REPS. MILLER AND THOMAS DOWNEY, D-N.Y., HAVE ASKED THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT TO SEE IF A SPECIAL PROSECUTOR SHOULD BE APPOINTED.

MCFARLANE SAID IT WOULDN'T BE KNOWN WHO WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE PRIMER UNTIL AFTER THE INVESTIGATION. HE SAID A REPORT ON THE INVESTIGATION SHOULD BE READY "SURELY IN A WEEK OR SO."

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(NEWSWEEK SAYS TOP U.S. AIDES DISCUSSED PAMPHLET A YEAR AGO)

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NEWSWEEK MAGAZINE, MEANWHILE, SAID IT HAS LEARNED THAT KEY AIDES TO CASEY; JEANE KIRKPATRICK, U.S. AMBASSADOR TO THE UNITED NATIONS, AND "DEFENSE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS" HAD DISCUSSED THE NEED FOR A HANDBOOK ON GUERRILLA WARFARE IN MEETINGS IN AUGUST 1983.

THE MAGAZINE SAID ONE "TOP PLANNER" ASKED A REPORTER A YEAR AGO, "HOW DO YOU WRITE A MANUAL FOR REVOLUTION?"

ACCORDING TO EDGAR CHAMORRO, SPOKESMAN FOR THE NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC FORCES, THE CONTRA COMMAND STRUCTURE, THE UNITED STATES SENT AN "OLDER" MAN TO HONDURAS, A KOREAN AND VIETNAM VETERAN WHO HAD TAUGHT AT THE NATIONAL WAR COLLEGE AND WAS AN EXPERT ON GUERRILLA WARFARE.

CHAMORRO SAID HE AND THE AMERICAN WORKED TOGETHER TO CREATE THE PAMPHLET AS A "CLASSROOM TOOL." CHAMORRO SAID HE DID ALL THE EDITING, AND ORDERED THE LAST FOUR PAGES TORN FROM THE FIRST PRINTING BUT NEWSWEEK SAID SOME UNEXPURGATED COPIES "OBVIOUSLY GOT OUT."

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KANSAS CITY, MO. (AP) - WALTER F. MONDALE PORTRAYED PRESIDNT REAGAN SUNDAY NIGHT AS AN OUT-OF-TOUCH LEADER WHO ONCE SAID THAT MISSILES COULD BE RECALLED AFTER THEY WERE LAUNCHED. ''I NEVER EVER CONCEIVED SUCH A THING; I NEVER SAID SUCH A THING;'' REAGAN RETORTED IN THE CLIMACTIC CAMPAIGN DEBATE.

IN THE OPENING MOMENTS OF THEIR SECOND DEBATE; MONDALE SAID THE ADMINISTRATION HAD EMBARRASSED THE NATION WITH A CIA MANUAL OF ''INSTRUCTIONS TO HIRED ASSASSINS'' IN NICARAGUA. REAGAN RENOUNCED THE DOCUMENT; AND SAID IF AN INVESTIGATION TURNS UP THE CULPRIT; ''THEY WILL BE REMOVED.''

REAGAN SAID THE MANUAL WAS EDITED BY THE CIA CHIEF IN NICARAGUA; AND AGAIN BY CIA OFFICIALS IN WASHINGTON. BUT THAT AN ORIGINAL; UNEDITED COPY - WRITTEN BY A CIA CONTRACT EMPLOYEE - WAS NONETHELESS RELEASED.

ASKED ABOUT THE CIA HAVING AN AGENT IN CHARGE OF REBEL ACTIVITIES IN NICARAGUA; THE PRESIDENT CORRECTED HIMSELF AND SAID THE RANKING OFFICIAL WAS NOT IN NICARAGUA.

MONDALE SAID SUCH TACTICS SERVED TO ''STRENGTHEN OUR OPPONENTS'' IN CENTRAL AMERICA.

THE TWO MEN SHOOK HANDS AT CENTER STAGE AS THEY ENTERED FOR THEIR 90-MINUTE TELEVISED CONFRONTATION.

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BOTH MEN ARRIVED IN KANSAS CITY SEVERAL HOURS BEFORE THE DEBATE; THE PRESIDENT TELLING A WELCOMING RALLY; ''WE DON'T CLAIM TO HAVE REMADE THE WORLD BUT WE HAVE MADE IT BETTER AND SAFER THAN THE WORLD THE CARTER ADMINISTRATION LEFT US.''

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MONDALE; WHO SMILED WRILY AT REAGAN'S REMARKS; AGREED THE RUSSIANS WERE A DANGEROUS ADVERSARY; BUT SAID THE PRESIDENT HAD PRODUCED NO PROGRESS ON ARMS CONTROL. ''THERE WILL BE NO UNILATERAL DISARMAMENT'' UNDER A MONDALE ADMINISTRATION; HE SAID.

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KANSAS CITY, MO. (AP) - WALTER F. MONDALE SAID SUNDAY NIGHT THAT PRESIDENT REAGAN IS AN OUT-OF-TOUCH LEADER WHOSE FOREIGN POLICY HAS ''HUMILIATED'' THE UNITED STATES. REAGAN RETORTED IN THE CLIMACTIC CAMPAIGN DEBATE THAT MONDALE HAS A ''RECORD OF WEAKNESS ... THAT IS SECOND TO NONE'' ON NATIONAL DEFENSE.

''I WILL KEEP US STRONG,'' MONDALE SAID AFTER REAGAN LISTED A SERIES OF WEAPONS THAT HE SAID HIS PRESIDENTIAL OPPONENT HAD ONCE OPPOSED.

REAGAN, CONFRONTED WITH A DIRECT QUESTION ABOUT WHETHER HE IS TOO OLD TO HANDLE A CRISIS, SAID, ''NOT AT ALL.''

IN THE TYPE OF HUMOROUS FOLLOW-UP HE OFTEN USES TO DEFUSE THE ''AGE ISSUE,'' THE 73-YEAR-OLD REAGAN ALSO SAID HE WOULD NOT MAKE AGE A CAMPAIGN ISSUE. ''I AM NOT GOING TO EXPLOIT ... MY OPPONENT'S YOUTH AND INEXPERIENCE,'' HE SAID.

MONDALE AGREED THAT AGE SHOULD NOT BE AN ISSUE IN THE CAMPAIGN. ''IT IS NOT ... AND I HAVE NOT MADE IT AN ISSUE; NOR SHOULD IT BE,'' MONDALE SAID. BUT HE TURNED THE QUESTION, LIKE ALMOST EVERY OTHER ASKED OF HIM, TO AN ATTACK ON REAGAN'S LEADERSHIP.

''A PRESIDENT HAS TO LEAD HIS GOVERNMENT OR IT WON'T BE DONE,'' HE SAID AFTER ATTACKING REAGAN'S POLICY IN LEBANON AND ON ARMS CONTROL.

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MONDALE, AGGRESSIVE FROM THE BEGINNING, CHARGED IN THE OPENING MOMENTS OF THE 90-MINUTE DEBATE THAT THE PRESIDENT HAD ONCE SAID THAT MISSILES COULD BE RECALLED AFTER THEY WERE LAUNCHED.

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BUT MONDALE CAME BACK AGAIN TO THE SUBJECT, SAYING HE WOULD PROVE REAGAN HAD SAID IT. ''HE SAID EXACTLY WHAT I SAID HE SAID,'' THE DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE INSISTED.'' REAGAN TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE ON MAY 13, 1982, IN RESPONSE TO A QUESTION ABOUT ARMS CONTROL THAT MISSILES POSE A THREAT OF MISCALCULATION BECAUSE ''ONCE THAT BUTTON IS PUSHED, THERE IS NO DEFENSE; THERE IS NO RECALL. AND IT'S A MATTER OF MINUTES, AND THE MISSLES REACH THE OTHER COUNTRY.''

THE PRESIDENT CONTINUED: ''THOSE THAT ARE CARRIED IN BOMBERS, THOSE THAT ARE CARRIED IN SHIPS OF ONE KIND OR ANOTHER, OR SUBMERSIBLES, YOU ARE DEALING THERE WITH A CONVENTIONAL TYPE OF WEAPON OR INSTRUMENT, AND THOSE INSTRUMENTS CAN BE INTERCEPTED. THEY CAN BE RECALLED IF THERE HAS BEEN A MISCALCULATION. AND SO THEY DON'T HAVE THE SAME, I THINK, PSYCHOLOGICAL EFFECT THAT THE PRESENCE OF THOSE OTHER ONES THAT, ONCE LAUNCHED, THAT'S IT; THEY'RE ON THEIR WAY, AND THERE'S NO PREVENTING, NO STOPPING THEM.''

ASKED ABOUT HIS PAST HARSHLY WORDED DENUNCIATIONS OF THE SOVIET UNION, REAGAN SAID, ''I RETRACT NOTHING.''

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THE FIRST QUESTION WAS ABOUT THE CIA MANUAL THAT APPEARS TO BACK ASSASSINATION OF POLITICAL OPPONENTS IN EL SALVADOR, BUT MONDALE QUICKLY TURNED IN HIS ANSWER TO THE OVERALL QUESTION OF WHETHER REAGAN WAS IN COMMAND.

''A PRESIDENT CAN'T KNOW EVERYTHING BUT A PRESIDENT HAS TO KNOW THOSE THINGS THAT ARE ESSENTIAL TO HIS LEADERSHIP,'' HE SAID.

AS FOR THE MINING OF THE HARBORS IN NICARAGUA, HE NOTED THAT REAGAN HAD SAID HE DIDN'T KNOW ABOUT IT.

''I DON'T KNOW WHICH IS WORSE, NOT KNOWING OR NOT STOPPING'' IT.

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By JOEL BRINKLEY

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WASHINGTON - The White House national security adviser said on Sunday that President Reagan would dismiss any U.S. official who developed or approved the Central Intelligence Agency manual advising Nicaraguan rebels to commit political assassinations.

The adviser, Robert C. McFarlane, said Reagan "will deal with this as he has with other issues in this domain, unequivocally, firmly, promptly."

The primer became public last week, and on Thursday the president ordered two investigations to determine if the CIA acted improperly in preparing it. McFarlane said he expected the investigations to be completed "within a week or so."

Asked if the CIA's director, William J. Casey, will be dismissed if the investigation shows that he was involved, McFarlane said: "Whoever was involved ought to be fired."

But he added that "all the evidence preliminarily is that this was a subordinate thing, perhaps not even someone who is employed by the CIA." McFarlane was interviewed on the ABC News program "This Week."

Last week, a White House spokesman said the primer "appears to be the work of a low-level contract employee of the CIA working in the region."

Rebel leaders said the man was named John Kirkpatrick and was a veteran of the Korean and Vietnam wars who had a particular interest and expertise in psychological warfare techniques. They said that the primer was prepared from Kirkpatrick's personal notes.

They added that he paid for publication of 2,000 bound copies of the manual, titled "Psychological Operations in Guerrilla Warfare," and also bought the rebels a variety of expensive, specialized equipment, including loudspeakers, public address systems, and cameras.

"He brought a lot of money with him," said Edgar Chamorro, one of the rebel group's directors.

Chamorro said that other CIA employees working with the rebels in Honduras were aware of the primer. He said that the others were friendly with Kirkpatrick. "They kidded him a lot," he said. "They thought he was something of a maverick."

Chamorro said that Kirkpatrick spent three months with the rebels last fall but frequently traveled back to the United States during that period.

On Sunday, McFarlane said: "The president has made clear that if there were U.S. officials involved in the development of this and approval of [illegible] they would be dismissed, he said: "Yes."

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A WHITE HOUSE SPOKESMAN SAID ON SATURDAY THAT THE PRESIDENT BECAME AWARE OF THE PRIMER WHEN HE READ A NEWSPAPER ARTICLE ABOUT IT ON WEDNESDAY. ''AS TO WHETHER THERE WERE OTHERS IN THE WHITE HOUSE WHO MAY HAVE KNOWN ABOUT THE DOCUMENT OR ITS HISTORY; I DON'T KNOW;'' HE ADDED. ''THAT'S WHAT WE WILL FIND OUT IN THE INVESTIGATIONS.''

THE PRIMER ''CAME TO LIGHT AS A DOCUMENT THAT HAD BEEN CIRCULATED TO SOME DEGREE IN A FORMAT WITH PARTS THAT DIDN'T COMPLY TO POLICY;'' HE SAID.

THE PRIMER ADVISES THE REBELS TO ''KIDNAP ALL OFFICIALS OF THE SANDINISTA GOVERNMENT;'' TO ARRANGE THE DEATHS OF THEIR OWN MEMBERS SO THEY WILL BECOME MARTYRS; AND TO EXECUTE SELECTED NICARAGUAN OFFICIALS PUBLICLY.''

THE CIA'S DEPUTY INSPECTOR GENERAL IS INVESTIGATING THE PRIMER; AS IS THE INTELLIGENCE OVERSIGHT BOARD; WHOSE MEMBERS ARE APPOINTED BY THE PRESIDENT. THE SENATE AND HOUSE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEES AND THE GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE; THE INVESTIGATIVE ARM OF CONGRESS; ARE ALSO INVESTIGATING THE PRIMER.

IN 1981; REAGAN SIGNED AN EXECUTIVE ORDER THAT FORBIDS GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES TO TAKE PART IN ASSASSINATIONS OR TO ASK ANYONE ELSE TO COMMIT ASSASSINATIONS.

THE NICARAGUAN REBELS' ACTIVITIES HAVE BEEN FINANCED BY THE UNITED STATES; THROUGH THE CIA; SINCE 1981. ON SATURDAY; CHAMORRO SAID: ''FRANKLY I DO ADMIT WE HAVE KILLED PEOPLE IN COLD BLOOD.''

HE ADDED: ''WE DO BELIEVE IN THE ASSASSINATION OF TYRANTS. SOME SANDINISTAS ARE TYRANTS IN THE SMALL VILLAGES.''

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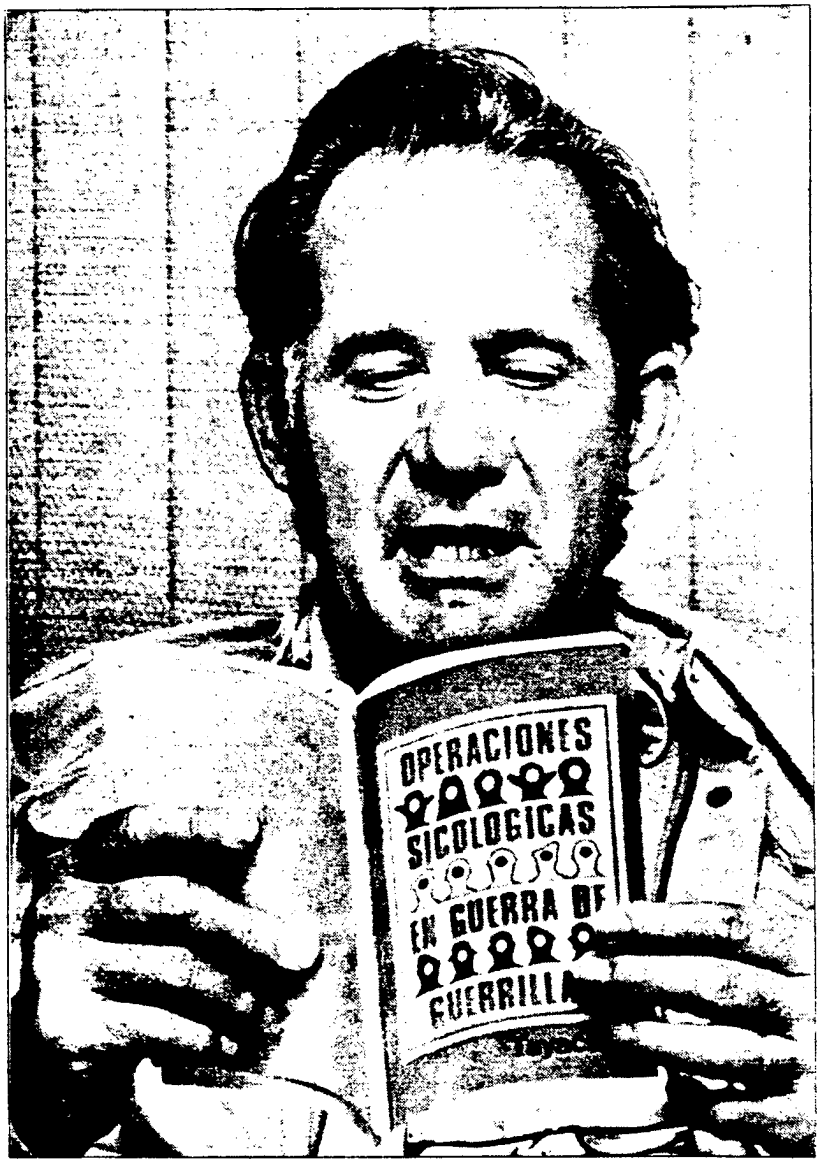

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Nicaraguan rebel Edgar Chamorro reviews CIA-produced manual from his Miami home on Friday.

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A THIRD CIA DOCUMENT CAME UNDER INVESTIGATION LAST WEEK; THIS ONE A COMIC BOOK THAT ADVISES NICARAGUANS TO COMMIT ACTS OF SABOTAGE AS A MEANS OF LEADING TO THE DOWNFALL OF THE SANDINISTA GOVERNMENT. AMONG THE SUGGESTIONS: STOP UP TOILETS WITH SPONGES; SLASH THE UPHOLSTERY IN AUTOMOBILES; POUR DIRT INTO GAS TANKS AND LEAVE LIGHTS ON.

THE WHITE HOUSE HAS NOT SAID WHEN IT FIRST LEARNED OF THE COMIC BOOK; WHICH BECAME PUBLIC LAST SUMMER. ON FRIDAY; SPEAKES; THE WHITE HOUSE SPOKESMAN; SAID HE COULD NOT ''MAKE A JUDGMENT'' AS TO WHETHER THE COMIC BOOK CONFORMED TO ADMINISTRATION POLICY; BUT ADDED: ''CAN YOU MAKE A JUDGEMENT WHETHER FLUSHING ALL THE TOILETS WOULD BE A VIOLATION OF U.S. POLICY?''

REP. GEORGE MILLER; D-CALIF.; DISCUSSED THE COMIC BOOK ON THE FLOOR OF THE HOUSE ON AUG. 2; AND HIS REMARKS WERE PUBLISHED IN THE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD. SATURDAY; HE SAID THE COMIC BOOK ''WAS OBVIOUSLY A PRECURSOR TO MORE SERIOUS THINGS'' AND ''IT IS INCONCEIVABLE TO ME THAT THE HIGHEST OFFICIALS IN THE CIA DID NOT FIND OUT ABOUT THE TERROR MANUAL'' GIVEN ''THAT THE COMIC BOOK WAS MADE A PART OF THE PUBLIC DEBATE ON THE CIA'S COVERT ACTIVITIES.''

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WASHINGTON (AP) - THE DISCLOSURES CONTAINED IN THE CIA'S CONTROVERSIAL MANUAL ON NICARAGUA ARE THE LATEST EXAMPLE OF WHAT REAGAN ADMINISTRATION CRITICS CLAIM IS A PATTERN OF ANTI-SANDINISTA ACTIVITIES THAT EXCEED LEGAL BOUNDS.

ADMINISTRATION OFFICIALS PRIVATELY ACKNOWLEDGE THAT SOME OF THE ACTIVITIES DO RAISE LEGITIMATE LEGAL QUESTIONS.

ON TUESDAY; U.S. DISTRICT JUDGE JUNE L. GREEN ORDERED THE CIA TO MAKE PUBLIC 15 CLASSIFIED DOCUMENTS ON THE ORIGINS AND PLANNING OF SUPPORT FOR THE REBELS FIGHTING THE LEFTIST NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT. THE PAPERS COVER OPERATIONS APPROVED BY PRESIDENT REAGAN BETWEEN AUG. 6; 1981 AND AUG. 6; 1982.

U.S. OFFICIALS SAY THOSE WHO OBJECT MOST VIGOROUSLY TO U.S. POLICIES SELDOM OFFER ALTERNATE SUGGESTIONS FOR CONTAINING THE SANDINISTAS.

REAGAN; CITING NICARAGUA'S ARMS BUILDUP AND ITS CLOSE MILITARY AND POLITICAL TIES WITH SOVIET BLOC COUNTRIES; HAS PREDICTED A REVOLUTIONARY UPHEAVAL EXTENDING THROUGHOUT CENTRAL AMERICA AND INTO MEXICO IF NOTHING IS DONE TO CHECK THE SANDINISTAS.

BUT THERE IS LITTLE POLITICAL SUPPORT FOR DIRECT U.S. MILITARY INVOLVEMENT IN NICARAGUA; LEAVING OFFICIALS WITH THE PROBLEM OF FINDING OTHER WAYS TO COUNTER THE PERCEIVED MARXIST FOOTHOLD IN CENTRAL AMERICA.

THE ADMINISTRATION STRATEGY HAS TAKEN A NUMBER OF DIFFERENT FORMS. HOW EFFECTIVE IT HAS BEEN IN PROMOTING U.S. INTERESTS IN THE REGION IS UNCLEAR BUT OFFICIALS CONCEDE THERE HAVE BEEN POLITICAL COSTS TO THE ADMINISTRATION BOTH DOMESTICALLY AND INTERNATIONALLY.

THE CIA MANUAL; WHICH OFFERS ADVICE TO NICARAGUAN REBELS ON POLITICAL ASSASSINATION; MOB VIOLENCE AND OTHER ACTIVITIES; HAS GENERATED A GREATER FUROR THAN PREVIOUS U.S. EFFORTS TO TAME THE SANDINISTAS BECAUSE IT APPEARS TO CONTRADICT A HALLOWED BENCHMARK OF PRESIDENT REAGAN'S FOREIGN POLICY: OPPOSITION TO STATE-SPONSORED TERRORISM.

EDGAR CHAMORRO; CHIEF OF PROPAGANDA FOR THE U.S.-BACKED NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC FORCE SAID SATURDAY IN A TELEPHONE INTERVIEW FROM MIAMI; FLA.; THAT HE KNEW OF NO SPECIFIC CASE IN WHICH MATERIAL FROM THE MANUAL LED DIRECTLY TO A KILLING.

BUT HE SAID: ''WE HAVE TAKEN TONNS AND OUR MEN HAVE HAD TO KILL OFFICIALS OF THE SANDINISTA GOVERNMENT.''

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ADMINISTRATION'S PRIVATE AND PUBLIC POLICIES ON THE TERRORISM ISSUE WERE IN HARMONY. REAGAN SIGNED AN EXECUTIVE ORDER ASSERTING THAT NO U.S. GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE ''SHALL ENGAGE IN OR CONSPIRE TO ENGAGE IN ASSASSINATION.''

THE ORDER ADDS THAT NO INTELLIGENCE AGENCY ''SHALL PARTICIPATE IN OR REQUEST ANY PERSON TO UNDERTAKE ACTIVITIES FORBIDDEN BY THIS ORDER.'' ON THURSDAY; REAGAN ORDERED TWO INVESTIGATIONS INTO WHETHER THE CIA ACTED IMPROPERLY IN PREPARING THE MANUAL.

A SECRET DEFENSE INTELLIGENCE AGENCY REPORT; DATED JULY 16; 1982; REPORTED THAT DURING THE PRECEDING SEVERAL MONTHS; NICARAGUAN REBELS HAD ENGAGED IN ''THE ASSASSINATION OF MINOR GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND A CUBAN ADVISER.'' THE REPORT LINKED ONE REBEL GROUP; THE 15 SEPTEMBER LEGION; TO SEVERAL AIRLINE ATTACKS AND DESCRIBED THE GROUP AS ''TERRORIST.''

THE DEMOCRATS HAVE SEIZED ON THE ISSUE; WITH SOME DEMANDING THE IMMEDIATE DISMISSAL OF CIA DIRECTOR WILLIAM CASEY.

THE ADMINISTRATION ALSO FOUND ITSELF ON THE DEFENSIVE LAST SPRING WHEN; FOLLOWING THE DISCLOSURE THAT THE UNITED STATES HAD BEEN ENGAGED IN THE MINING OF NICARAGUAN HARBORS; THE SANDINISTA GOVERNMENT TOOK ITS CASE TO THE WORLD COURT.

THE COURT HAS YET TO DECIDE WHETHER IT HAS JURISDICTION IN THE CASE BUT THE ADMINISTRATION SERVED NOTICE AT THE OUTSET OF THE PROCEEDINGS THAT IT WOULD NOT ABIDE BY THE COURT'S VERDICT OVER ANY CENTRAL AMERICAN DISPUTE FOR A PERIOD OF TWO YEARS. DEMOCRATS; INCLUDING PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE WALTER MONDALE; SAID THE DECISION WAS AN ABDICATION OF THE ADMINISTRATION'S RESPONSIBILITY TO RESPECT THE COURT'S AUTHORITY.

U.S. SUPPORT FOR NICARAGUA'S ANTI-GOVERNMENT ''CONTRAS'' ALSO APPEARS TO BE IN DIRECT VIOLATION OF THE ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN STATES CHARTER; WHICH EXPRESSLY FORBIDS INTERFERENCE IN THE INTERNAL AFFAIRS OF ANOTHER COUNTRY ''FOR ANY REASON WHATSOEVER.''

ADMINISTRATION OFFICIALS MAINTAIN NICARAGUA VIOLATED THE CHARTER INITIALLY BY FUNNELING ARMS AND AMMUNITION TO LEFTIST FORCES IN EL SALVADOR. PRIVATELY; OFFICIALS HAVE SAD THEY REJECTED SUGGESTIONS THAT THEY SEEK REDRESS AGAINST NICARAGUA IN THE OAS BECAUSE OF A LACK OF POLITICAL WILL FOR SUCH ACTION IN THAT ORGANIZATION.

WELL BEFORE THE ASSOCIATED PRESS DISCLOSED THE EXISTENCE OF THE CIA MANUAL LAST WEEK; CONGRESSIONAL DEMOCRATS HAD BEEN RAISING QUESTIONS ABOUT THE LEGALITY OF OTHER CIA ACTIVITIES IN NICARAGUA.

CIA FUNDING OF THE CONTRAS EXPIRED IN MAY BUT THE HOUSE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE IS CONDUCTING AN INQUIRY INTO WHETHER A CONTINUING CIA ROLE IN ADVISING THE REBELS IS CONSISTENT WITH LEGAL REQUIREMENTS.

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IN ADDITION, SOME SENATORS AND HOUSE MEMBERS HAVE QUESTIONED THE LEGALITY OF THE REPORTED CIA ROLE IN SUPPLYING THE INSURGENTS WITH THREE SMALL O-2A PLANES AFTER THE $24 MILLION IN CONGRESSIONAL AID TO THE REBELS HAD RUN OUT.

DURING THE FIRST YEAR OF THE ADMINISTRATION, NICARAGUA COMPLAINED VIGOROUSLY ABOUT THE EXISTENCE OF CAMPS IN FLORIDA AND ELSEWHERE WHICH WERE BEING USED TO TRAIN CONTRA FORCES.

THE TRAINING APPEARED TO VIOLATE PROHIBITIONS ON THE USE OF U.S. TERRITORY FOR MILITARY ACTION AGAINST COUNTRIES WITH WHICH THE UNITED STATES IS NOT AT WAR. AT THE TIME, THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID VIOLATORS OF THE STATUTE WOULD BE PROSECUTED BUT OFFICIALS WERE UNABLE TO RECALL LAST WEEK WHETHER ANYONE HAD BEEN CONVICTED.

EDITOR'S NOTE: WASHINGTON-BASED AP STAFFER GEORGE GEDDA HAS BEEN COVERING BEEN COVERING LATIN AMERICAN AFFAIRS SINCE 1975.

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CIA official said to reveal killings by 'contras'

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WASHINGTON — A high-ranking CIA official told congressional staff members that CIA-supported *contras* killed many middle- and lower-level government officials and civilians in Nicaragua, according to congressional sources with access to classified information.

The disclosure of the killings was made during a secret briefing late last year for senior staff members of the House intelligence committee.

Those killed included "civilians and Sandinista officials in the provinces, as well as heads of cooperatives, nurses, doctors and judges," according to a source familiar with the briefing.

The CIA official, Dewey Claridge, former head of the CIA's clandestine operations in Latin America, insisted that such killings did not violate a 1981 executive order signed by President Reagan forbidding political assassinations.

"After all, this is a war — a paramilitary operation," Claridge was quoted as saying by one person who was present. The account of the briefing was confirmed by two other sources.

When asked for comment on the Claridge briefing, a CIA spokesman said the agency would have none.

Disclosure of the briefing added fuel to a growing controversy over a CIA manual given to the *contras* that provides detailed instructions on techniques for assassination, blackmail and kidnapping.

The manual was prepared last year, when Claridge was handling clandestine Latin American operations. Claridge has since been assigned to another high CIA position, but the agency would not disclose his new title.

Reagan has ordered two investigations into whether the CIA acted improperly in preparing the manual, whose existence was disclosed earlier this week by the Associated Press. One investigation is to be made by the CIA itself, the other by the President's Intelligence Oversight Board.

Reagan's Democratic opponent in the coming election, Walter F. Mondale, described the manual yesterday as "dirty work" and demanded the resignation of CIA Director William J. Casey. Mondale contended that Casey had failed to enforce laws that prohibit government agencies from participating in assassinations.

In his briefing, one source said, Claridge told the committee staff members "that there were no rules, no restrictions and no restraints at all on what the *contras* did inside Nicaragua." The *contras*, or counter-revolutionaries, are fighting to oust the Sandinista government of Nicaragua.

Claridge said that the term *assassination*, by the CIA's definition, did not apply to killings in Nicaragua.

He said that "these events don't constitute assassinations because as far as we are concerned assassinations are only those of heads of state," the source quoted Claridge as saying. "I leave definitions to the politicians."

The wording of Reagan's order, signed Dec. 4, 1981, did not appear to restrict the ban on assassinations to high-level officials but seemed to be a blanket ban.

In part, it said: "No person employed by or acting on behalf of the U.S. government shall engage in or conspire to engage in assassinations."

An underlying question in a burgeoning series of investigations, some by the administration and others by Congress, clearly will be whether Reagan's massive buildup of CIA covert operations has gotten out of control.

The White House said Thursday that Reagan knew nothing of the manual until he read about it in the newspapers, and White House officials suggested that it was the work of "an overzealous free lance," a low-level independent employee working under CIA contract.

One congressional source with access to classified information, however, described the White House explanation as "just B.S."

"The standard CIA practice is to contract out a lot of publications and manuals for covert actions because no one at Langley [CIA headquarters in Virginia] sits at an IBM terminal writing manuals for guerrillas," the source said.

Several former well-placed government officials said they found it hard to believe that high government officials could be unaware of policies endorsed in such a document.

Asked whether the President was concerned that he might not have been briefed about "what was going on," White House spokesman Larry Speakes advised reporters to await the results of investigations before drawing conclusions.

The congressional source who described the Claridge briefing said, "I believe the White House when they say Reagan didn't know about the manual. ... But I'm sure that other people, high-level people ... certainly knew about it probably because they approved it. They must have known."

House Speaker Thomas P. O'Neill Jr. (D., Mass.) on Thursday called for Casey's resignation soon after hearing of the manual. He asserted that the kind of internal investigation ordered by the White House was bound to be a "whitewash."

The draft of the manual disclosed by the Associated Press, 44 pages in its English translation, advises the anti-Sandinista guerrillas in Nicaragua to execute selected government officials publicly, arrange the shooting deaths of fellow members so as to create "martyrs," and blackmail ordinary citizens into working for the guerrillas.

These kinds of measures, the manual said, should help to increase public support for the anti-Sandinista movement.

Leaders of the Nicaraguan guerrillas have been quoted as saying that passages urging assassinations or kidnappings were deleted from most of the manuals before they were distributed to guerrilla forces.

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Rep. Edward P. Boland (D., Mass.), chairman of the House intelligence committee, asserted on Thursday that the manual proved that the administration's motives in Nicaragua have not been, as the administration has contended, to halt arms shipments to Salvadoran guerrillas.

"The war is an effort to overthrow the Sandinistas," Boland said.

The so-called covert aid that the CIA has been giving the *contras* has been a matter of contention between Congress and the White House for at least two years. Most recently, funds for continued aid were cut off by Congress earlier this month.

The Inquirer's Washington Bureau said in April that low-level assassinations by U.S. personnel, or U.S.-supported personnel, were a distinct possibility in Central America.

A congressional source was quoted at the time as saying: "Some of our people may have to be a part of low-level assassinations and will have to keep their mouths shut to protect their cover."

The Reagan administration has made a major effort to build up clandestine services of the CIA since taking office in 1981, but, as has been always true with the CIA, has declined to make details public.

Officials have confirmed, however, that at least 800 staff positions in clandestine services that were cut during the Carter administration have been restored.

Various estimates have been made on the number of CIA agents assigned to the management of the so-called secret war by the *contras* against the Sandinistas, but no official figures have been available.

One responsible source has estimated the figure at 150. The CIA budget assigned to clandestine services has increased from about 2 or 3 percent of the overall CIA budget to about 10 percent, according to sources, although the CIA budget is classified.

Reaction to disclosure of the CIA manual reverberated throughout Washington yesterday.

The Senate intelligence committee called a hearing Monday and invited Casey to testify. The hearing is to be closed.

Speakes said that Reagan had not talked to Casey about the possibility of his stepping aside and that Casey had not offered to do so.

Inquirer Washington Bureau reporters David Hess and Charles Green also contributed to this article.

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NICARAGUA-MANUAL (TOPS N013)
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''IN GUERRILLA WAR, IF YOU HAVE TO EXACT JUSTICE IMMEDIATELY, SOMETIMES YOU HAVE TO DO IT,'' HE SAID. ''WE DON'T HAVE JAILS. WE ARE IN THE JUNGLE.''
HE ALSO CHARGED THAT THE NICARAGUAN SANDINISTA GOVERNMENT HAS KILLED CAPTURED REBELS AND REBEL SUPPORTERS.
THE DEMOCRATIC FORCE, KNOWN BY ITS SPANISH INITIALS FDN, CLAIMS ABOUT 12,000 TROOPS WHO HAVE BEEN FIGHTING THE LEFTIST NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT FOR THE PAST THREE YEARS. THE LARGEST OF SEVERAL CIA-SUPPORTED REBEL GROUPS, THE FDN IS BASED IN HONDURAS.
CHAMORRO, DURING A TELEPHONE INTERVIEW WITH THE ASSOCIATED PRESS FROM MIAMI, ALSO SAID A PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE MANUAL -- PRODUCED BY THE CIA AND RECOMMENDING ''SELECTIVE USE OF VIOLENCE'' TO ''NEUTRALIZE'' OFFICIALS -- WAS DISTRIBUTED TO REBEL TROOPS INSIDE NICARAGUA.
CHAMORRO, HOWEVER, SAID HE KNEW OF NO SPECIFIC CASE IN WHICH MATERIAL FROM THE MANUAL LED DIRECTLY TO A KILLING. HE ALSO SAID TWO OTHER PARTS OF THE MANUAL -- CALLING FOR HIRING OF PROFESSIONAL CRIMINALS TO CARRY OUT ''SELECTIVE JOBS'' AND CREATION OF A ''MARTYR'' FOR THE CAUSE -- WERE REMOVED BEFORE MOST OF THE BOOKS WERE SENT OUT.
THE EXISTENCE OF THE 90-PAGE MANUAL WAS REPORTED BY THE AP ONE WEEK AGO, AND PRESIDENT REAGAN ORDERED TWO ADMINISTRATION INVESTIGATIONS INTO ITS PRODUCTION ON THURSDAY. SOME LEADING DEMOCRATS HAVE DEMANDED INDEPENDENT PROBES AND THE FIRING OF CIA DIRECTOR WILLIAM J. CASEY.

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IN ANNOUNCING THE INVESTIGATIONS, THE WHITE HOUSE DECLARED THAT THE ADMINISTRATION ''HAS NOT ADVOCATED OR CONDONED POLITICAL ASSASSINATION,'' AND CITED A DEC. 4, 1981 EXECUTIVE ORDER SIGNED BY REAGAN BARRING U.S. INVOLVEMENT IN ASSASSINATIONS.

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THE INFORMATION WAS CONTAINED IN A DIA WEEKLY INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY THAT CIRCULATES AMONG TOP ADMINSTRATION OFFICIALS. ITS EXISTENCE WAS FIRST REPORTED BY THE AP ON AUG. 22, 1983, AFTER A COPY WAS OBTAINED AND INDEPENDENTLY VERIFIED BY TWO U.S. GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS.

IN SATURDAY'S PHONE INTERVIEW, CHAMORRO SAID THAT: ''WE HAVE TAKEN TOWNS AND OUR MEN HAVE HAD TO KILL OFFICIALS OF THE SANDINISTA GOVERNMENT.'' HE SAID SUCH EXECUTIONS ARE BY ORDER OF THE LOCAL REBEL COMMANDER AFTER CONSULTATION WITH TOWNSPEOPLE. IN THE SECTION OF THE CIA MANUAL ON ''SELECTIVE USE OF VIOLENCE,'' THE MANUAL ADVISES CALLING VILLAGERS TOGETHER TO VOICE COMPLAINTS AGAINST SPECIFIC OFFICIALS BEFORE STEPS ARE TAKEN TO ''NEUTRALIZE'' THEM. IN THE MANUAL, ''NEUTRALIZE'' IS NOT DEFINED.

''IT HAS BEEN OUR PRACTICE TO KILL PEOPLE WHO ARE CRIMINALS WHO FALL INTO OUR HANDS,'' CHAMORRO SAID. HE SAID HE COULD NOT GIVE AN ESTIMATE OF HOW MANY OFFICIALS HAD BEEN KILLED.

AS AN EXAMPLE, HE SAID THAT IN MID-DECEMBER 1983, THE REBELS CAPTURED THE TOWN OF PANTASMA IN NORTHERN NICARAGUA AND THE COMMANDER EXECUTED THREE PERSONS AFTER THEY HAD BEEN POINTED OUT BY THE TOWNSPEOPLE AS ''CRIMINALS.''

CHAMORRO ALSO SAID THE REBELS HAVE AT TIMES EXECUTED CAPTURED NICARAGUAN SOLDIERS ALTHOUGH ADDING THAT A MILITARY CODE OF ETHICS HAS BEEN ADOPTED THAT ENCOURAGES THE RELEASE OF CAPTIVES AFTER THEY ARE INTERROGATED AND IF THEY REFUSE TO JOIN THE REBELS.

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WASHINGTON (UPI) -- WALTER MONDALE SAID SATURDAY THAT "WITH AMERICANS LOSING THEIR LIVES IN CENTRAL AMERICA," VOTERS WATCHING THE PRESIDENTIAL DEBATE SUNDAY SHOULD ASK, "WHERE ARE WE HEADED NEXT?"

THE DEMOCRATIC PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEE MADE THE COMMENT A DAY AFTER FOUR AMERICAN CIA EMPLOYEES WERE KILLED IN A PLANE CRASH IN EL SALVADOR. A REBEL GROUP FIGHTING THE EL SALVADOR GOVERNMENT CLAIMED ITS FORCES SHOT THE PLANE DOWN.

MONDALE ALSO NOTED THE CONTROVERSY OVER A CIA BOOKLET ADVISING REBELS IN NICARAGUA HOW TO UNDERMINE THE MARXIST GOVERNMENT THERE. THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION SUPPORTS THE REBELS IN NICARAGUA AND OPPOSES THE REBELS IN EL SALVADOR.

"THERE'S AN ILLEGAL WAR GOING ON IN NICARAGUA NOW, AND OVER THE EXPLICIT OBJECTION OF THE CONGRESS, THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION HAS TRAINED GUERRILLAS TO OVERTHROW THE NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT," SAID MONDALE, IN HIS WEEKLY PAID POLITICAL RADIO ADDRESS. "AND JUST THIS WEEK, WE ALL READ ABOUT THE ADMINISTRATION'S TRAINING MANUAL OFFERING ADVICE ON SABOTAGE AND MURDER."

NOTING THAT THE WHITE HOUSE HAS SAID REAGAN KNEW NOTHING ABOUT THE MANUAL, MONDALE SAID, "I DON'T KNOW WHICH POSSIBILITY IS WORSE -- A PRESIDENT WHO DOESN'T KNOW WHAT HIS GOVERNMENT IS DOING OR A PRESIDENT KNOWING OF THIS ILLEGAL ACTION AND APPROVING IT."

MONDALE AGAIN CALLED ON REAGAN TO FIRE CIA DIRECTOR WILLIAM CASEY BECAUSE OF THE AGENCY MANUAL AND ADDED, "I REPEAT THE CENTRAL QUESTIONS OF THE DEBATE: WHO IS MAKING THESE DECISIONS ABOUT AMERICAN FOREIGN POLICY? WHO'S IN CHARGE? WITH AMERICANS LOSING THEIR LIVES IN CENTRAL AMERICA, WHERE ARE WE HEADED NEXT?"

MONDALE REPEATED HIS ALLEGATIONS THAT MUCH MORE COULD HAVE BEEN DONE TO AVOID THE ATTACKS ON U.S. MARINES IN LEBANON AND HE AGAIN CRITICIZED REAGAN FOR THE FEDERAL BUDGET DEFICIT AND FOR FAILING TO MASTER KNOWLEDGE OF NUCLEAR ARMS.

"AMERICANS DESERVE A PRESIDENT WHO'LL DO THE WORK, LEARN THE FACTS, DECIDE, COMMAND AND LEAD," MONDALE SAID. "ON SUNDAY, YOU'LL HAVE A CHANCE TO MEASURE US AGAINST THAT STANDARD."

MONDALE AND REAGAN WILL MEET IN A TELEVISED FOREIGN POLICY DEBATE AT 9 P.M. EDT SUNDAY IN KANSAS CITY, MO.

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DEMOCRATS STEP UP CALLS FOR CASEY OUSTER
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WASHINGTON (UPI) -- ON THE EVE OF THE PRESIDENTIAL DEBATE ON FOREIGN POLICY, DEMOCRATS SATURDAY INCREASED PRESSURE ON THE WHITE HOUSE TO OUST CIA DIRECTOR WILLIAM CASEY BECAUSE OF THE AGENCY'S ASSASSINATIONS MANUAL FOR NICARAGUAN REBELS.

DEMOCRATIC PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEE WALTER MONDALE RENEWED HIS CALL FOR PRESIDENT REAGAN TO FIRE CASEY, A REQUEST THAT ALSO HAS BEEN MADE BY HOUSE SPEAKER THOMAS O'NEILL, D-MASS., AND DEMOCRATIC REPS. GEORGE MILLER OF CALIFORNIA AND JAMES SHANNON OF MASSACHUSETTS.

REAGAN HAS NOT COMMENTED ON CASEY DIRECTLY SINCE CALLS FOR HIS DISMISSAL BEGAN THIS WEEK AND WHITE HOUSE STATEMENTS ON THE MATTER HAVE STOPPED SHORT OF SAYING THE PRESIDENT RETAINS CONFIDENCE IN CASEY.

WHEN ASKED SATURDAY IF THE PRESIDENT WOULD FIRE HIS CIA DIRECTOR, DEPUTY WHITE HOUSE PRESS SECRETARY ROBERT SIMS REPLIED, "I DON'T THINK THE PRESIDENT HAS GIVEN ANY CONSIDERATION WHATSOEVER TO THAT."

VICE PRESIDENT GEORGE BUSH WAS ASKED A SIMILAR QUESTION FRIDAY AND SAID REAGAN HAD MADE THE RIGHT DECISION IN INVESTIGATING THE ISSUE FIRST SO HE COULD "THEN TAKE APPROPRIATE ACTION."

NEITHER THE CIA NOR THE STATE DEPARTMENT WOULD COMMENT ON THE MATTER SATURDAY.

AT ISSUE IS A 90-PAGE CIA MANUAL THAT INSTRUCTS REBELS FIGHTING THE SANDINISTA GOVERNMENT IN NICARAGUA ON WAYS TO WIN POPULAR SUPPORT. IT INCLUDES A SECTION ON "SELECTIVE USE OF VIOLENCE" THAT OUTLINES WAYS TO "NEUTRALIZE CAREFULLY SELECTED AND PLANNED TARGETS, SUCH AS COURT JUDGES ... POLICE AND STATE SECURITY OFFICIALS."

MONDALE DISCUSSED THE MANUAL IN HIS PAID POLITICAL RADIO ADDRESS SATURDAY, SAYING, "JUST THIS WEEK WE ALL READ ABOUT THE ADMINISTRATION'S TRAINING MANUAL OFFERING ADVICE ON SABOTAGE AND MURDER. AND WHAT HAS BEEN THE WHITE HOUSE REACTION? THE PRESIDENT DIDN'T KNOW ABOUT IT."

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"YESTERDAY, I CALLED ON MR. REAGAN TO FIRE THE DIRECTOR OF THE CIA," MONDALE SAID. "TODAY I REPEAT THAT CHALLENGE."

MONDALE MADE CLEAR HE WOULD QUESTION REAGAN ABOUT THE MATTER DURING THEIR FOREIGN POLICY DEBATE SUNDAY NIGHT IN KANSAS CITY, MO.

MONDALE'S RUNNING MATE, GERALDINE FERRARO, SAID SATURDAY THAT THE CIA MANUAL WAS "WRITTEN MORE IN THE SPIRIT OF STALIN THAN JEFFERSON" AND SHE CALLED IT "AN INSULT TO THE AMERICAN PEOPLE."

"ANYONE BELIEVING FOR ONE MINUTE THAT REFINING THE MURDER TECHNIQUES OF CENTRAL AMERICA WILL ADVANCE OUR NATIONAL INTEREST IS GRAVELY MISTAKEN," SHE SAID.

THE REBELS FOR WHOM THE BOOK WAS WRITTEN ARE KNOWN AS THE NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC FORCE. A WASHINGTON SPOKESMAN FOR THE GROUP, BOSCO MATAMOROS, SAID SATURDAY THAT "SOMETHING LIKE 200" OF THE BOOKLETS HAD BEEN PRINTED.

"THE BOOK WAS AN ANALYSIS BY A PRIVATE INDIVIDUAL," MATAMOROS SAID. "WE NEVER PUT IT INTO PRACTICE. WE REJECT IT AND DENOUNCE IT."

BUT ANOTHER TOP MEMBER OF THE REBEL GROUP, EDGAR CHAMORRO, TOLD SEVERAL NEWSPAPERS THAT HE HAD RECEIVED 2,000 COPIES OF THE MANUAL LATE IN 1983 WHEN HE WAS PROPAGANDA CHIEF FOR THE GROUP.

THE WASHINGTON POST QUOTED CHAMORRO AND OTHER REBEL SOURCES SAYING THE MANUAL WAS WRITTEN BY A "HARD-DRINKING, KOREAN AND VIETNAM WAR VETERAN WHO CALLS HIMSELF JOHN KIRKPATRICK."

CHAMORRO, WHO LIVES IN MIAMI, SAID KIRKPATRICK WAS FRIENDLY WITH OTHER CIA EMPLOYEES AND TRAVELED FREQUENTLY TO THE UNITED STATES.

REAGAN HAS ORDERED THE CIA TO INVESTIGATE THE MATTER TO SEE IF THERE WAS IMPROPER CONDUCT BY ANY OF ITS EMPLOYEES. TWO MEMBERS OF CONGRESS, REPS. MILLER AND THOMAS DOWNEY, D-N.Y., HAVE ASKED THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT TO SEE IF A SPECIAL PROSECUTOR SHOULD BE APPOINTED.

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''IN GUERRILLA WAR; IF YOU HAVE TO EXACT JUSTICE IMMEDIATELY; SOMETIMES YOU HAVE TO DO IT;'' HE SAID. ''WE DON'T HAVE JAILS. WE ARE IN THE JUNGLE.''

HE ALSO CHARGED THAT THE NICARAGUAN SANDINISTA GOVERNMENT HAS KILLED CAPTURED REBELS AND REBEL SUPPORTERS.

THE DEMOCRATIC FORCE; KNOWN BY ITS SPANISH INITIALS FDN; SAYS IT HAS ABOUT 12;000 TROOPS WHO HAVE BEEN FIGHTING THE LEFTIST NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT FOR THE PAST THREE YEARS. THE LARGEST OF SEVERAL CIA-SUPPORTED REBEL GROUPS; THE FDN IS BASED IN HONDURAS.

CHAMORRO; DURING A TELEPHONE INTERVIEW WITH THE ASSOCIATED PRESS FROM MIAMI; ALSO SAID A PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE MANUAL - PRODUCED BY THE CIA AND RECOMMENDING ''SELECTIVE USE OF VIOLENCE'' TO ''NEUTRALIZE'' OFFICIALS - WAS DISTRIBUTED TO REBEL TROOPS INSIDE NICARAGUA.

CHAMORRO; HOWEVER; SAID HE KNEW OF NO SPECIFIC CASE IN WHICH MATERIAL FROM THE MANUAL LED DIRECTLY TO A KILLING. HE ALSO SAID TWO OTHER PARTS OF THE MANUAL - CALLING FOR HIRING OF PROFESSIONAL CRIMINALS TO CARRY OUT ''SELECTIVE JOBS'' AND CREATION OF A ''MARTYR'' FOR THE CAUSE - WERE REMOVED BEFORE MOST OF THE BOOKS WERE SENT OUT.

THE EXISTENCE OF THE 90-PAGE MANUAL WAS REPORTED BY THE AP ONE WEEK AGO; AND PRESIDENT REAGAN ORDERED TWO ADMINISTRATION INVESTIGATIONS INTO ITS PRODUCTION ON THURSDAY. SOME LEADING DEMOCRATS HAVE DEMANDED INDEPENDENT PROBES AND THE FIRING OF CIA DIRECTOR WILLIAM J. CASEY.

IN ANNOUNCING THE INVESTIGATIONS; THE WHITE HOUSE DECLARED THAT THE ADMINISTRATION ''HAS NOT ADVOCATED OR CONDONED POLITICAL ASSASSINATION;'' AND CITED A DEC. 4; 1981 EXECUTIVE ORDER SIGNED BY REAGAN BARRING U.S. INVOLVEMENT IN ASSASSINATIONS.

A SECRET DEFENSE INTELLIGENCE AGENCY REPORT; DATED JULY 16; 1982; REPORTED THAT DURING THE PRECEDING SEVERAL MONTHS; NICARAGUAN REBELS HAD ENGAGED IN ''THE ASSASSINATION OF MINOR GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND A CUBAN ADVISER.'' THE REPORT LINKED ONE REBEL GROUP; THE 15 SEPTEMBER LEGION; TO SEVERAL AIRLINE ATTACKS AND DESCRIBED THE GROUP AS ''TERRORIST.''

THE INFORMATION WAS CONTAINED IN A DIA WEEKLY INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY THAT CIRCULATES AMONG TOP ADMINSTRATION OFFICIALS. ITS EXISTENCE WAS

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THE SANDINISTA GOVERNMENT HAS OFTEN ALLEGED THAT THE CIA-BACKED REBELS HAVE ASSASSINATED AND KIDNAPPED OFFICIALS AND TOWNSPEOPLE SYMPATHETIC TO THE GOVERNMENT WHEN THEY ATTACK VILLAGES.

ACCORDING TO A NEW STUDY BY THE COUNCIL ON HEMISPHERIC AFFAIRS - A LIBERAL, WASHINGTON-BASED RESEARCH GROUP THAT IS CRITICAL OF U.S. POLICY IN CENTRAL AMERICA - NICARAGUAN REBEL GROUPS HAVE MURDERED 876 CIVILIANS SINCE 1980, WITH THE HEAVIEST TOLL OCCURRING IN 1983 WHEN 605 CIVILIANS WERE ALLEGEDLY SLAIN.

THE STUDY WAS BASED ON DATA FROM THE NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT, AND IT WAS IMPOSSIBLE TO VERIFY THE FIGURES.

IN A 1983 HOUSE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE REPORT, REP. DAVE MCCURDY, D-OKLA., CITED THE KILLING OF A WEST GERMAN DOCTOR, GEORG PFLAUM, AND 12 NICARAGUAN MEDICAL ASSISTANTS ON APRIL 30, 1983, AS PROVING ''ALL TOO CONVINCINGLY THAT (REBEL MILITARY) ACTIVITY IS NOT BEING RESTRICTED TO MILITARY TARGETS.''

ALSO, IN MID-1983, LISA FITZGERALD, AN AMERICAN NUN AND FORMER ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL IN MASSACHUSETTS, RETURNED FROM NICARAGUA AND TOLD THE HOUSE COMMITTEE THAT ANTI-SANDINISTA REBELS OFTEN TARGETED RELIGIOUS OFFICIALS, HEALTH WORKERS, TEACHERS AND DOCTORS FOR ASSASSINATION.

SUCH REPORTS PROMPTED THE HOUSE COMMITTEE TO URGE THE CIA TO STOP THE REBELS FROM ATTACKING CIVILIANS.

IN THE INTERVIEW, CHAMORRO ALSO SAID THE PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE MANUAL, PRODUCED LAST OCTOBER AND NOVEMBER, WAS WRITTEN BY AN AMERICAN ADVISER WHO CALLED HIMSELF JOHN FITZGERALD AND THAT FITZGERALD PROVIDED MONEY FOR ITS PUBLICATION. CHAMORRO SAID HE WAS NOT AWARE THAT FITZGERALD, KNOWN AS ''JUANITO'' TO THE REBELS, WAS EMPLOYED BY THE CIA.

THE ADMINISTRATION HAS SAID THE MANUAL WAS THE WORK OF A LOW-LEVEL CIA CONTRACT EMPLOYEE WHO PRODUCED THE BOOK WITHOUT APPROVAL FROM SUPERIORS.

OVER THE PRESIDENT'S OBJECTIONS, CONGRESS VOTED EARLIER THIS MONTH TO CUT OFF CIA AID TO THE REBELS, AT LEAST UNTIL FEB. 28, AND THEN PERMIT IT ONLY IF APPROVED BY BOTH THE HOUSE AND SENATE.

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THE WEEK IN REVIEW

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WASHINGTON - PUBLICATION OF THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY'S PRIMER ON GUERRILLA WARFARE IN NICARAGUA LAST WEEK REVIVED THE NATIONAL DEBATE OVER WHETHER THE AGENCY IS OPERATING OUT OF CONTROL. FOUR INVESTIGATIONS OF THE AGENCY HAVE BEEN ANNOUNCED. THE BOOKLET, WRITTEN FOR THE ANTI-SANDINISTA REBELS, PROVIDES ADVICE ON PUBLIC EXECUTIONS OF GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS; ON ARRANGING THE DEATHS OF ANTI-SANDINISTA COLLEAGUES SO THEY WILL BECOME ''MARTYRS;'' AND ON BLACKMAILING NICARAGUANS TO GET THEM TO WORK FOR THE REBELS.

FOR THREE DAYS AFTER THE PRIMER BECAME PUBLIC, THE WHITE HOUSE REFUSED TO DISCUSS IT. THEN ON THURSDAY, THE HOUSE SPEAKER, THOMAS P. O'NEILL JR., CALLED ON THE DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE, WILLIAM J. CASEY TO RESIGN ''FORTHWITH;'' ASSERTING THAT CASEY ''HAS PERMITTED THE RULE OF LAW TO BE FLOUTED BY HIS SUBORDINATES.'' THE SAME DAY, THE WHITE HOUSE DECLARED THAT THE ADMINISTRATION ''HAS NOT ADVOCATED OR CONDONED POLITICAL ASSASSINATION.'' A WHITE HOUSE SPOKESMAN ANNOUNCED SEPARATE INVESTIGATIONS TO BE CONDUCTED BY THE CIA INSPECTOR GENERAL AND THE AGENCY'S OVERSIGHT BOARD. THE HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE AND THE GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE ARE CONDUCTING THEIR OWN INQUIRIES. ON FRIDAY, WALTER F. MONDALE, THE DEMOCRATIC PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE, CALLED ON PRESIDENT REAGAN TO DISMISS CASEY.

THE HOUSE INQUIRY IS EXPECTED TO EXAMINE BROAD ISSUES GOING BEYOND THE PROPRIETY OF PUBLISHING INSTRUCTIONS ON ASSASSINATION. REP. EDWARD P. BOLAND, THE MASSACHUSETTS DEMOCRAT WHO IS CHAIRMAN OF THE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE, SAID THE PRIMER ''OFFERS PROOF'' THAT THE ADMINISTRATION HAS BEEN COVERING UP THE PURPOSE OF THE WAR IN NICARAGUA. ALTHOUGH ''ADMINISTRATION OFFICIALS HAVE ALWAYS DENIED THIS;'' BOLAND WROTE IN A LETTER TO REP. THOMAS J. DOWNEY, D-N.Y., ''THE SECRET WAR IN NICARAGUA IS NOT DIRECTED AGAINST SANDINISTA ARMS SHIPMENTS TO SALVADORAN GUERRILLAS.'' THE ADMINISTRATION HAS REPEATEDLY SAID THAT ITS PURPOSE IN NICARAGUA IS TO STOP THE SANDINISTA GOVERNMENT FROM SPREADING INSURGENCY THROUGHOUT THE REGION. BOLAND SAID THE PRIMER DEMONSTRATES THAT ''THE WAR IS AN EFFORT TO OVERTHROW THE NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT.'' AGREEING, O'NEILL ACCUSED THE PRESIDENT OF ''HIDING BEHIND THE BRINGING OF GUNS AND SUPPLIES INTO EL SALVADOR'' WHEN ''IT'S OBVIOUS THAT ISN'T SO WHATSOEVER. HE WANTS A CHANGE IN THE GOVERNMENT OF NICARAGUA.''

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THE PRIMER DOES NOT MENTION OTHER CENTRAL AMERICAN COUNTRIES. IT SAYS; IN FACT; THAT THE GUERRILLA MOVEMENT SHOULD ''ALWAYS HAVE A LOCAL FOCUS'' AND SHOULD REFER TO ''MATTERS OF INTERNATIONAL NATURE ONLY IN SUPPORT OF LOCAL EVENTS.'' THE PRIMER EXPLAINS HOW TO BUILD A GUERRILLA FORCE THAT WOULD CHANNEL THE PEOPLE INTO AN UPRISING AS PART OF THE ''STRUGGLE AGAINST THE OPPRESSIVE REGIME THAT IS IN POWER.''

ANOTHER; EVEN MORE EXPLICIT; CIA PUBLICATION - A COMIC BOOK - IS ALSO UNDER INVESTIGATION. IT OFFERS INSTRUCTION TO NICARAGUANS ON COMMITTING ACTS OF SABOTAGE. THE PURPOSE; IT SAYS; IS TO HELP ''LIBERATE NICARAGUA FROM OPPRESSION AND MISERY BY PARALYZING THE MILITARY-INDUSTRIAL COMPLEX OF THE TRAITOROUS MARXIST STATE.''

BOLAND'S COMMITTEE IS EXPECTED TO INQUIRE INTO CIA INTENTIONS IN THE NICARAGUAN WAR. BOLAND IS THE AUTHOR OF AN AMENDMENT ADDRESSING THIS ISSUE. ADOPTED BY THE HOUSE 411 TO 0 IN 1982; IT FORBIDS THE CIA TO SPEND MONEY IN NICARAGUA ''FOR THE PURPOSE OF OVERTHROWING THE GOVERNMENT OF NICARAGUA.''

THE WHITE HOUSE; MEANWHILE; SAID ITS INVESTIGATIONS WOULD SEEK TO DETERMINE IF ''THERE WERE ANY VIOLATIONS OF LAW OR POLICY AND WHETHER THERE WERE ANY MANAGERIAL DEFICIENCIES.'' ONE PERTINENT POLICY IS A PRESIDENTIAL DIRECTIVE APPROVED BY GERALD FORD AND REISSUED BY PRESIDENT REAGAN IN 1981. ''NO PERSON EMPLOYED BY OR ACTING ON BEHALF OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT SHALL ENGAGE IN OR CONSPIRE TO ENGAGE IN ASSASSINATION;'' THE DIRECTIVE SAYS. IT ADDS; ''NO AGENCY OF THE INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY SHALL PARTICIPATE IN OR REQUEST ANY PERSON TO UNDERTAKE ACTIVITIES FORBIDDEN BY THIS ORDER.'' LAST WEEK; THE WHITE HOUSE SAID A PRELIMINARY INQUIRY HAD INDICATED THAT THE PRIMER WAS WRITTEN BY A ''LOW-LEVEL CONTRACT EMPLOYEE WORKING FOR THE CIA.'' IT WAS ''A FREEWHEELING; FREE-LANCE SORT OF THING;'' A SENIOR OFFICIAL SAID.

ASKED IF ALLOWING A CONTRACT EMPLOYEE TO WORK OUT OF CONTROL OF THE AGENCY INDICATED MANAGEMENT DEFICIENCIES; THE OFFICIAL SAID: ''NO. THE FACT IS THAT IT SURFACED AND WAS CAUGHT BEFORE ANYTHING SERIOUS HAPPENED.'' THE PRIMER MADE PUBLIC WAS ''A FIRST DRAFT;'' HE ADDED; SUBSEQUENT VERSIONS DID NOT CONTAIN THE OFFENSIVE MATERIAL. BUT EDGAR CHAMORRO; A SENIOR OFFICER IN THE NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC FORCE; THE HONDURAS-BASED ANTI-SANDINISTA GUERRILLA GROUP; SAID IN A TELEPHONE INTERVIEW LAST WEEK THAT A MAN BELIEVED TO BE WORKING FOR THE CIA PREPARED THE PRIMER; WITH HELP FROM THE REBELS; AND THAT THERE WAS NO SECOND DRAFT. CHAMORRO SAID COPIES OF THE PRIMER WERE WIDELY USED FOR TRAINING AND THAT THEY INCLUDED ALL THE DETAILS NOW UNDER DEBATE. ABOUT 2;000 COPIES WERE PRINTED; HE ADDED; AND THE REBELS RIPPED TWO PAGES FROM SOME COPIES BECAUSE ''WE DIDN'T LIKE SOME OF WHAT IT SAID.'' HE ADDED; ''WE DON'T USE TERRORISM.''

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A similar directive against assassinations was issued in the 1970s during Vice President George Bush's tenure as CIA director; said Stansfield Turner; who headed the agency under President Carter.

''He originated the idea;'' Turner said of Bush in an interview on Cable News Network. ''I would think that George Bush doesn't want assassination.

''So I think the situation's out of control. Either the headquarters in Washington or the CIA doesn't have control of these people out in the field or the White House doesn't have control of the headquarters of the CIA;'' Turner said.

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tAM-FERRARO

tCalls CIA Manual Insult to American People

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AMHERST, Mass. - Before the largest crowd of her campaign so far, Geraldine A. Ferraro Saturday helped set the Democrats' tone for the presidential candidates' debate Sunday by condemning a Central Intelligence Agency manual on guerrilla warfare as ''more in the spirit of Stalin, not Jefferson.''

About 20,000 students turned out on the campus of the University of Massachusetts, a stronghold of the nuclear freeze movement, to hear the vice-presidential candidate paint a stark contrast between the foreign policies of Walter F. Mondale and President Reagan.

''Be on guard tomorrow night, your future may ride on that debate,'' she said after citing a list of misstatements she said Reagan and Bush had made in the two previous debates.

Calling the recent CIA primer on guerrilla warfare that advised Nicaraguan guerrillas how to kill and kidnap Sandinista leaders an ''insult to the American people,'' Ms. Ferraro said: ''It is written more in the spirit of Stalin, not Jefferson. It reads like Mao, not Lincoln. It reflects a dictatorship, not a freely elected government.''

The contents of the primer were disclosed last week.

''Anyone who believes for one minute that refining murder techniques of Central Americans will advance our own self-interest, is gravely mistaken,'' she said sternly. Reagan has called for an investigation of the manual and Mondale has called for the resignation of the director of central intelligence, William J. Casey.

The crowd, basking in a warm fall morning, held aloft handmade banners with such slogans as ''Give Nicaragua a Chance.''

Ms. Ferraro was appealing to the youth vote Saturday. Her campaign strategists believe she has a better chance of wresting that vote from the president than Mondale has.

There were pockets of Reagan-Bush supporters among the students but they appeared good-natured and did not seem to mind carrying their large banners well behind Ms. Ferraro.

The chancellor of the university, Joseph Duffey, is the husband of Ms. Ferraro's senior political adviser, Anne Wexler, and a former Democratic candidate for the Senate from Connecticut. He introduced the candidate, who was accompanied by her husband, John A. Zaccaro, and her 18-year-old daughter, Laura.

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TURNING TO THE NUCLEAR FREEZE MOVEMENT; WHICH SHE HAS ENDORSED AS A MEMBER OF CONGRESS; MS. FERRARO HAILED IT AS ONE OF THE HIGH POINTS OF AMERICAN HISTORY. SHE SAID IT WAS ESPECIALLY IMPORTANT UNDER AN ADMINISTRATON WHOSE NUCLEAR EXPERTS WERE ''IDEOLOGUES.''

REAGAN; SHE ASSERTED; ''SPENDS ON ARMS CONTROL - AN INCREDIBLE STATISTIC - ONE-FIFTH WHAT HE SPENDS ON MILITARY BANDS.''

''I'M ALL FOR MUSIC GUYS;'' SHE SAID; LOOKING TOWARD THE RED-UNIFORMED CAMPUS BAND; ''BUT THAT RATIO IS OUT OF TUNE WITH THE AMERICAN PEOPLE.''

LATER MS. FERRARO'S SPEECH WRITER; FRED MARTIN; SAID THAT THE 1984 BUDGET FOR THE ARMS CONTROL AND DISARMAMENT AGENCY; WAS $20 MILLION; WHICH HE SAID WAS 17 PERCENT OF THE SPENDING ON MILITARY BANDS.

THE CONGRESSWOMAN ALSO TOOK UP ONE OF THE NEW THEMES THAT MONDALE HAS BEGUN TO EMPHASIZE: THAT REAGAN'S CALL FOR A SPACE-BASED DEFENSE SYSTEM WAS UNWORKABLE.

''EVEN IF HIS 'STAR WARS' PLAN COULD INTERCEPT 99.7 PERCENT OF INCOMING WARHEADS; 25 THERMONUCLEAR WARHEADS WOULD STILL GET THROUGH;'' MS. FERRARO SAID. ''THE 25 LARGEST AMERICAN CITIES CONTAIN MORE THAN 100 MILLION AMERICANS.''

MARTIN SAID LATER THAT THIS CALCULATION WAS BASED ON A POTENTIAL STRIKE OF 8;000 WARHEADS FROM SOVIET INTERCONTINENTAL MISSILES; AND EXCLUDED ANY WARHEADS FROM CRUISE MISSILES.

MS. FERRARO LEFT AMHERST FOR APPEARANCES IN BURLINGTON; VT.; AND BANGOR; ME.

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WASHINGTON - Disclosures of possibly illegal activities by the Central Intelligence Agency in Nicaragua have raised questions in Congress about how much the White House knew about the agency's actions; members of Congress and their aides said Saturday.
A classified Defense Intelligence Agency report that drew attention last week says the American-backed Nicaraguan guerrillas were committing political assassinations as early as 1982; the year after the United States began financing their activities. An executive order signed by President Reagan in 1981 prohibits government personnel from participating in assassinations or offering assistance to assassins.
In an interview Saturday; Edgar Chamorro; one of the directors of the Nicaraguan Democratic Force; said: ''Frankly I admit we have killed people in cold blood when we have found them guilty of crimes. We do believe in the assassination of tyrants'' and ''some of the Sandinistas are tyrants in the small villages.''
The weekly defense intelligence summaries are widely distributed among intelligence officials; and the one first mentioning assassinations; dated July of 1982; has been circulated among some members of the public in Washington since last summer. It says the rebels' activities in the spring of 1982 had included ''attacks by small guerrilla bands on individual Sandinista soldiers and the assassination of minor government officials and a Cuban advisor.''
Asked on Friday if the president or his top advisors knew of the report; White House spokesman Larry Speaks said; ''No.''
The White House declined to offer further comment Saturday.In a radio address Saturday; Walter F. Mondale; the Democratic presidential nominee; said: ''Just this week; we all read about the administration's training manual offering advice on sabotage and murder. And what has been the White House reaction? The president didn't know about it.''
Sen. Daniel Patrick Moynihan; the New York Democrat who is deputy chairman of the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence; said Saturday that the word ''assassination'' printed in the report ''should have flashed off the page'' when the report was first published. ''It would appear to me that the president ought to have been informed;'' Moynihan added.
He also said he did not think the Intelligence Committee had ever seen the report; and he has asked for an explanation from the Defense Intelligence Agency.

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SIMILARLY; A WHITE HOUSE OFFICIAL SAID ON THURSDAY THAT PRESIDENT REAGAN DID NOT [redacted] CIA [redacted] NICARAGUAN REBELS TO ASSASSINATE SELECTED NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS UNTIL HE READ A NEWSPAPER STORY ABOUT IT ON WEDNESDAY. ONCE THE WHITE HOUSE DID LEARN OF THE PRIMER; THE OFFICIAL SAID; THE PRESIDENT CONDEMNED IT AND IMMEDIATELY ORDERED AND AN INVESTIGATION.

BUT THE PRIMER WAS WELL KNOWN TO AMERICAN PERSONNEL WORKING WITH THE REBELS IN HONDURAS; CHAMORRO SAID.

SOME OF THE CIA OFFICERS IN HONDURAS ''JOKED'' WITH THE CIA EMPLOYEE WHO PREPARED THE MANUAL; CHAMORRO SAID. ''THEY USED TO KID HIM A LOT;'' CHAMORRO SAID. ''THEY THOUGHT HE WAS SOMETHING OF A MAVERICK.''

STILL; CHAMORRO SAID; THE REBELS USED A SLIGHTLY EDITED VERSION OF THE MANUAL AS A TRAINING ''INSTRUCTION BOOK'' FOR MORE THAN SIX MONTHS.

''WE RIPPED TWO PAGES OUT OF IT;'' BEFORE IT WAS USED; CHAMORRO SAID. THOSE PAGES SUGGESTED HIRING CRIMINALS ''TO CARRY OUT SPECIFIC JOBS'' AND IT ADVISED THAT THE DEATH OF A REBEL SHOULD BE ARRANGED; TO CREATE A MARYTR.

''WE DIDN'T AGREE WITH THAT;'' CHAMORRO SAID; ALTHOUGH HE ADDED THAT THE SECTIONS DEALING WITH ''NEUTRALIZING'' SELECTED PUBLIC OFFICIALS WERE LEFT INTACT. TO THE REBELS; CHAMORRO SAID; THE WORD ''NEUTRALIZE'' DID NOT NECESSARILY MEAN ASSASSINATE. BUT ''WE DO HAVE TO KILL CRIMINALS AT TIMES;'' HE ADDED. ''SOME OF THE SANDINISTAS ARE CRIMINALS.''

ANOTHER REBEL LEADER; SALVADOR ICAZA; DIRECTOR OF POLITICAL EDUCATION FOR THE NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC FORCE; SAID IN AN INTERVIEW SATURDAY: ''THAT MANUAL SAID A BUNCH OF THINGS; BUT IF YOU GET THE SEARS CATALOG; YOU DON'T HAVE TO BUY EVERYTHING IN IT. WE DON'T PARTICIPATE IN TERRORISM.''

A WHITE HOUSE OFFICIAL SAID ON THURSDAY THAT THE PRIMER WAS WRITTEN BY A ''LOW-LEVEL CONTRACT EMPLOYEE'' WHO WAS ''CLEARLY OPERATING OUTSIDE THE WAY THE CIA WANTS ITS CONTRACT EMPLOYEES TO OPERATE.''

NICARAGUAN REBEL OFFICERS IDENTIFIED THE MAN AS JOHN KIRKPATRICK; A VETERAN OF THE KOREAN AND VIETNAM WARS WHO WAS KNOWN AS ''JUANITO'' TO THE REBELS.

THE WHITE HOUSE OFFICIAL SAID THAT ONCE THE PRIMER ''FLOATED UP THE SYSTEM; IT WAS NOT CONDONED.''

TWO CONGRESSIONAL INVESTIGATIONS OF THE PRIMER WERE ANNOUNCED LAST WEEK; ALONG WITH THREE OTHERS; BY THE GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE; THE CIA AND THE AGENCY'S ADVISORY BOARD. A SENIOR AIDE TO A MEMBER OF THE DEMOCRATIC CONGRESSIONAL LEADERSHIP; WHO IS FAMILIAR WITH THE INVESTIGATIONS; SAID; ''THE PART EVERYBODY IS ASKING ABOUT IS; HOW COME THE PRESIDENT DIDN'T KNOW ABOUT ANY OF THIS?'' NN

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WASHINGTON - DISCLOSURES LAST WEEK OF POSSIBLY ILLEGAL ACTIVITIES BY THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY IN NICARAGUA HAVE RAISED QUESTIONS IN CONGRESS ABOUT HOW MUCH THE WHITE HOUSE KNEW ABOUT THE AGENCY'S ACTIONS; MEMBERS OF CONGRESS AND THEIR AIDES SAID SATURDAY.

ONE OF THE DISCLOSURES WAS OF A CLASSIFIED DEFENSE INTELLIGENCE AGENCY REPORT SAYING THAT AMERICAN-BACKED NICARGAUAN GUERRILLAS WERE COMMITTING POLITICAL ASSASSINATIONS AS EARLY AS 1982; THE YEAR AFTER THE UNITED STATES BEGAN FINANCING THEIR ACTIVITIES. AN EXECUTIVE ORDER SIGNED BY PRESIDENT REAGAN IN 1981 PROHIBITS GOVERNMENT PERSONNEL FROM TAKING PART OR ASSISTING IN ASSASSINATIONS.

IN AN INTERVIEW SATURDAY; EDGAR CHAMORRO; A DIRECTOR OF THE REBEL NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC FORCE; SAID: ''FRANKLY; I ADMIT WE HAVE KILLED PEOPLE IN COLD BLOOD WHEN WE HAVE FOUND THEM GUILTY OF CRIMES. WE DO BELIEVE IN THE ASSASSINATION OF TYRANTS. SOME OF THE SANDINISTAS ARE TYRANTS IN THE SMALL VILLAGES.''

THE WEEKLY DEFENSE INTELLIGENCE REPORTS ARE WIDELY DISTRIBUTED AMONG INTELLIGENCE OFFICIALS; AND THE ONE FIRST MENTIONING ASSASSINATIONS; DATED JULY 1982; HAS BEEN CIRCULATED AMONG GOVERNMENT AGENCIES. THE DOCUMENT; A COPY OF WHICH WAS OBTAINED BY THE NEW YORK TIMES; SAYS THE REBELS' ACTIVITIES IN THE SPRING OF 1982 INCLUDED ''ATTACKS BY SMALL GUERRILLA BANDS ON INDIVIDUAL SANDINISTA SOLDIERS AND THE ASSASSINATION OF MINOR GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND A CUBAN ADVISER.''

ASKED FRIDAY IF THE PRESIDENT OR HIS TOP ADVISERS KNEW OF THE REPORT; WHITE HOUSE SPOKESMAN LARRY SPEAKS SAID; ''NO.''

A WHITE HOUSE SPOKESMAN SAID SATURDAY: ''WE ASKED; AND WE COULD NOT FIND ANYONE WHO HAD SEEN SUCH A REPORT. THE KEY PEOPLE WHO WOULD HAVE RECOGNIZED ITS IMPORTANCE DIDN'T SEE IT.''

IN A RADIO ADDRESS SATURDAY; WALTER F. MONDALE; THE DEMOCRATIC PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEE; SAID: ''JUST THIS WEEK; WE ALL READ ABOUT THE ADMINISTRATION'S TRAINING MANUAL OFFERING ADVICE ON SABOTAGE AND MURDER. AND WHAT HAS BEEN THE WHITE HOUSE REACTION? THE PRESIDENT DIDN'T KNOW ABOUT IT.''

IN RESPONSE TO THE QUESTIONS FROM MONDALE AND OTHER DEMOCRATS ABOUT WHY THE PRESIDENT DID NOT KNOW ABOUT THE PRIMER AND THE DEFENSE INTELLIGENCE REPORT; A WHITE HOUSE SPOKESMAN SAID SATURDAY: ''WE'VE TRIED NOT TO RESPOND TO POLITICAL CAMPAIGN CHARGES. THAT HAS BEEN OUR POLICY THROUGHOUT THE CAMPAIGN.''

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NICARAGUA RULING

WASHINGTON (AP) -- A FEDERAL COURT HAS ORDERED THE CIA TO MAKE PUBLIC 15 CLASSIFIED DOCUMENTS ON THE ORIGINS AND PLANNING OF THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION'S SUPPORT FOR CONTRA REBELS FIGHTING NICARAGUA'S SANDINISTA GOVERNMENT.

UNDER THE RULING BY U.S. DISTRICT JUDGE JUNE L. GREEN, WHICH WAS MADE PUBLIC FRIDAY, THE SPY AGENCY COULD DELETE THE NAMES AND TITLES OF CIA EMPLOYEES IN THE DOCUMENTS.

THE JUDGE SAID IN THE DECISION RENDERED TUESDAY THAT, EVEN THOUGH THE SUPPORT FOR THE REBELS IS SUPPOSED TO BE SECRET, ADMINISTRATION OFFICIALS HAVE ACKNOWLEDGED THAT IT EXISTS IN WAYS THAT ''ARE SUFFICIENTLY 'DELIBERATE' AND 'CONSCIOUS' TO BRING THE REQUESTED INFORMATION INTO THE PUBLIC DOMAIN.''

A CIA SPOKESMAN SAID THERE WOULD BE NO COMMENT UNTIL AGENCY ATTORNEYS DECIDED WHETHER TO APPEAL. IF THEY DO NOT, THEY MUST RELEASE PAPERS THAT ''DESCRIBED OR AUTHORIZED CIA COVERT OPERATIONS IN CENTRAL AMERICA WHICH WERE APPROVED BY PRESIDENT REAGAN BETWEEN AUG. 6, 1981, AND AUG. 6, 1982,'' ACCORDING TO THE DECISION.

ATTORNEY JAY PETERZELL, REPRESENTING THE CENTER FOR NATIONAL SECURITY STUDIES, A WASHINGTON RESEARCH GROUP CRITICAL OF REAGAN'S CENTRAL AMERICA POLICIES, SAID THE DECISION WAS ''THE FIRST TIME THE CIA HAS EVER BEEN ORDERED TO RELEASE DOCUMENTS ON A CURRENT COVERT OPERATION.''

THE CENTER WON THE RULING UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT.

''THE RULING ESTABLISHES THE PRINCIPLE THAT DOCUMENTS ABOUT CURRENT COVERT OPERATIONS, IF THEY'RE BEING TALKED ABOUT ON THE RECORD BY SENIOR OFFICIALS, ARE SUBJECT TO THE FOIA,'' PETERZELL SAID.

THE CENTER ASKED IN AUGUST 1982 FOR COPIES OF DOCUMENTS ON CIA INVOLVEMENT IN EL SALVADOR'S MARCH 1982 ELECTIONS, CIA AID TO EL SALVADOR IN ITS WAR WITH LEFTIST GUERRILLAS, AND CIA COVERT OPERATIONS IN CENTRAL AMERICA.

IT ARGUED THAT THE INFORMATION SHOULD BE MADE PUBLIC BECAUSE CIA DIRECTOR WILLIAM J. CASEY REFERRED TO THE PROGRAMS IN A LETTER AND INTERVIEW IN THE NEW YORK TIMES IN JULY 1982.

THE CIA REFUSED, AND THE CENTER FILED SUIT THE FOLLOWING OCTOBER, CITING ADDITIONAL ADMINISTRATION PUBLIC STATEMENTS AS FURTHER EVIDENCE THAT THE MATERIAL COULD BE RELEASED WITHOUT DAMAGING NATIONAL SECURITY.

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BY DAVID LAWSKY

WASHINGTON (UPI) -- WALTER MONDALE HAS DEMANDED THAT PRESIDENT REAGAN FIRE CIA DIRECTOR WILLIAM CASEY BEFORE SUNDAY'S DEBATE BECAUSE OF A CIA PAMPHLET THAT ADVOCATES ASSASSINATION TO OVERTHROW THE GOVERNMENT OF NICARAGUA.

TAKING A BREAK FROM STUDYING FOR THE KANSAS CITY, MO., CONFRONTATION ON FOREIGN POLICY, MONDALE SAID, "WE HAVE ... A PROFOUND EMBARRASSMENT TO OUR COUNTRY AND NO ONE CAN GIVE AN ANSWER."

HE CHALLENGED REAGAN TO FIRE CASEY FOR THE AGENCY'S PRODUCTION OF THE PRIMER FOR NICARAGUAN REBELS, WHICH SUGGESTS WAYS TO "NEUTRALIZE" SANDINISTA GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS. MONDALE SAID CASEY'S FIRING MUST BE "BEFORE THE SUNDAY DEBATE SO THAT WE CAN GET ON TO THE NECESSARY WORK OF RESTORING THE STRENGTH AND CREDIBILITY OF THAT CRUCIAL AGENCY."

MONDALE SAID REAGAN SHOULD SAY WHETHER HE KNEW WHAT WAS GOING ON AND SHOULD EXPLAIN U.S. OBJECTIVES IN NICARAGUA.

REAGAN DID NOT RESPOND TO MONDALE'S CHARGE, BUT WHITE HOUSE OFFICIALS INDICATED THAT CASEY WOULD NOT BE FIRED.

INSTEAD, REAGAN TOOK A MOMENT OUT FROM HIS DEBATE PREPARATIONS TO SIGN IN A PRIVATE CEREMONY LEGISLATION PROVIDING $366 MILLION TO COMBAT THE "PERVASIVE THREAT" OF TERRORISM AND ASKED THAT FLAGS BE FLOWN AT HALF STAFF TUESDAY TO HONOR VICTIMS OF SUCH VIOLENCE.

IN NEW YORK, THE INDEPENDENT NETWORK NEWS SAID EARLY SATURDAY IT HAD OBTAINED A CLASSIFIED REPORT THAT INDICATES TOP REAGAN ADMINISTRATION OFFICIALS WERE AWARE OF 106 ASSASSINATION ATTEMPTS ON CENTRAL AMERICAN OFFICIALS OVER THE PAST TWO YEARS.

INN SAID THE INTELLIGENCE REPORT, DATED JULY 1982, INDICATED THERE HAD BEEN 106 ATTACKS ON MINOR GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS IN CENTRAL AMERICA, INCLUDING ONE CUBAN ADVISER. THE REPORT DID NOT SAY WHO CARRIED OUT THE ATTACKS.

THE NETWORK DESCRIBED THE REPORT AS ONE THAT WOULD BE CIRCULATED AMONG THE HIGHEST LEVELS OF THE GOVERNMENT, INCLUDING REAGAN AND HIS NATIONAL SECURITY ADVISER. INN QUOTED AN UNIDENTIFIED ADMINISTRATION OFFICIAL SAYING HE HAD CANVASSED THE WHITE HOUSE AND FOUND NO ONE FAMILIAR WITH THE REPORT.

A SPOKESMAN FROM THE CIA WAS UNAVAILABLE IMMEDIATELY FOR COMMENT ON THE INN REPORT.

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NICARAGUA-MANUAL

MIAMI (AP) -- A CIA-PRODUCED MANUAL ADVISING ANTI-SANDINISTA REBELS TO ''NEUTRALIZE'' NICARAGUAN OFFICIALS WAS ''OFFENSIVE AND MORALLY WRONG,'' ACCORDING TO A REBEL LEADER WHO SAYS HE DELETED SECTIONS ON ASSASSINATION FROM THE BOOKLET.

CONGRESSIONAL INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEES ARE REVIEWING THE PSCYHOLOGICAL WARFARE MANUAL AND A COMIC BOOK-STYLE MANUAL THE INTELLIGENCE AGENCY PRODUCED URGING THE NICARAGUAN REBELS TO SABOTAGE THEIR LEFTIST GOVERNMENT.

DEMOCRATIC PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEE WALTER F. MONDALE ON FRIDAY CALLED THE MANUAL ''A PROFOUND EMBARRASSMENT TO OUR COUNTRY'' AND DEMANDED THAT PRESIDENT REAGAN FIRE CIA DIRECTOR WILLIAM CASEY BEFORE SUNDAY'S PRESIDENTIAL DEBATE.

REAGAN HAS ORDERED INVESTIGATIONS BY THE CIA AND INTELLIGENCE OVERSIGHT BOARD, BUT DEMOCRATS HAVE DEMANDED AN INDEPENDENT INQUIRY BY THE CONGRESSIONAL GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE, OR BY A SPECIAL PROSECUTOR.

DESPITE WHITE HOUSE CLAIMS THAT THE PRIMER WAS A FIRST DRAFT ''CAUGHT BEFORE ANYTHING SERIOUS HAPPENED,'' ABOUT 200 OF THE BOOKLETS WERE DISTRIBUTED, SAID EDGAR CHAMORRO, CHIEF OF PROPAGANDA FOR THE NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC FORCE.

CHAMORRO, WHO SAID HE WAS IN CHARGE OF TRANSLATION AND PUBLICATION OF THE MANUAL FOR THE NDF, THE LARGEST REBEL GROUP, DENIED FRIDAY THAT THERE WAS MORE THAN ONE DRAFT OF THE BOOKLET.

HOWEVER, CHAMORRO, WHO LIVES IN MIAMI, SAID HE HAD EXCISED REFERENCES TO ASSASSINATION OF GOVERNMENT LEADERS AND A SECTION RECOMMENDING A REBEL SUPPORTER BE KILLED TO CREATE A ''MARTYR.''

''WE THOUGHT IT WAS OFFENSIVE AND MORALLY WRONG,'' CHAMORRO TOLD THE ASSOCIATED PRESS. ''WE DESTROYED THOSE PAGES AND WE REPLACED THEM WITH OTHER PAGES THAT I PERSONALLY.'' HE SAID 2,000 OF THE REWRITTEN MANUALS WERE DISTRIBUTED.

HOWEVER, CHAMORRO SAID THE 90-PAGE BOOKLET CONTAINED ''SPANISH GUERRILLA ARGOT'' THAT MAY HAVE CONFUSED SOME CRITICS.THE WORD ''NEUTRALIZATION'' IN THE ORIGINAL VERSION WAS MEANT TO MEAN ''PRACTICALLY ANYTHING, FROM HUMILIATING A PERSON TO MAKING HIM SHAMEFUL OF THE WORK HE'S DOING,'' HE SAID.

IT ALSO COVERED ASSASSINATIONS BY ''PROFESSIONAL KILLERS'' HIRED FROM THE CRIMINAL CLASS, HE SAID, ADDING THAT ONLY OFFICIALS LABELED ''CRIMINALS'' WERE TO BE KILLED.

''WHAT THE MANUAL RECOMMENDS IS THAT THIS SHOULD BE LIKE A POPULAR MEETING OF THE PEOPLE,'' CHAMORRO SAID. ''YOU DECIDE THAT IF THERE IS A PERSON OF THE STATE SECURITY APPARATUS THAT'S COMMITTED MANY CRIMES, THEN THEY HAVE TO BE CONDEMNED IF THE PEOPLE WANT IT.''

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A Primer of Covert Offenses

Perhaps the Reagan Administration has it right about the C.I.A.'s dreadful how-to primer for waging terror in Nicaragua. Perhaps it was written by an "overzealous freelancer." But where does that leave the agency's Director, William Casey?

If he approved the manual, he violated the executive orders of three Presidents and negligently failed to inform the Congressional intelligence committees. If he didn't know what was being done in his, and America's, name, the verdict is inescapable — the "contra" war is out of control.

Moving to limit the damage, President Reagan has ordered an in-house inquiry — by the Central Intelligence Agency. The result is likely to be a pound of fudge in self-protective wrappers. Getting the truth requires something more, preferably a full-scale inquiry by the Senate or House Intelligence Committee into every aspect of this undeclared war. Look again at the mining of Nicaraguan ports; the "private" volunteers and soldiers of fortune so easily recruited; that comic book with sabotage instructions, and the manual that was so brutally cynical that even the contra fighters balked at distributing 2,000 copies.

One passage urges rebels in Nicaragua to recruit criminals to bring about violence "that will cause the death of one or more people to create a martyr for the cause." Whoever wrote that did not know, or care, that Presidents Ford, Carter and Reagan have insisted that no one acting for the United States may encourage political murder.

The manual was bound to leak, as it did to The Associated Press. Open societies cannot assure the "deniability" of operations that offend both principle and law. It's been true of the whole false justification of this contra war: that its only purpose was to interdict Nicaragua's arms smuggling.

With an envious eye, the Hoover Commission in 1954 urged imitating dictatorships: "We must learn to subvert, sabotage and destroy our enemies by more clever, more sophisticated and more effective methods than those used against us. . . . It may become necessary that the American people will be made acquainted with, understand and support this fundamentally repugnant philosophy."

Once acquainted, Americans rejected that anything-goes doctrine. The reforms of 1976 permit covert operations. But they oblige the C.I.A. to keep Congress informed and set limits of decency on clandestine schemes. Only by observing these rules can America condemn terrorism. Secretary of State Shultz has denounced "the extent to which agencies of foreign states are engaged in terrorist acts." Jeane Kirkpatrick, the U.N. delegate, has condemned "violence in violation of law against persons who are not at war" with the terrorists.

These principles cannot be squared with political murder in Nicaragua. Having disavowed the manual, President Reagan now needs to reexamine the whole "war" that produced it.

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Richard Cohen

Why the Outrage?

Like Ronald Reagan in the first presidential debate, I don't want to say it, but I can't help myself: There they go again.

Once again, the nation's political leadership—Republican, Democratic—is shocked, chagrined and outraged. The cause this time is a CIA-produced manual called "Operaciones Sicologicas en Guerra de Guerrillas" that was apparently distributed to the so-called *contras* who are fighting Nicaragua's Sandinista regime. It tells how to fight dirty.

It tells how and when to kill innocent civilians, how to implicate and involve the local population in such acts, how to stir up mob action and how and under what circumstances thugs and criminals can be used. The CIA says it was written by a low-level free-lancer and does not reflect American policy. If you believe that, possibly I can interest you in a share of the Brooklyn Bridge.

Once before, you will recall, there was similar shock, chagrin and outrage. That was when it was discovered that the CIA was responsible for mining Nicaraguan harbors. Several ships, including a Soviet one, were slightly damaged and Nicaragua accused the United States of mining its ports. The U.S. stayed mum—until the news media reported that the mines in fact had been laid with American help. Then the same members of Congress who support the covert war against Nicaragua bleated their outrage. Just who they thought had been laying the mines they did not say. Possibly it was the Mickey Mouse Club.

Now we once again have an explosion of false outrage. We are told it's against the law for the CIA to instruct others in the killing of innocent civilians. It is un-American to use "selective violence" to "neutralize" members of the Sandinista regime—to choose them ahead of time on the basis of "spontaneous hostility that the majority of the population feels against the target." Even aside from that, we are told that this is not the way we Americans fight.

But what, dear readers, did all these politicians think was happening before the manual was leaked to the Associated Press? How do they think you fight a covert-overt dirty little war waged by mercenaries, some of whom would not fight if the checks stopped coming? After all, some of the so-called "freedom fighters" President Reagan extols are former members of Anastasio Somoza's National Guard, an outfit of thugs and sadists best known for rape and torture. They need a manual on killing the way a goldfish needs swimming lessons.

The CIA-produced manual represents the second time the United States has lost its virginity in Nicaragua. It goes without saying that this cannot persist without a certain loss of credibility. Congress cannot continue to be shocked to find that after it has authorized and funded a war, it is actually being fought. The Sandinistas are the best witnesses to what's happening. They said their ports were being mined, and they were. They say that civilians are being killed, and, it seems, they are.

The shock and the outrage should instead be reserved for the war itself. Instead of questioning the methods, Congress should wonder if the war is either necessary or right and whether we lose more than we gain. For instance, a quick reading of even excerpts from the manual would confuse anyone about its source. It could have been written by agents of a totalitarian government, maybe communist. It is a cynical and amoral document that in no way represents either the ethics or the morality of most Americans or what this country stands for.

The CIA manual is neither a scandal nor a mistake, but an admission. It suggests that only lies and terror can pry the Nicaraguans away from their government. If it's necessary to lie to the local population, to select government officials and kill them, to employ criminals and thugs, to indoctrinate the people, to encourage vigilante justice by using "false statements from citizens," to advocate the killing of innocents so as "to create a martyr for the cause," then, like Vietnam, we are once again fighting the wrong war for the wrong reasons.

The true outrage is not the manual itself, but what it concedes. In Nicaragua, we have become indistinguishable from the portrait we paint of our enemy. Win, lose or draw, it's all the same. We can only lose.

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HAVANA RADIO: CIA DOCUMENT COULD HURT REAGAN'S REELECTION CHANCES

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(TEXT) THE CONFIRMATION THAT THE CIA INCITES POLITICAL ASSASSINATION IN CENTRAL AMERICA MAY HARM PRESIDENT RONALD REAGAN'S CHANCES FOR REELECTION. AFTER DEMOCRATIC CONGRESSMAN EDWARD BOLAND REPORTED THE EXISTENCE OF A CIA-PREPARED DOCUMENT FOR THE NICARAGUAN CONTRAS, THE REPUBLICAN ADMINISTRATION FINDS ITSELF FACED WITH ADVERSE EVIDENCE THAT COULD COMPROMISE ITS CAMPAIGN FOR REELECTION.

SENATOR EDWARD KENNEDY SAID THE MATTER WAS UNACCEPTABLE, WHILE DANIEL MOYNIHAN, VICE CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE SAID IN AN ABC TELEVISION INTERVIEW THAT HE WOULD SUMMON A CIA REPRESENTATIVE TO TESTIFY ON THE MATTER TODAY, FRIDAY.

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WASHINGTON (AP) - WALTER F. MONDALE DEMANDED FRIDAY THAT PRESIDENT REAGAN FIRE CIA DIRECTOR WILLIAM CASEY BEFORE SUNDAY'S PRESIDENTIAL DEBATE BECAUSE OF THE DISTRIBUTION OF A CIA DOCUMENT THAT ENCOURAGES TERRORISM AGAINST THE LEFTIST SANDINISTA GOVERNMENT IN NICARAGUA.
FIVE DAYS AFTER THE EXISTENCE OF THE DOCUMENT FIRST BECAME KNOWN; THE DEMOCRATIC CHALLENGER ALSO CALLED ON THE PRESIDENT TO IMMEDIATELY EXPLAIN IF HE PLANS U.S. MILITARY ACTION AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT IN MANAGUA.
THE DISCLOSURE THAT THE CIA PRODUCED THE DOCUMENT ''IS A PROFOUND EMBARRASSMENT TO OUR COUNTRY;'' HE SAID.
MONDALE INTERRUPTED HIS DEBATE PREPARATIONS TO SPEAK TO REPORTERS OUTSIDE HIS NORTHWEST WASHINGTON HOME. REAGAN DEVOTED MUCH OF THE DAY TO STUDYING FOR SUNDAY'S DEBATE ON FOREIGN POLICY.
BUT REAGAN'S CHIEF CAMPAIGN SPOKESMAN; JAMES LAKE; SAID THE DEBATE REALLY DOESN'T MATTER. ''WALTER MONDALE HAS ALREADY LOST THE ELECTION;'' HE SAID.
LAKE SAID REAGAN COULD LOSE ONLY IF THERE WERE SOME ''UNKNOWN; UNPLANNED; UNEXPECTED'' EVENT. HE REFUSED TO ELABORATE.
MEANWHILE; VICE PRESIDENT GEORGE BUSH CAMPAIGNED IN THE NORTHWEST; TELLING SHIPYARD WORKERS IN SEATTLE; SOME OF THEM WHOSE JOBS ARE THREATENED; ''WE DO PROMISE AND WE ARE PROVIDING A WHOLE NEW ECONOMIC CLIMATE THAT DOES OFFER HOPE.''
''YOU SEE DIFFICULTY IN THIS YARD - SUPPORT PEOPLE THAT WANT TO CUT WAY BACK ON THE NAVY; SUPPORT PEOPLE THAT WANT TO CUT BACK ON THE NAVY BATTLEGROUPS FROM 13 TO 10 AND THEN SEE WHAT YOU'VE GOT AROUND HERE;'' BUSH SAID; BUT STIRRING DISAPPOINTMENT AMONG SOME WORKERS WHO EXPECTED ANNOUNCEMENT OF A SHIPBUILDING CONTRACT.
IN HIS ATTACK ON REAGAN; MONDALE SAID THE PRESIDENT SHOULD EXPLAIN HOW CONTRAS IN NICARAGUA WERE GIVEN INSTRUCTIONS ON HOW TO KILL LOCAL GOVERNMENT LEADERS AND HIRE CRIMINALS FOR SPECIFIC ACTS OF VIOLENCE AGAINST THE NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT.
''DID HE KNOW THIS WAS GOING ON;'' SAID MONDALE. ''IF HE DIDN'T KNOW HOW COULD THAT POSSIBILY BE. I DON'T KNOW WHICH IS WORSE; HAVING THAT GO ON OR HAVING A GOVERNMENT WITH NO ONE IN CHARGE SO THESE THINGS CONTRARY TO THE PUBLIC INTEREST CAN GO ON WITHOUT THE KNOWLEDGE OF THE PRESIDENT.''
''HOW COULD THESE ILLEGAL ACTS OCCUR?'' HE ASKED. ''LET'S HAVE THE FACTS BEFORE THE DEBATE. WHAT'S GOING ON HERE?''
''THE PURPOSE OF THIS ILLEGAL ACTIVITY BY THE CIA WAS NOT TO INTERDICT SUPPLIES FROM THE SANDINISTAS TO THE GUERRILLAS IN EL SALVADOR;'' HE SAID. ''IT WAS FOR THE EXPLICIT PURPOSE OF OVERTHROWING THE GOVERNMENT OF NICARAGUA.''

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Asked if he knew of any specific incidents in which the actions described in the manual were actually carried out; Mondale replied:

''This was a manual that directed people to whom it was addressed to carry out political assassination; to hire criminals and other illegal acts ...'' he said. ''Those were the orders and the recommendations of the manual. Somebody has to be responsible for that.''

''How much of that in fact happened is information I do not have;'' he said.

Sounding a theme sure to be heard in the 90-minute nationally televised debate; the Democratic presidential nominee said he believes that the U.S.-supported rebel effort in Nicaragua is failing.

''The forces in the Sandinista government are stronger than they were by far four years ago;'' he said. ''If his objective is to overthrow that government; the only way it can be done is through the introduction of U.S. combat troops.''

That raises the question; said Mondale; ''whether this administration plans to introduce U.S. combat troops ...''

''These are all questions of who's in charge; who's in command and what is this government up to;'' said Mondale.

''We have a right to demand that president define very clearly what his objectives are in the war and how he intends to achieve them;'' Mondale said; adding:

''It is the time to realize that it is the CIA itself that is in danger.''

Asked about Reagan administration claims that the CIA manual was the work of a relative low-level associate employee of the agency; Mondale said; ''The people of this country cannot elect a minor employee of the CIA or a major employe of the CIA.

''They elected the president of the United States to take charge to faithfully execute the laws of this land. The laws are being violated. It is very serious error which affects the security interest of this country; and they say no one is in charge.''

''I find it very hard to believe that when someone decides to assassinate; a political assassination ... that they didn't tell someone higher up. They don't keep normal business records;'' he said.

Of Casey; Mondale said; the law requires that the CIA director report on any illegal activities to the House and Senate Intelligence Committees.

''That law was violated;'' he said.

So; said Mondale; Reagan should fire Casey ''before the Sunday debate so we can get on with the necessary work of restoring the strength and the credibility of that crucial agency.''

Asked why he waited so long to urge Casey's dismissal; Mondale said; ''I was doing something I often do. I think things over.''

Asked if he were ready for Sunday's second debate; Mondale said; ''I feel fine.''

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CIA TO BRIEF SENATE COMMITTEE MONDAY ON NICARAGUAN MANUAL
WASHINGTON, Oct 19, Reuter - The Central Intelligence Agency will brief the Senate Intelligence Committee Monday on a controversial CIA manual for Nicaraguan rebels, committee sources said today.
Sen. Daniel Patrick Moynihan, the committee vice chairman, said he had asked the CIA to meet with the panel today and was angry because the meeting had to be postponed.
The New York Democrat charged the Reagan administration ''so far has told the press more about the manual ''Psychological Operations in Guerrilla War'' than it has told the intelligence committees of Congress.''
The manual, made public this week, encourages the rebels to undertake political assassinations and kidnappings and to use blackmail to overthrow the Sandinist government.
Democrats have denounced the manual as an outrage that violates U.S. law.
President Reagan yesterday ordered an inquiry into possible improper conduct by the CIA, and a senior U.S. official said the manual was the work of a low-level contract employee.
Moynihan released a list of questions he sent the CIA and said: ''We will expect answers on Monday.''
It is unclear how many senators will attend Monday's meeting. Congress adjourned last week and most are back in their home states.±
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(TEXT) PRESIDENT REAGAN HAS ORDERED AN IMMEDIATE INVESTIGATION INTO THE PUBLICATION OF THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY DOCUMENT ON GUERRILLA WARFARE.

(WORDS INDISTINCT) REPORTS THAT THE MANUAL GIVES ADVICE TO ANTI-SANDINISTA REBELS IN NICARAGUA: (BEGIN UNIDENTIFIED REPORTER RECORDING) THE PRESIDENT ORDERED THAT THE CIA AND ITS INSPECTOR GENERAL INVESTIGATE THE POSSIBILITY OF IMPROPER CONDUCT ON THE PART OF THE AGENCY'S EMPLOYEES IN REGARD TO WHAT WAS CALLED "THE PUBLICATION OF A MANUAL FOR THE NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC RESISTANCE FORCES."

THE MANUAL, PARTS OF WHICH WERE PUBLISHED WEDNESDAY IN THE NEW YORK TIMES, INCLUDES ADVICE ON HOW TO KIDNAP GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS, AND ON POLITICAL ASSASSINATIONS.

A WHITE HOUSE STATEMENT SAID THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION HAS NOT ADVOCATED OR CONDONED POLITICAL ASSASSINATIONS, OR ANY OTHER ATTACKS ON CIVILIANS, NOR WILL IT. THE STATEMENT SAID THE INVESTIGATION ORDERED BY THE PRESIDENT WILL BE TO DETERMINE WHETHER THERE WERE ANY VIOLATIONS OF LAW OR POLICY, AND WHETHER THERE WERE ANY MANAGERIAL DEFICIENCIES.

THE PRESIDENT ALSO ASKED THE INTELLIGENCE OVERSIGHT BOARD TO INVESTIGATE THE MATTER AND REPORT ITS FINDINGS TO HIM AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. (END RECORDING)

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ALTHOUGH THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION HAS REPEATEDLY DENIED THAT THE UNITED STATES IS SEEKING TO OVERTHROW THE NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT, THE MANUAL CALLS ON NICARAGUANS TO JOIN IN A ''FINAL BATTLE'' AGAINST THEIR 5-YEAR-OLD GOVERNMENT, WHICH TOOK POWER AFTER OVERTHROWING LONGTIME U.S. ALLY, ANASTASIO SOMOZA.

ACCORDING TO ONE INTELLIGENCE SOURCE, THE CIA PREPARED THE TWO MANUALS ABOUT A YEAR AGO AT A TIME WHEN THE AGENCY WAS TAKING MORE DIRECT CONTROL OVER THE FIGHTING. IN OCTOBER, THE CIA DIRECTED A SEA ATTACK ON THE NICARAGUAN PORT CITY OF CORINTO AND EARLY THIS YEAR SUPERVISED THE MINING OF NICARAGUA'S HARBORS, INTELLIGENCE SOURCES HAVE SAID.

IN A JULY 26 DISPATCH, THE PACIFIC NEWS SERVICE QUOTED FDN PROPAGANDA CHIEF EDGAR CHAMORRO AS SAYING THE CIA PROVIDED THE TWO MANUALS LATE LAST YEAR AND THAT THEY WERE THEN MODIFIED TO MAKE THEM ''LOOK NICARAGUAN.'' THE AP COULD NOT REACH CHAMORRO.

ADMINISTRATION OFFICIALS, INSISTING ON ANONYMITY, HAVE SOUGHT TO BLAME THE PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE MANUAL ON A LOW-LEVEL CIA CONTRACT EMPLOYEE, WHO THEY SAY PRODUCED IT WITHOUT THE KNOWLEDGE OF HIS SUPERIORS.

ONE OFFICIAL SAID THE ''FREE-WHEELING, FREE-LANCING'' AUTHOR ''WAS CLEARLY OPERATING OUTSIDE THE WAY THE CIA WANTS ITS CONTRACT EMPLOYEES TO OPERATE.''

BUT SEN. CHRISTOPHER DODD, D-CONN., A PROMINENT CRITIC OF REAGAN'S CENTRAL AMERICA POLICIES, SAID ADMINISTRATION ATTEMPTS TO BLAME ''AN UNDERLING ... JUST WON'T WASH.''

REP. GEORGE MILLER, D-CALIF., SAID THE DISCLOSURES ABOUT THE CIA MANUALS HAD LOWERED ADMINISTRATION CREDIBILITY TO ''THE ZERO LEVEL.''

''WHAT WE SEE NOW IS A WAR THAT HAS GROWN FROM THE MINING OF NICARAGUAN HARBORS TO THE PRINTING OF A 'HOW-TO' SABOTAGE COMIC BOOK, TO THE PUBLICATION OF A MANUAL ON TERRORISM AND ASSASSINATION.''

OVER REAGAN'S OBJECTIONS, CONGRESS VOTED THIS MONTH TO CUT OFF AID TO THE THE REBELS, AT LEAST UNTIL FEB. 28. REAGAN APPROVED THE COVERT ACTION IN DECEMBER 1981 WITH THE PURPORTED GOAL OF STOPPING ALLEGED NICARAGUAN ARMS SHIPMENTS TO LEFTIST GUERRILLAS IN NEARBY EL SALVADOR.

EXECUTIVE ORDERS DATING BACK TO THE FORD ADMINISTRATION HAVE BARRED U.S. OFFICIALS FROM INVOLVEMENT IN ASSASSINATIONS. REAGAN REVISED RULES GOVERNING INTELLIGENCE AGENCIES ON DEC. 4, 1981, BUT INCLUDED PHRASING THAT NO ONE OPERATING ON BEHALF OF THE U.S. GOVERNMENT ''SHALL ENGAGE IN OR CONSPIRE TO ENGAGE IN ASSASSINATION.''

IT ADDED THAT NO INTELLIGENCE AGENCY ''SHALL PARTICIPATE IN OR REQUEST ANY PERSON TO UNDERTAKE ACTIVITIES FORBIDDEN BY THIS ORDER.''

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NICARAGUA-MANUAL
BY ROBERT PARRY

WASHINGTON (AP) -- CONGRESSIONAL INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEES, REVIEWING THE CIA'S PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE MANUAL FOR NICARAGUAN REBELS, ARE ALSO EXAMINING THE SPY AGENCY'S PRODUCTION OF A COMIC BOOK-STYLE MANUAL THAT URGES NICARAGUANS TO SABOTAGE THEIR LEFTIST GOVERNMENT.

COMMITTEE SOURCES, WHO INSISTED ON ANONYMITY, SAID THE CIA'S PREPARATION OF THE TWO MANUALS COULD SUGGEST A CONCERTED PROGRAM BY THE AGENCY. WHITE HOUSE OFFICIALS HAVE PORTRAYED THE PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE MANUAL AS AN UNAUTHORIZED PRODUCT BY A LOW-LEVEL CONTRACT EMPLOYEE OPERATING IN CENTRAL AMERICA.

THAT MANUAL SUGGESTS THE ''SELECTIVE USE OF VIOLENCE'' TO ''NEUTRALIZE'' SOME NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS; THE HIRING OF PROFESSIONAL CRIMINALS TO CARRY OUT ''SELECTIVE JOBS''; ARRANGING THE DEATH OF A REBEL SUPPORTER TO CREATE A ''MARTYR''; AND COERCING NICARAGUANS INTO CARRYING OUT ASSIGNMENTS.

PRESIDENT REAGAN HAS ORDERED TWO INVESTIGATIONS -- ONE BY THE CIA AND ONE BY THE REAGAN-APPOINTED INTELLIGENCE OVERSIGHT BOARD -- INTO ''THE POSSIBILITY OF IMPROPER CONDUCT'' IN THE MANUAL'S PRODUCTION. BUT DEMOCRATS DEMANDED AN INDEPENDENT INQUIRY BY THE CONGRESSIONAL GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE.

MEANWHILE, SEN. DANIEL PATRICK MOYNIHAN, D-N.Y., VICE CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE, COMPLAINED FRIDAY THAT ''THE ADMINISTRATION HAS SO FAR TOLD THE PRESS MORE ABOUT THE MANUAL ... THAN THEY HAVE TOLD THE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEES OF THE CONGRESS.''

MOYNIHAN, WHO HAD REQUESTED A BRIEFING FROM THE CIA BY FRIDAY, SAID THE AGENCY HAD INSTEAD PLANNED TO MEET WITH THE COMMITTEE STAFF ON MONDAY. ''THIS IS A WHOLY INADEQUATE RESPONSE. (THE CIA) MUST MEET WITH THE COMMITTEE AND ANSWER THE PAINFUL QUESTIONS WE HAVE REQUIRED OF THEM,'' HE SAID.

MOYNIHAN SAID THOSE QUESTIONS INCLUDE WHO WROTE THE MANUAL; WHO PAID FOR IT; WHO AT CIA HEADQUARTERS KNEW ABOUT IT; WHETHER CONCERN WAS RAISED ABOUT ITS POSSIBLE VIOLATION OF LAW; AND WHETHER IT CONTAINS ''LANGUAGE WHICH COULD BE INTERPRETED AS ENDORSING ASSASSINATION.''

OFFICIALS OF THE HOUSE AND SENATE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEES SAID THEY FIRST LEARNED OF THE MANUAL WHEN COPIES WERE SHOWN TO THEM BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS EARLIER THIS MONTH.

THE OTHER MANUAL, A 16-PAGE SABOTAGE BOOKLET, CALLED THE ''FREEDOM FIGHTER'S MANUAL,'' ENCOURAGED NICARAGUANS TO CALL IN SICK TO WORK, POUR SAND INTO ENGINES, CLOG UP TOILETS, AND HURL ''MOLOTOV COCKTAILS'' AT POLICE STATIONS AND FUEL DEPOTS.

THE BOOKLET SURFACED IN JUNE AFTER IT WAS FOUND BY A NICARAGUAN PEASANT FOLLOWING AN ATTACK BY THE CIA-BACKED NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC FORCE -- KNOWN BY ITS SPANISH INITIALS FDN -- ON OCOTAL, A TOWN NEAR THE HONDURAN BORDER.

A COPY WAS GIVEN TO THE AP, AND U.S. INTELLIGENCE SOURCES, SPEAKING ON CONDITION THEY NOT BE IDENTIFIED, CONFIRMED IT AS A CIA PRODUCTION.
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REBEL LEADER DISTRIBUTED CIA TERROR MANUAL, PAPER SAYS
MIAMI, OCT 20, REUTER - EDGAR CHAMORRO, A LEADER OF NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC FORCE (FDN) WAS THE ''PUBLISHER'' OR DISTRIBUTOR OF THE CIA-FINANCED BOOKLET ''PSYCHOLOGICAL OPERATIONS IN GUERRILLA WARS,'' THE MIAMI HERALD SAID IN TODAY'S EDITIONS.
CHAMORRO WAS QUOTED AS SAYING HIS ''CONTRA'' FORCES HAD EXECUTED A SMALL NUMBER OF SANDINIST ''CRIMINALS'' OR ''GOVERNMENT SPIES.''
CHAMORRO WAS INTERVIEWED BY THE HERALD'S HONDURAS-BASED CENTRAL AMERICAN CORRESPONDENT, JUAN TAMAYO.
TAMAYO ALSO QUOTED FDN SOURCES AS SAYING THE AUTHOR OF THE MANUAL WAS A CREW-CUTTED AMERICAN IN HIS 50'S WHO MANY BELIEVED TO BE A ''LOW-LEVEL (CIA) CONTRACT AGENT'' WHO ARRIVED IN TEGUCIGALPA, THE HONDURAN CAPITAL, IN THE FALL OF 1983.
CHAMORRO WAS QUOTED AS SAYING HE HAD RIPPED OUT FOUR PAGES OF ''CONDEMNABLE LANGUAGE'' FROM THE VERSION OF ''PSYCHOLOGICAL OPERATIONS'' SEEN BY CORRESPONDENTS IN WASHINGTON.
PASSAGES HE CUT INCLUDED A SECTION SUGGESTING USE OF PROFESSIONAL CRIMINALS FOR ''SPECIAL JOBS'' AND ANOTHER RECOMMENDING INCITEMENT OF MOB VIOLENCE ''TO CREATE A MARTYR FOR OUR CAUSE.''
CHAMORRO WAS QUOTED AS SAYING HE WAS ''SHOCKED'' BY THOSE SECTIONS OF THE MANUAL, OF WHICH HE RECEIVED 2,000 COPIES.
CHAMORRO DID NOT DISCLOSE WHERE THE BOOKLETS CAME FROM, BUT HE SAID THAT FEWER THAN 200 COPIES OF THE COMPLETE VERSION REACHED FDN CADRES.
ACCORDING TO THE NEW YORK TIMES, HE LEFT NICARAGUA IN JULY AND IS ONE OF SEVEN DIRECTORS OF THE HONDURAS-BASED REBEL GROUP.
THE TIMES SAID THE BOOKLET ''EXPLAINS HOW TO BLACKMAIL NICARAGUAN CITIZENS WHO ARE INITIALLY UNWILLING TO WORK FOR THE ANTI-SANDINISTA CAUSE.''±
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ŧREBEL SAYS ASSASSINATION ADVICE WAS 'MORALLY WRONG'

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MIAMI (AP) - A CIA-PRODUCED MANUAL ADVISING ANTI-SANDINISTA REBELS TO ''NEUTRALIZE'' NICARAGUAN OFFICIALS WAS ''OFFENSIVE AND MORALLY WRONG;'' ACCORDING TO A REBEL LEADER WHO SAYS HE DELETED SECTIONS ON ASSASSINATION FROM THE BOOKLET.

CONGRESSIONAL INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEES ARE REVIEWING THE PSCYHOLOGICAL WARFARE MANUAL AND A COMIC BOOK-STYLE MANUAL THE INTELLIGENCE AGENCY PRODUCED URGING THE NICARAGUAN REBELS TO SABOTAGE THEIR LEFTIST GOVERNMENT.

DEMOCRATIC PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEE WALTER F. MONDALE ON FRIDAY CALLED THE MANUAL ''A PROFOUND EMBARRASSMENT TO OUR COUNTRY'' AND DEMANDED THAT PRESIDENT REAGAN FIRE CIA DIRECTOR WILLIAM CASEY BEFORE SUNDAY'S PRESIDENTIAL DEBATE.

REAGAN HAS ORDERED INVESTIGATIONS BY THE CIA AND INTELLIGENCE OVERSIGHT BOARD; BUT DEMOCRATS HAVE DEMANDED AN INDEPENDENT INQUIRY BY THE CONGRESSIONAL GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE; OR BY A SPECIAL PROSECUTOR.

DESPITE WHITE HOUSE CLAIMS THAT THE PRIMER WAS A FIRST DRAFT ''CAUGHT BEFORE ANYTHING SERIOUS HAPPENED;'' ABOUT 200 OF THE BOOKLETS WERE DISTRIBUTED; SAID EDGAR CHAMORRO; CHIEF OF PROPAGANDA FOR THE NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC FORCE.

CHAMORRO; WHO SAID HE WAS IN CHARGE OF TRANSLATION AND PUBLICATION OF THE MANUAL FOR THE NDF; THE LARGEST REBEL GROUP; DENIED FRIDAY THAT THERE WAS MORE THAN ONE DRAFT OF THE BOOKLET.

HOWEVER; CHAMORRO; WHO LIVES IN MIAMI; SAID HE HAD EXCISED REFERENCES TO ASSASSINATION OF GOVERNMENT LEADERS AND A SECTION RECOMMENDING A REBEL SUPPORTER BE KILLED TO CREATE A ''MARTYR.''

''WE THOUGHT IT WAS OFFENSIVE AND MORALLY WRONG;'' CHAMORRO TOLD THE ASSOCIATED PRESS. ''WE DESTROYED THOSE PAGES AND WE REPLACED THEM WITH OTHER PAGES THAT I PERSONALLY.'' HE SAID 2;000 OF THE REWRITTEN MANUALS WERE DISTRIBUTED.

HOWEVER; CHAMORRO SAID THE 90-PAGE BOOKLET CONTAINED ''SPANISH GUERRILLA ARGOT'' THAT MAY HAVE CONFUSED SOME CRITICS.THE WORD ''NEUTRALIZATION'' IN THE ORIGINAL VERSION WAS MEANT TO MEAN ''PRACTICALLY ANYTHING; FROM HUMILIATING A PERSON TO MAKING HIM SHAMEFUL OF THE WORK HE'S DOING;'' HE SAID.

IT ALSO COVERED ASSASSINATIONS BY ''PROFESSIONAL KILLERS'' HIRED FROM THE CRIMINAL CLASS; HE SAID; ADDING THAT ONLY OFFICIALS LABELED ''CRIMINALS'' WERE TO BE KILLED.

''WHAT THE MANUAL RECOMMENDS IS THAT THIS SHOULD BE LIKE A POPULAR MEETING OF THE PEOPLE;'' CHAMORRO SAID. ''YOU DECIDE THAT IF THERE IS A PERSON OF THE STATE SECURITY APPARATUS THAT'S COMMITTED MANY CRIMES; THEN THEY HAVE TO BE CONDEMNED; IF THE PEOPLE WANT IT.''

ABOUT 2;000 COPIES OF THE REWRITTEN MANUAL WERE DISTRIBUTED IN REBEL-HELD BORDER AREAS AND USED TO TRAIN ABOUT 500 GUERRILLAS; HE SAID. ''THIS BOOK WAS GIVEN ONLY TO PEOPLE WHO WERE ATTENDING THE LECTURES OR COURSES ON PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE.

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''It was a very limited group of chosen FDN troops.''

Chamorro said the book was written largely by an American he characterized as a Vietnam veteran but wouldn't identify; and added that the funds used to produce and print the book were funneled through this man.

He said he didn't know whether the man had any connection with the CIA or the U.S. government. The booklet was printed in Tegucigalpa; Honduras; in October and November 1983.

In today's editions; The Washington Post quoted sources in the Nicaraguan anti-government movement as saying the book's author is a hard-drinking veteran who also fought in the Korean War and calls himself John Kirkpatrick.

Unidentified sources in the FDN quoted in today's Miami Herald said the American; in his 50s and of ''military cut;'' described himself as an expert in psychological warfare who was working toward a doctorate in the subject.

He contacted the guerrillas when he arrived in Tegucigalpa around October 1983; and slept in rebel-run ''safe houses'' in the Honduran capital; not the CIA residences known to guerrilla leaders; the sources said.

The man was nonetheless seen several times in the company of known CIA agents; and once claimed he had performed ''contract jobs'' for the intelligence agency; they said.

He ''worked for us for two months;'' Chamorro said.

White House officials have described the manual as an unauthorized product of a low-level CIA contract employee operating in Central America.

The Post story today cited a classified intelligence report that rebel actions over the previous four months had included assassinations of minor government officials and a Cuban adviser.

Chamorro acknowledged that the guerrillas have killed some government officials in three years of fighting; but said the number killed was small and called the victims ''Sandinista criminals.''

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†CIA Manual Tells Nicaraguan Rebels to Hire Criminals
†By ROBERT PARRY
†Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) - The CIA produced a psychological warfare manual for Nicaraguan rebels that instructs them to hire professional criminals for ''selective jobs'' and says some government officials can be ''neutralized'' with the ''selective use of violence,'' intelligence sources say.

The 90-page manual, written in Spanish, also urges the rebels to create a ''martyr'' by arranging a violent demonstration that leads to the death of one of their supporters, and it tells how to coerce Nicaraguans into carrying out assignments against their will.

A photostatic copy of the book was obtained by The Associated Press. Its authenticity and the CIA's role in its production were confirmed independently by U.S. intelligence sources, who insisted on anonymity.

After being produced by the CIA about a year ago, the manual entitled ''Psychological Operations in Guerrilla War'' was distributed inside the Honduran-based Nicaraguan Democratic Force, which is known by its Spanish initials FDN, the sources said.

FDN President Adolfo Calero, whose group is the largest rebel faction, said he first saw the manual ''less than a year ago'' and that it was given only to ''our top people.'' He denied that the CIA produced it, claiming it was a ''contribution'' from a supporter whose name he could not recall. He said the author's name on the cover - ''Tayacan'' - is a pen-name that means ''head man.''

Calero said that while the manual presents ''some applicable ideas, it also contains some things ... we would not accept and we do not practice. It talks about terrorism, which is something we haven't done.''

Although Nicaragua's leftist Sandinista government and some Americans living in the country have accused the FDN of murdering and kidnapping civilian officials, it could not be determined that any of the actions recommended by the manual were implemented.

CIA spokesman George Lauder refused comment on the manual.

Primarily, the manual stresses the need for political propaganda in a guerrilla war and most of it deals with routine instructions on how to conduct psychological operations designed to turn the people against the government.

''Guerrilla war is essentially a political war,'' the book's preface says. ''This book is a manual for training guerrillas in psychological operations and their application in the concrete case of the Christian and democratic crusade in which the freedom commandos are engaged in Nicaragua.''

It also counsels the rebels not to use ''explicit terror'' against the civilian population because that could cost support. It adds that rebels should ''demonstrate good conduct'' while dealing with the public.

But the manual endorses the ''selective use of violence'' against Nicaraguan judges, police and security officials. It says such people

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CAN BE ''NEUTRALIZED;'' BUT THAT THE TARGETS SHOULD BE SELECTED CAREFULLY BASED ON THEIR UNPOPULARITY WITH THE PEOPLE AND THE ''LEVEL OF VIOLENCE NECESSARY TO CARRY OUT THE CHANGE.''

''FOR PSYCHOLOGICAL EFFECT; IT IS NECESSARY TO TAKE EXTREME PRECAUTIONS; AND IT IS ESSENTIAL TO ASSEMBLE THE TOWNSPEOPLE SO THEY GATHER; TAKE PART IN THE ACTIVITY AND FORMULATE ACCUSATIONS AGAINST THE OPPRESSOR;'' THE MANUAL SAYS.

THE BOOK DOES NOT USE THE WORDS ''ASSASSINATE'' OR ''KILL;'' ALTHOUGH REFERENCES TO ''DANGER TO OTHER INDIVIDUALS IN THE AREA OF THE TARGET'' AND TO ASSESSING LIKELY REPLACEMENTS SUGGEST THAT THE GOAL IS TO REMOVE THE OFFICIALS PHYSICALLY.

AN EXECUTIVE ORDER SIGNED BY PRESIDENT REAGAN ON DEC. 4; 1981 SAID NO U.S. GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE ''SHALL ENGAGE IN OR CONSPIRE TO ENGAGE IN ASSASSINATION'' AND ADDS THAT NO INTELLIGENCE AGENCY ''SHALL PARTICIPATE IN OR REQUEST ANY PERSON TO UNDERTAKE ACTIVITIES FORBIDDEN BY THIS ORDER.''

THE MANUAL SAYS: ''IF POSSIBLE; PROFESSIONAL CRIMINALS SHOULD BE HIRED TO CARRY OUT SPECIFIC; SELECTIVE 'JOBS.' '' THE PRECISE NATURE OF THOSE ''JOBS'' - OR ''TRABAJOS'' IN THE ORIGINAL SPANISH - IS NOT EXPLAINED.

THE MANUAL ADDS THAT ''SPECIFIC JOBS SHOULD BE ASSIGNED TO OTHER ELEMENTS; WITH THE GOAL OF CREATING A 'MARTYR' FOR THE CAUSE.''

THE REBELS ARE ADVISED TO LEAD ''DEMONSTRATORS INTO CLASHES WITH THE AUTHORITIES; TO PROVOKE RIOTS OR SHOOTINGS; WHICH LEAD TO THE KILLING OF ONE OR MORE PERSONS; WHO WILL BE SEEN AS THE MARTYRS; THIS SITUATION SHOULD BE TAKEN ADVANTAGE OF IMMEDIATELY AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT TO CREATE EVEN BIGGER CONFLICTS.''

THE MANUAL ALSO INSTRUCTS THE REBELS HOW TO COERCE NICARAGUANS INTO CARRYING OUT ASSIGNMENTS AGAINST THEIR WILL. THE REBELS ARE TOLD TO DRAW A PERSON INTO MEETINGS WITH REBEL LEADERS WITHOUT HIM KNOWING THEIR IDENTITIES AND THEN THREATEN TO EXPOSE HIM TO POLICE ''IF HE FAILS TO COOPERATE.''

THE REBELS ARE TOLD THAT IF THEY SHOOT A CITIZEN TRYING TO FLEE; THE VILLAGE SHOULD BE INFORMED THAT THE PERSON WAS ''AN ENEMY OF THE PEOPLE'' WHO WOULD HAVE ALERTED THE SANDINISTAS - PROMPTING GOVERNMENT TROOPS TO ''CARRY OUT REPRISALS SUCH AS RAPE; PILLAGE; DESTRUCTION; KIDNAPPING AND SO FORTH.''

ONE SOURCE FAMILIAR WITH THE BOOK SAID THE CIA SENT THE MANUAL TO THE FDN AT ABOUT THE SAME TIME THE AGENCY SUPPLIED A COMIC BOOK-STYLE BOOKLET INSTRUCTING NICARAGUANS HOW TO SABOTAGE THEIR GOVERNMENT.

THAT BOOKLET; DISTRIBUTED IN NORTHERN NICARAGUA AND ALSO OBTAINED BY THE AP; URGED NICARAGUANS TO CALL IN SICK TO WORK; POUR SAND INTO ENGINES; CLOG TOILETS AND HURL FIREBOMBS AT POLICE OFFICES AND FUEL DEPOTS. ONLY 1;000 TO 2;000 COPIES WERE EVER DISTRIBUTED; THE SOURCE SAID.

IN JULY; BRIAN BARGER; CORRESPONDENT FOR THE PACIFIC NEWS SERVICE; QUOTED FDN PROPAGANDA CHIEF EDGAR CHAMORRO AS SAYING THE SABOTAGE AND PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE MANUALS WERE PROVIDED BY CIA ADVISERS LATE LAST YEAR AND MODIFIED SLIGHTLY TO MAKE THEM ''LOOK NICARAGUAN.''

REAGAN; WHO HAS ACCUSED THE SANDINISTAS OF AIDING MARXIST GUERRILLAS IN EL SALVADOR; AUTHORIZED THE NICARAGUAN COVERT ACTION IN DECEMBER 1981.

SINCE THEN; THE CIA REPORTEDLY HAS FUNNELED ABOUT $80 MILLION TO THE ANTI-SANDINISTA REBELS.

BUT FOLLOWING DISCLOSURES LAST APRIL THAT THE CIA DIRECTED THE MINING OF NICARAGUA'S HARBORS; CONGRESS REFUSED TO PROVIDE ANY MORE MONEY FOR GUERRILLA OPERATIONS UNTIL NEXT FEB. 28; AND THEN ONLY IF BOTH THE FULL HOUSE AND SENATE APPROVE.

EDITOR'S NOTE: ROBERT PARRY HAS REPORTED ON INTELLIGENCE ACTIVITIES AND CENTRAL AMERICA FOR THE ASSOCIATED PRESS SINCE 1981.

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NICARAGUA-MANUAL
BY ROBERT PARRY

WASHINGTON (AP) -- THE CIA PRODUCED A PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE MANUAL THAT URGES NICARAGUAN REBELS TO HIRE PROFESSIONAL CRIMINALS AND STATES THAT GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS CAN BE ''NEUTRALIZED'' WITH THE ''SELECTIVE USE OF VIOLENCE,'' ACCORDING TO INTELLIGENCE SOURCES.

THE U.S.-BACKED REBELS ARE ALSO TOLD TO CREATE A ''MARTYR'' BY PROVOKING A VIOLENT DEMONSTRATION THAT LEADS TO THE DEATH OF ONE OF THEIR SUPPORTERS AND TO COERCE RELUCTANT NICARAGUANS TO COOPERATE BY THREATENING TO TELL THE GOVERNMENT THEY ARE INVOLVED WITH THE INSURGENCY.

A PHOTOSTATIC COPY OF THE 90-PAGE MANUAL WAS OBTAINED BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS. ITS AUTHENTICITY AND THE CIA'S ROLE IN ITS PRODUCTION WERE CONFIRMED INDEPENDENTLY BY U.S. INTELLIGENCE SOURCES, WHO SPOKE ONLY ON CONDITION THEY NOT BE IDENTIFIED.

PRODUCED BY THE CIA ABOUT A YEAR AGO, THE MANUAL ENTITLED ''PSYCHOLOGICAL OPERATIONS IN GUERRILLA WAR'' WAS DISTRIBUTED INSIDE THE HONDURAN-BASED NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC FORCE, THE LARGEST OF THE U.S.-BACKED REBEL GROUPS, WHICH IS KNOWN BY ITS SPANISH INITIALS FDN, THE SOURCES SAID.

FDN PRESIDENT ADOLFO CALERO SAID THAT WHILE THE MANUAL PRESENTS ''SOME APPLICABLE IDEAS, IT ALSO CONTAINS SOME THINGS ... WE WOULD NOT ACCEPT AND WE DO NOT PRACTICE. IT TALKS ABOUT TERRORISM, WHICH IS SOMETHING WE HAVEN'T DONE.''

CALERO SAID HE FIRST SAW THE MANUAL ''LESS THAN A YEAR AGO'' AND THAT IT WAS GIVEN ONLY TO ''OUR TOP PEOPLE.'' HE DENIED THAT THE CIA PRODUCED IT, CLAIMING THAT IT WAS A ''CONTRIBUTION'' FROM A SUPPORTER WHOSE NAME HE COULD NOT RECALL. HE SAID THE AUTHOR'S NAME ON THE COVER -- ''TAYACAN'' -- IS A PEN-NAME THAT MEANS ''HEAD MAN.''

ALTHOUGH NICARAGUA'S LEFTIST SANDINISTA GOVERNMENT AND SOME AMERICANS LIVING IN THE COUNTRY HAVE ACCUSED THE FDN OF MURDERING AND KIDNAPPING CIVILIAN OFFICIALS, IT COULD NOT BE DETERMINED THAT THE ADVICE IN THE MANUAL WAS FOLLOWED.

CIA SPOKESMAN GEORGE LAUDER REFUSED COMMENT ON THE MANUAL.

THE MANUAL DISCUSSES THE IMPORTANCE OF POLITICAL PROPAGANDA IN A GUERRILLA WAR AND MOSTLY DEALS WITH ROUTINE INSTRUCTIONS ON HOW TO CONDUCT PSYCHOLOGICAL OPERATIONS, ACTS DESIGNED TO TURN THE PEOPLE AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT.

''THIS BOOK IS A MANUAL FOR TRAINING GUERRILLAS IN PSYCHOLOGICAL OPERATIONS AND THEIR APPLICATION IN THE CONCRETE CASE OF THE CHRISTIAN AND DEMOCRATIC CRUSADE IN WHICH THE FREEDOM COMMANDOS ARE ENGAGED IN NICARAGUA,'' THE BOOK'S PREFACE SAYS.

IT ALSO COUNSELS THE REBELS NOT TO USE ''EXPLICIT TERROR'' AGAINST THE GENERAL CIVILIAN POPULATION AND ADDS THAT REBELS SHOULD ''DEMONSTRATE GOOD CONDUCT'' IN DEALING WITH THE PUBLIC.

BUT THE MANUAL ENDORSES THE ''SELECTIVE USE OF VIOLENCE'' AGAINST NICARAGUAN JUDGES, POLICE AND SECURITY OFFICIALS. THE MANUAL SAID SUCH PEOPLE CAN BE ''NEUTRALIZED'' BUT THAT THE TARGETS SHOULD BE CHOSEN CAREFULLY BASED ON THEIR UNPOPULARITY WITH TE PEOPLE AND THE ''LEVEL OF VIOLENCE NECESSARY TO CARRY OUT THE CHANGE.''

THE BOOK DOES NOT USE THE WORDS ''ASSASSINATE'' OR ''KIDNAP'' ALTHOUGH REFERENCES TO ''DANGER TO OTHER INDIVIDUALS IN THE AREA OF THE TARGET'' AND TO ASSESSING LIKELY REPLACEMENTS SUGGEST THAT THE GOAL IS TO REMOVE THE OFFICIALS PHYSICALLY.

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DOWNEY'S LETTER CITED AN ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT MONDAY THAT SAID THE BOOK ALSO URGES THE HIRING OF PROFESSIONAL CRIMINALS FOR ''SELECTIVE JOBS'' AND COERCING NICARAGUANS INTO CARRYING OUT ASSIGNMENTS AGAINST THEIR WILL.

DOWNEY CALLED ON THE COMMITTEE TO ''INVESTIGATE THESE ALLEGATIONS AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.''

THE NEW YORK DEMOCRAT SAID IN AN INTERVIEW WEDNESDAY HE HOPED THAT THE REVIEW COULD BEGIN SHORTLY AFTER THE NOV. 6 ELECTIONS.

DOWNEY SAID THE INVESTIGATION SHOULD EXAMINE HOW THE MANUAL WAS PRODUCED; AT WHAT LEVEL IT WAS APPROVED AND WHETHER ANY OF THE RECOMMENDATIONS HAD BEEN FOLLOWED.

MORTON HALPERIN; DIRECTOR OF THE CENTER FOR NATIONAL SECURITY STUDIES; A WASHINGTON RESEARCH ORGANIZATION AFFILIATED WITH THE AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION;; SAID THE CIA'S ROLE IN PRODUCING THE MANUAL ''CALLS INTO QUESTION THE CREDIBILITY OF THE CIA'S ROUTINE ASSERTIONS THAT (ALLEGATIONS IT IS INVOLVED IN POLITICAL KILLINGS) ARE NOT TRUE BECAUSE THE AGENCY COMPLIES WITH THE PRESIDENT'S EXECUTIVE ORDER.''

ADOLFO CALERO; HEAD OF THE HONDURAN-BASED NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC FORCE; THE LARGEST U.S.-SUPPORTED REBEL GROUP; CONFIRMED RECEIVING THE MANUAL BUT DENIED THAT IT WAS FROM THE CIA. HE SAID IT CAME FROM A SUPPORTER HE WOULD NOT NAME AND SAID SOME PARTS WERE IGNORED BECAUSE ''IT TALKS ABOUT TERRORISM; WHICH IS SOMETHING WE HAVEN'T DONE.''

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BOLAND; USING HIS TOUGHEST LANGUAGE TO DATE IN ATTACKING CIA COVERT SUPPORT FOR THE REBELS; SAID ''THE DOCUMENT SHOULD NEVER HAVE BEEN PRODUCED BY ANY ELEMENT OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT. IT ESPOUSES THE DOCTRINE OF LENIN; NOT JEFFERSON.

''IT EMBRACES THE COMMUNIST REVOLUTIONARY TACTICS THE UNITED STATES HAS PLEDGED TO DEFEAT THROUGHOUT THE WORLD. ITS EMPHASIS ON DECEIVING THE POPULACE MAKES A MOCKERY OF AMERICAN CHAMPIONSHIP OF DEMOCRATIC VALUES.''

THE MANUAL SUGGESTS ARRANGING A VIOLENT DEMONSTRATION THAT WILL LEAD TO THE DEATH OF ONE OR MORE REBEL SUPPORTERS AND THE CREATION OF A ''MARTYR.'' IT ALSO INSTRUCTS THE REBELS IN HOW TO COERCE NICARAGUANS INTO CARRYING OUT ASSIGNMENTS AGAINST THEIR WILL.

IN HIS LETTER; BOLAND SAID THE MANUAL ''OFFERS PROOF (THAT) THE SECRET WAR IN NICARAGUA IS NOT DIRECTED AGAINST SANDINISTA ARMS SHIPMENTS (TO) SALVADORAN GUERRILLAS. THE WAR IS AN EFFORT TO OVERTHROW THE SANDINISTAS;'' NICARAGUA'S LEFTIST RULING GROUP.

''ADMINISTRATION OFFICIALS HAVE ALWAYS DENIED THIS; BUT THE MANUAL CLEARLY ADOPTS THE CONTRAS AVOWED AIM OF DEPOSING THE GOVERNMENT IN MANAGUA. FURTHER; THE MANUAL REVEALS BOTH THE CONSCIOUS TARGETING OF INDIVIDUALS FOR 'NEUTRALIZATION' AND A DISREGARD FOR THE SAFETY OF INNOCENT CITIZENS IN DEMONSTRATIONS THAT IS REPUGNANT TO A NATION THAT CONDEMNS SUCH ACTS IN OTHERS.''

BOLAND ALSO COMPARED THE MANUAL TO CIA-DIRECTED MINING OF NICARAGUA'S HARBORS EARLY THIS YEAR.

''LIKE THE MINING OF NICARAGUA'S HARBORS; THE MANUAL WAS NOT REVEALED TO THE COMMITTEE UNTIL AFTER THE FACT; AND THEN ONLY AFTER THE COMMITTEE ASKED ABOUT IT. ... LIKE THE MINING; THE MANUAL IS A DISASTER FOR U.S. FOREIGN POLICY.

''I AM APPALLED BY THE IMAGE OF THE UNITED STATES THAT THE MANUAL PORTRAYS.''

ON WEDNESDAY; ADMINISTRATION OFFICIALS CONTINUED TO REFUSE COMMENT ON REPORTS ABOUT THE MANUAL; AND SEN. DANIEL PATRICK MOYNIHAN; D-N.Y.; VICE CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE; TOLD THE CIA TO EXPLAIN THE MANUAL TO THAT PANEL BY THE END OF THE WEEK.

CIA SPOKESWOMAN PATTI VOLZ SAID WEDNESDAY THE AGENCY STILL HAD NO COMMENT ON THE REPORT AND THE STATE DEPARTMENT REFUSED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS ABOUT IT.

WHEN ASKED IF THE ''RECOMMENDATIONS OUTLINED IN THE CIA MANUAL'' CONFLICT WITH THE ADMINISTRATION'S ANTI-TERRORISM STAND; DEPUTY STATE DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN ALAN ROMBERG SAID: ''YOU'RE IDENTIFYING IT AS A CIA MANUAL AND I'M NOT COMMENTING ON IT IN ANY WAY.''

IN ANOTHER DEVELOPMENT; REP. THOMAS J. DOWNEY; D-N.Y.; CALLED ON THE HOUSE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE TO INVESTIGATE CIRCUMSTANCES SURROUNDING THE MANUAL; ENTITLED ''PSYCHOLOGICAL OPERATIONS IN GUERRILLA WARFARE.''

''I FIND IT HARD TO BELIEVE THAT HE U.S. GOVERNMENT WOULD PLACE ITSELF IN THE POSITION OF ENCOURAGING TERRORISM; BUT THAT IS WHAT THE MANUAL SEEMS TO BE DOING;'' DOWNEY SAID IN A LETTER TO THE COMMITTEE.

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†Intelligence Committee Chairman Denounces CIA Manual

†By ROBERT PARRY

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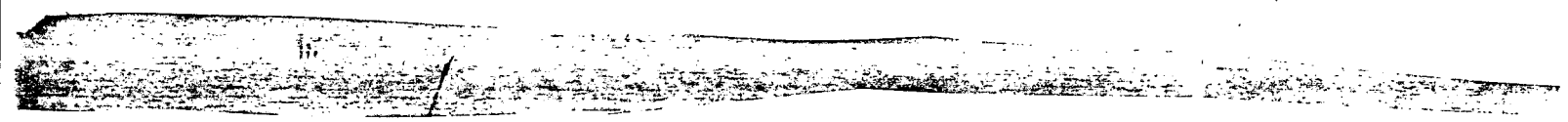

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A copy of the manual was obtained by The Associated Press; and Boland said the House Intelligence Committee had been unaware of its existence until the AP supplied it a copy Oct. 1.

In a report Monday; the AP; citing inteligence sources; said the manual was produced by the CIA.

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''The committee was unware of the document until it was obtained by The Associated Press;'' Boland said. ''Since that time; the committee staff has been exploring with the CIA the reasons for its production and distribution. That investigation is not yet complete.''

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Democrats Decry CIA Support for Terrorism
By JOEL BRINKLEY
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WASHINGTON - Democrats in Congress reacted angrily Wednesday to reports that the Central Intelligence Agency had prepared a primer for Nicaragua's anti-Sandinista guerrillas that includes advice on how to kidnap and kill government officials.

Rep. Edward P. Boland, the Massachusetts Democrat who is chairman of the House Select Committee on Intelligence, announced that his committee is conducting an investigation. He said the CIA had never told the committee of the primer and that he was "appalled by the image of the United States that the primer portrays."

Sen. Daniel P. Moynihan, the New York Democrat who is vice chairman of the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence, said he has directed a senior CIA official to report to the Senate committee by Friday on what the agency "has learned about the facts surrounding this document."

A CIA spokesman said the agency would comply but offered no other comment.

Among the advice included in the 42-page booklet are instructions for blackmailing Nicaraguan citizens so they can be coerced to work for the anti-Sandinista rebels, arranging the deaths of fellow rebels to create "martyrs" for their cause, staging violence by armed mobs and arranging public executions of Nicaraguan government officials.

All that, the primer says, is to "improve the public attitude of the people" toward the guerrillas.

Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, D-Mass., said: "The fundamental question is, did President Reagan know about the CIA's role in the preparation of this reprehensible document, and if he didn't, what is he going to do about it now?"

The White House declined to comment Wednesday.

A House Intelligence Committee staff member said the CIA has "given us some answers" about the primer "but certainly not everything we want."

Boland, in a letter to Rep. Thomas J. Downey, the New York Democrat who requested an investigation, wrote that like the mining of Nicaragua's harbors, "the manual is a disaster for United States foreign policy."

The CIA directed the harbor mining last year, but did not inform Congress. "Like the mining," Boland wrote, "the manual was not revealed to the committee."

He added that it "never should have been produced by any element of the United States government. It embraces the Communist revolutionary tactics the United States is pledged to defeat throughout the world."

One of the questions the committee has been considering, the staff member said, is whether the primer violates presidential and CIA directives forbidding involvement in assassinations.

The primer never uses the word assassination. It advises the rebels to "neutralize" selected public officials, such as "court judges, police and state security officers."

Sen. Claiborne Pell, the Rhode Island Democrat who is ranking minority member of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, said: "The administration has launched an aggressive anti-terrorism campaign, and yet we seem to be engaged in the very same terrorist activities which we deplore elsewhere."

Sen. Christopher J. Dodd, the Connecticut Democrat who is a member of the Foreign Relations Committee, pointed out that twice this year he had offered amendments in the Senate that would forbid the CIA to use any money in Nicaragua for terrorism or terrorist-related activities. Both times, in April and October, the amendments have been narrowly defeated.

Wednesday Dodd said: "This administration has been vociferous in its condemnation of state-supported terrorism. But this document makes a mockery of that position. If this isn't state supported terrorism, then I don't know what is."

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NICARAGUA-MANUAL (TOPS N070)

BY ROBERT PARRY

WASHINGTON (AP) -- THE VICE CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE ON WEDNESDAY DEMANDED AN EXPLANATION FROM THE CIA ABOUT A MANUAL IT REPORTEDLY PRODUCED FOR NICARAGUAN REBELS SAYING SOME OFFICIALS OF THE COUNTRY'S LEFTIST GOVERNMENT CAN BE ''NEUTRALIZED'' WITH ''SELECTIVE USE OF VIOLENCE.''

SEN. DANIEL PATRICK MOYNIHAN, D-N.Y., PANEL VICE CHAIRMAN, SAID HE HAD ASKED THE SPY AGENCY TO REPORT BY FRIDAY ON ''WHAT IT HAS LEARNED ABOUT THE FACTS SURROUNDING THIS DOCUMENT.''

MEANWHILE, THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION CONTINUED TO REFUSE TO DISCUSS THE MANUAL. CIA SPOKESWOMAN PATTI VOLZ SAID WEDNESDAY THE AGENCY STILL HAD NO COMMENT ON THE REPORT AND THE STATE DEPARTMENT REFUSED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS ABOUT IT.

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NICARAGUA-MANUAL
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THE MANUAL NEVER STATES CLEARLY WHAT IT MEANS BY ''NEUTRALIZED,'' ''SELECTIVE USE OF VIOLENCE,'' OR ''SELECTIVE JOBS'' TO BE GIVEN TO PROFESSIONAL CRIMINALS.

AN EXECUTIVE ORDER, SIGNED BY PRESIDENT REAGAN ON DEC. 4, 1981, STATED THAT NO ONE OPERATING ON BEHALF OF THE U.S. GOVERNMENT ''SHALL ENGAGE IN OR CONSPIRE TO ENGAGE IN ASSASSINATION.'' IT ADDED THAT NO INTELLIGENCE AGENCY ''SHALL PARTICIPATE IN OR REQUEST ANY PERSON TO UNDERTAKE ACTIVITIES FORBIDDEN BY THIS ORDER.''

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BOLAND SAYS THE STAFF OF HIS COMMITTEE IS TRYING TO FIND OUT FROM THE C-I-A WHY THE REPORT WAS PUT TOGETHER AND DISTRIBUTED.

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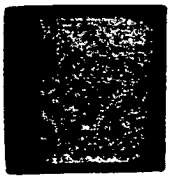

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HOUSE SPEAKER THOMAS P. O'NEILL JR., D-MASS., TODAY CALLED THE MANUAL ''ANOTHER ONE OF OUR DISASTERS TO OUR FOREIGN POLICY. ...IT'S JUST INCONCEIVABLE THAT OUR GOVERNMENT WOULD PUT OUT AN INSTRUCTION BOOKLET ON HOW TO ASSASSINATE POLITICAL FIGURES, AND NO CONCERN FOR THE INNOCENT BYSTANDERS.''

ON ABC'S ''NIGHTLINE'' PROGRAM WEDNESDAY NIGHT, DEMOCRATIC VICE PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE GERALDINE FERRARO DECLARED THAT ''COVERT ACTION SHOULD BE STOPPED IN THAT REGION OF THE WORLD. AGAIN, WE'RE MILITARIZING A CONFLICT WHERE IT CAN BE SETTLED BY NEGOTIATION.''
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THE FUROR OVER THE 90-PAGE MANUAL, ENTITLED ''PSYCHOLOGICAL OPERATIONS IN GUERRILLA WAR,'' HAS ALSO REVIVED CONGRESSIONAL CALLS FOR THE OUSTER OF CIA DIRECTOR WILLIAM J. CASEY, PRESIDENT REAGAN'S LONGTIME FRIEND AND A CHIEF ARCHITECT OF U.S. POLICY IN CENTRAL AMERICA.

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IT ALSO STATES THAT UNPOPULAR GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS, INCLUDING JUDGES, POLICE AND SECURITY OFFICIALS, CAN BE ''NEUTRALIZED'' WITH THE ''SELECTIVE USE OF VIOLENCE.'' HOWEVER, THE PRECISE MEANINGS OF ''NEUTRALIZED'' AND ''SELECTIVE JOBS'' FOR CRIMINALS ARE NOT MADE CLEAR.

BOLAND SAID THE HOUSE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE, RESPONSIBLE FOR OVERSEEING CIA ACTIVITIES, HAD BEEN UNAWARE OF THE MANUAL UNTIL THE AP PROVIDED A COPY TO THE PANEL EARLIER THIS MONTH. ''SINCE THAT TIME, THE COMMITTEE STAFF HAS BEEN EXPLORING WITH THE CIA THE REASONS FOR ITS PRODUCTION AND DISTRIBUTION,'' BOLAND SAID. ''THAT INVESTIGATION IS NOT YET COMPLETE.''

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WASHINGTON (AP) - PRESIDENT REAGAN TODAY ORDERED THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY TO INVESTIGATE ''THE POSSIBILITY OF IMPROPER CONDUCT'' IN CONNECTION WITH ITS PRODUCTION OF A PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE MANUAL FOR NICARAGUAN REBELS THAT SAYS SOME LEFTIST GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS COULD BE ''NEUTRALIZED'' WITH THE ''SELECTIVE USE OF VIOLENCE.''
''THE ADMINISTRATION HAS NOT ADVOCATED OR CONDONED POLITICAL ASSASSINATION OR ANY OTHER ATTACKS ON CIVILIANS; NOR WILL WE;'' DEPUTY WHITE HOUSE PRESS SECRETARY LARRY SPEAKES SAID IN A WRITTEN STATEMENT THAT DIVULGED REAGAN'S ORDER FOR AN INVESTIGATION.
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AT THE SAME TIME; THE REPUBLICAN CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE DEMANDED ''A COMPLETE REPORT'' FROM THE CIA ON THE MANUAL.
SEN. BARRY GOLDWATER; R-ARIZ.; CALLED FOR THE REPORT ''AS SOON AS POSSIBLE;'' NOTING THAT PUBLISHED REPORTS ABOUT THE MANUAL SUGGEST THAT IT MAY VIOLATE RULES AGAINST U.S. PARTICIPATION IN ASSASSINATIONS AND A LAW REQUIRING THAT CONGRESS BE KEPT INFORMED ON INTELLIGENCE MATTERS.
''BECAUSE OF THE NATURE OF THESE ALLEGATIONS; I FEEL IT IS A VERY SERIOUS PROBLEM AND ONE THAT MUST BE RESOLVED IMMEDIATELY;'' GOLDWATER SAID IN A STATEMENT ISSUED BY HIS OFFICE IN ARIZONA.
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AT THE WHITE HOUSE; SPEAKES SAID OPPOSITION TO POLITICAL ASSASSINATIONS WAS ''THE CLEAR POLICY OF THIS ADMINISTRATION'' AS EXPRESSED IN AN EXECUTIVE ORDER REAGAN SIGNED DEC. 4; 1981.
HE SAID REAGAN TODAY HAD ''ASKED THE DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE TO DIRECT THE CIA INSPECTOR GENERAL TO INVESTIGATE THE POSSIBILITY OF IMPROPER CONDUCT ON THE PART OF EMPLOYEES OF THE CIA IN REGARD TO THE PUBLICATION OF A MANUAL FOR THE NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC RESISTANCE FORCES.''
SPEAKES ADDED; ''THIS INVESTIGATION WILL DETERMINE WHETHER THERE WERE ANY MANAGERIAL DEFICIENCIES. ALL AVAILABLE INFORMATIION IS BEING GATHERED; AND THE DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE WILL BE PREPARED TO BRIEF THE CONGRESSIONAL OVERSIGHT COMMITTEES PROMPTLY ON THE FACTS WHEN THEY ARE DETERMINED.''
''THE U.S. GOVERNMENT HAS HISTORICALLY APPROVED SUPPORT TO PEOPLE AND SMALL COUNTRIES RESISTING SUBVERSION OR TOTALITARIAN OPPRESSION;'' THE STATEMENT SAID.
''WHERE SUCH ASSISTANCE IS REQUIRED; IT IS IMPORTANT THAT SUCH SUPPORT BE CONSISTENT WITH AMERICAN VALUES AND CARRIED OUT SO AS TO WIN AND INCREASE THE LOYALTY AND CONFIDENCE OF THE CIVILIAN POPULATION;'' THE STATEMENT SAID.
EARLIER; REP. EDWARD P. BOLAND; D-MASS.; CHAIRMAN OF THE HOUSE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE; DENOUNCED THE BOOK AS ''REPUGNANT'' AND A ''DOCUMENT (THAT) SHOULD NEVER HAVE BEEN PRODUCED BY ANY ELEMENT OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT.''
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PICTURE
MONDALE WANTS CASEY OUT BY SUNDAY'S DEBATE
BY DAVID LAWSKY

WASHINGTON (UPI) -- WALTER MONDALE HAS DEMANDED THAT PRESIDENT REAGAN FIRE CIA DIRECTOR WILLIAM CASEY BEFORE SUNDAY'S DEBATE BECAUSE OF A CIA PAMPHLET THAT ADVOCATES ASSASSINATION TO OVERTHROW THE GOVERNMENT OF NICARAGUA.

TAKING A BREAK FROM STUDYING FOR THE KANSAS CITY, MO., CONFRONTATION ON FOREIGN POLICY, MONDALE SAID, "WE HAVE ... A PROFOUND EMBARRASSMENT TO OUR COUNTRY AND NO ONE CAN GIVE AN ANSWER."

HE CHALLENGED REAGAN TO FIRE CASEY FOR THE AGENCY'S PRODUCTION OF THE PRIMER FOR NICARAGUAN REBELS, WHICH SUGGESTS WAYS TO "NEUTRALIZE" SANDINISTA GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS. MONDALE SAID CASEY'S FIRING MUST BE "BEFORE THE SUNDAY DEBATE SO THAT WE CAN GET ON TO THE NECESSARY WORK OF RESTORING THE STRENGTH AND CREDIBILITY OF THAT CRUCIAL AGENCY."

MONDALE SAID REAGAN SHOULD SAY WHETHER HE KNEW WHAT WAS GOING ON AND SHOULD EXPLAIN U.S. OBJECTIVES IN NICARAGUA.

REAGAN DID NOT RESPOND TO MONDALE'S CHARGE, BUT WHITE HOUSE OFFICIALS INDICATED THAT CASEY WOULD NOT BE FIRED.

INSTEAD, REAGAN TOOK A MOMENT OUT FROM HIS DEBATE PREPARATIONS TO SIGN IN A PRIVATE CEREMONY LEGISLATION PROVIDING $366 MILLION TO COMBAT THE "PERVASIVE THREAT" OF TERRORISM AND ASKED THAT FLAGS BE FLOWN AT HALF STAFF TUESDAY TO HONOR VICTIMS OF SUCH VIOLENCE.

MONDALE FOUND HIMSELF ON THE DEFENSIVE FRIDAY ABOUT HIS HEALTH.

HE ACCUSED THE WHITE HOUSE OF "TRYING TO SPREAD A STORY" DISTORTING HIS HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE CONDITION. HE SAID HE IS IN GOOD HEALTH AND SUFFERS NO SIDE EFFECTS FROM HIS MEDICATION.

MONDALE'S HEALTH -- HE TAKES THREE MEDICATIONS TO TREAT HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE -- HAS BEEN THE SUBJECT OF SEVERAL NEWS STORIES SINCE THE OCT. 7 DEBATE WITH PRESIDENT REAGAN -- AN EXCHANGE THAT RAISED QUESTIONS ABOUT THE INCUMBENT'S OWN HEALTH AND AGE.

"I HAVE A MODEST HYPERTENSION PROBLEM," MONDALE SAID. "I'VE HAD IT FOR A COUPLE OF YEARS. IT HAS BEEN NICELY CONTROLLED BY RECOGNIZED, APPROVED MEDICATION. I AM IN GOOD HEALTH AND I'M IN GOOD SHAPE."

WHITE HOUSE SPOKESMAN LARRY SPEAKES DENIED THE WHITE HOUSE WAS TRYING TO SPREAD THE STORY.

MONDALE'S PRESS SECRETARY, MAXINE ISAACS, SAID: "SEVERAL RESPECTED JOURNALISTS HAVE TOLD ME THAT SINCE THE LOUISVILLE DEBATE THE WHITE HOUSE HAS BEEN TRYING TO SELL A PHONY STORY THAT WALTER MONDALE SUFFERS HEALTH PROBLEMS."

MONDALE, 56, HAS BEEN TREATED FOR HYPERTENSION FOR 13 YEARS. HE TAKES ANTENOLOL; DYAZIDE, A DIURETIC; AND HYDRALAZINE, WHICH RELAXES THE ARTERIES.

ANTENOLOL IS A BETA BLOCKER, WHICH IN SOME PATIENTS CAN CAUSE LETHARGY, DEPRESSION OR MOOD CHANGES.

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MONDALE JOINS HILL DEMOCRATS ASKING FOR CASEY'S OUSTER

BY ELIOT BRENNER

WASHINGTON (UPI) -- DEMOCRATS ARE DUMPING THE ISSUE OF A CIA "HOW TO" BOOK FOR NICARAGUAN REBELS IN PRESIDENT REAGAN'S LAP BEFORE HIS FOREIGN POLICY DEBATE WITH WALTER MONDALE AND DEMANDING THAT HE FIRE CIA DIRECTOR WILLIAM CASEY.

MONDALE JOINED THE CHORUS FRIDAY, ISSUING THREE "CHALLENGES" TO REAGAN, AMONG THEM, "THAT HE FIRE WILLIAM CASEY ... BEFORE THE SUNDAY EBATE SO THAT WE CAN GET ON TO THE NECESSARY WORK OF RESTORING THE STRENGTH AND CREDIBILITY OF THAT CRUCIAL AGENCY."

THE DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE JOINED THE GROWING LIST OF DEMOCRATS SEEKING CASEY'S OUSTER, BUT THE WHITE HOUSE MADE IT CLEAR FRIDAY THAT REAGAN DOES NOT INTEND TO ASK CASEY TO QUIT.

SPOKESMAN LARRY SPEAKES SAID REAGAN HAS NOT SPOKEN WITH CASEY ABOUT THE PRIMER THAT PROMOTES POLITICAL ASSASSINATIONS.

TAKING A BREAK FROM DEBATE PREPARATIONS, MONDALE CALLED THE BOOKLET A "PROFOUND EMBARRASSMENT" TO THE COUNTRY, AN OBVIOUS "VIOLATION OF THE LAW AND A VIOLATION" OF A PRESIDENTIAL ORDER BARRING POLITICAL ASSASSINATIONS.

HE SAID REAGAN SHOULD "TELL US WHAT WENT ON. DID HE KNOW THIS WAS BOING ON? IF HE DIDN'T KNOW, HOW COULD THAT POSSIBLY BE? I DON'T KNOW WHICH IS WORSE, KNOWING THAT THIS WAS GOING ON OR HAVING A GOVERNMENT WITH NO ONE IN CHARGE.

"LET'S HAVE THE FACTS BEFORE THE DEBATE," HE SAID, ADDING HE WANTS REAGAN TO "TELL US WHAT THE OBJECTIVE OF OUR GOVERNMENT IS IN NICARAGUA."

A SENIOR WHITE HOUSE OFFICIAL HAS SAID AN INITIAL PROBE OF THE MATTER BY THE INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY LEADS OFFICIALS TO "SUSPECT IT WAS THE WORK OF A LOW-LEVEL CONTRACT EMPLOYEE FOR THE CIA," WHO HE DESCRIBED AS "A FREEWHEELING FREE-LANCER."

REAGAN HAS ORDERED A CIA CHECK INTO "THE POSSIBILITY OF IMPROPER CONDUCT" BY AGENCY EMPLOYEES AND A WHITE HOUSE STATEMENT THURSDAY SAID THE ADMINISTRATION "HAS NOT ADVOCATED OR CONDONED POLITICAL ASSASSINATION OR ANY OTHER ATTACKS ON CIVILIANS, NOR WILL WE."

SECRETARY OF STATE GEORGE SHULTZ REJECTED ANY HIGH-LEVEL INVOLVEMENT IN THE MATTER, SAYING THERE HAD BEEN NO DISCUSSION OF "ANY SUCH THING" AT MEETINGS HE HAS ATTENDED.

"THE PRESIDENT WOULDN'T TOUCH THAT KIND OF THING WITH A 10-FOOT POLE," HE SAID.

THE TOP DEMOCRAT ON THE SENATE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE, DANIEL PATRICK MOYNIHAN OF NEW YORK, FRIDAY OFFERED A LONG LIST OF QUESTIONS HE WANTS ANSWERS TO WHEN THE CIA BRIEFS THE PANEL MONDAY.

HOUSE SPEAKER THOMAS O'NEILL, D-MASS., RETIRING REP. JAMES SHANNON, D-MASS., AND REP. GEORGE MILLER, D-CALIF., ALSO HAVE CALLED FOR CASEY'S RESIGNATION.

O'NEILL -- WHO SAID A CIA PROBE OF ITS OWN BOOKLET WOULD BE A "WHITEWASH" -- SAID CASEY SHOULD "GET OUT."

IF HE DOES NOT, SAID O'NEILL, "IT SHOWS THE PRESIDENT CONDONES THE ACTIONS OF MR. CASEY."

ADMINISTRATION AID TO THE "CONTRAS," ANTI-SANDINISTA REBELS, RAN OUT THIS SUMMER AND CONGRESS RECENTLY BARRED ADDITIONAL AID UNTIL AT LEAST MARCH.

MILLER AND REP. THOMAS DOWNEY, D-N.Y., ASKED ATTORNEY GENERAL WILLIAM FRENCH SMITH TO CONSIDER NAMING AN INDEPENDENT COUNSEL UNDER THE ETHICS IN GOVERNMENT ACT TO SEE IF CASEY OR HIS DEPUTY BROKE A LAW MAKING IT A CRIME "TO CONSPIRE TO INJURE OR DESTROY" PROPERTY IN A NATION AT PEACE WITH THE UNITED STATES.

THE TWO SAID THEY BELIEVE, "THIS MATERIAL PRESENTS SERIOUS QUESTIONS REGARDING THE POTENTIAL CRIMINAL LIABILITY" OF CIA OFFICIALS INVOLVED.

THE MANUAL AMOUNTS TO A "HOW TO" BOOK ON WINNING SUPPORT FROM THE NICARAGUAN PEOPLE AND THE BULK IS DEVOTED TO NON-VIOLENT PSYCHOLOGICAL TOOLS "ARMED PROPAGANDA TEAMS" CAN USE IN WINNING PEOPLE OVER.

BUT A SECTION ON THE "SELECTIVE USE OF VIOLENCE FOR PROPAGANDISTIC EFFECTS" SAYS, "IT IS POSSIBLE TO NEUTRALIZE CAREFULLY SELECTED AND PLANNED TARGETS, SUCH AS COURT JUDGES ... POLICE AND STATE SECURITY OFFICIALS."

ANOTHER SECTION SUGGESTS GUERRILLAS WHO KILL A FLEEING CIVILIAN SAY THE PERSON WAS A SANDINISTA INFORMER.

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BY ELIOT BRENNER

WASHINGTON (UPI) -- DEMOCRATIC PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE WALTER MONDALE SAID FRIDAY PRESIDENT REAGAN SHOULD FIRE CIA DIRECTOR WILLIAM CASEY FOR THE SPY AGENCY'S PRODUCTION OF A "HOW TO" PRIMER FOR NICARAGUAN REBELS THAT SUGGESTS POLITICAL ASSASSINATIONS.

JUST DAYS BEFORE HE AND REAGAN DEBATE FOREIGN POLICY IN FRONT OF A NATIONAL TELEVISION AUDIENCE, MONDALE TERMED THE BOOKLET A "PROFOUND EMBARRASSMENT" TO THE COUNTRY AND AN OBVIOUS "VIOLATION OF THE LAW AND A VIOLATION" OF A PRESIDENTIAL ORDER BARRING POLITICAL ASSASSINATIONS.

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REAGAN HAS TOLD THE CIA TO CONDUCT AN INVESTIGATION TO SEE IF THERE IS "THE POSSIBILITY OF IMPROPER CONDUCT" BY AGENCY EMPLOYEES, AN INVESTIGATION HOUSE SPEAKER THOMAS O'NEILL PREDICTED "IS GOING TO BE A WHITEWASH." THE WHITE HOUSE ALSO SAID THE ADMINISTRATION "HAS NOT ADVOCATED OR CONDONED POLITICAL ASSASSINATION OR ANY OTHER ATTACKS ON CIVILIANS, NOR WILL WE."

THE SENATE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE WILL BE BRIEFED BY A CIA OFFICIAL MONDAY, AND THE TOP-RANKING DEMOCRAT ON THE COMMITTEE, PATRICK MOYNIHAN OF NEW YORK, FRIDAY OFFERED UP A LONG LIST OF QUESTIONS HE WANTS ANSWERED.

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POLITICAL ROUNDUP
BY MIKE SHANAHAN

WASHINGTON (AP) -- WALTER F. MONDALE DEMANDED FRIDAY THAT PRESIDENT REAGAN FIRE CIA DIRECTOR WILLIAM CASEY BEFORE SUNDAY'S PRESIDENTIAL DEBATE BECAUSE OF THE DISTRIBUTION OF A CIA DOCUMENT THAT ENCOURAGES TERRORISM AGAINST THE LEFTIST SANDINISTA GOVERNMENT IN NICARAGUA.

FIVE DAYS AFTER THE EXISTENCE OF THE DOCUMENT FIRST BECAME KNOWN, THE DEMOCRATIC CHALLENGER ALSO CALLED ON THE PRESIDENT TO IMMEDIATELY EXPLAIN IF HE PLANS U.S. MILITARY ACTION AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT IN MANAGUA.

THE DISCLOSURE THAT THE CIA PRODUCED THE DOCUMENT ''IS A PROFOUND EMBARRASSMENT TO OUR COUNTRY,'' HE SAID.

MONDALE INTERRUPTED HIS DEBATE PREPARATIONS TO SPEAK TO REPORTERS OUTSIDE HIS NORTHWEST WASHINGTON HOME. REAGAN DEVOTED MUCH OF THE DAY TO STUDYING FOR SUNDAY'S DEBATE ON FOREIGN POLICY.

MEANWHILE, VICE PRESIDENT GEORGE BUSH CAMPAIGNED IN THE NORTHWEST, TELLING SHIPYARD WORKERS IN SEATTLE, SOME OF THEM WHOSE JOBS ARE THREATENED, ''WE DO PROMISE AND WE ARE PROVIDING A WHOLE NEW ECONOMIC CLIMATE THAT DOES OFFER HOPE.''

''YOU SEE DIFFICULTY IN THIS YARD -- SUPPORT PEOPLE THAT WANT TO CUT WAY BACK ON THE NAVY, SUPPORT PEOPLE THAT WANT TO CUT BACK ON THE NAVY BATTLEGROUPS FROM 13 TO 10 AND THEN SEE WHAT YOU'VE GOT AROUND HERE,'' BUSH SAID, BUT STIRRING DISAPPOINTMENT AMONG SOME WORKERS WHO EXPECTED ANNOUNCEMENT OF A SHIPBUILDING CONTRACT.

IN HIS ATTACK ON REAGAN, MONDALE SAID THE PRESIDENT SHOULD EXPLAIN HOW CONTRAS IN NICARAGUA WERE GIVEN INSTRUCTIONS ON HOW TO KILL LOCAL GOVERNMENT LEADERS AND HIRE CRIMINALS FOR SPECIFIC ACTS OF VIOLENCE AGAINST THE NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT.

''DID HE KNOW THIS WAS GOING ON,'' SAID MONDALE. ''IF HE DIDN'T KNOW HOW COULD THAT POSSIBLY BE. I DON'T KNOW WHICH IS WORSE, HAVING THAT GO ON OR HAVING A GOVERNMENT WITH NO ONE IN CHARGE SO THESE THINGS CONTRARY TO THE PUBLIC INTEREST CAN GO ON WITHOUT THE KNOWLEDGE OF THE PRESIDENT.''

''HOW COULD THESE ILLEGAL ACTS OCCUR?'' HE ASKED. ''LET'S HAVE THE FACTS BEFORE THE DEBATE. WHAT'S GOING ON HERE?''

''THE PURPOSE OF THIS ILLEGAL ACTIVITY BY THE CIA WAS NOT TO INTERDICT SUPPLIES FROM THE SANDINISTAS TO THE GUERRILLAS IN EL SALVADOR,'' HE SAID. ''IT WAS FOR THE EXPLICIT PURPOSE OF OVERTHROWING THE GOVERNMENT OF NICARAGUA.''

ASKED IF HE KNEW OF ANY SPECIFIC INCIDENTS IN WHICH THE ACTIONS DESCRIBED IN THE MANUAL WERE ACTUALLY CARRIED OUT, MONDALE REPLIED:

''THIS WAS A MANUAL THAT DIRECTED PEOPLE TO WHOM IT WAS ADDRESSED TO CARRY OUT POLITICAL ASSASSINATION, TO HIRE CRIMINALS AND OTHER ILLEGAL ACTS ...'' HE SAID. ''THOSE WERE THE ORDERS AND THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE MANUAL. SOMEBODY HAS TO BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THAT.''

''HOW MUCH OF THAT IN FACT HAPPENED IS INFORMATION I DO NOT HAVE,'' HE SAID.

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MONDALE DEMANDS REAGAN FIRE CIA DIRECTOR
By Neil Lewis
WASHINGTON; Oct 19; Reuter - Walter Mondale today demanded that President Reagan fire William Casey; the director of the Central Intelligence Agency (CIA); following the disclosure of a CIA-produced guerrilla warfare manual used in Nicaragua.
Speaking to reporters outside his northwest Washington home where he is preparing for a crucial Sunday night debate with Reagan focusing on foreign policy; he said the revelation about the manual which counsels assassination among other techniques damaged the CIA.
''This and other steps compels me to make one of three challenges to the president today;'' he said. ''The first is that he fire Bill Casey as the director of the CIA before the Sunday debate.''
Reagan has ordered an official CIA investigation into the manual which was intended for rebels fighting the Sandinista government. Administration officials have said the booklet was prepared by an overzealous CIA consultant.
Mondale today said: ''What we have is action by the CIA that injured that crucial agency; hurt our interests in Central America and strengthened the forces against us in that region.''
The 44-page document; written in Spanish; discusses what guerrillas should do to gain control over areas. It says that if it is necessary to shoot a citizen; the action should be justified by saying the victim was an informer. It also counsels that it may be necessary kill official targets such as policemen and judges.
Calling the revelation ''a profound embarrassment for our country;'' Mondale said it appeared to violate presidential directives forbidding the U.S. to employ or become involved in assassination.
He said the document raises the question of whether the administration is trying to overthrow the Managua government. He also challenged Reagan to detail his personal knowledge of the manual and to define his overall motives in Nicarragua.
On another matter; Mondale suggested that the White House was promoting a story that his health was poor; apparently to blunt the newly-emerged issue of whether Reagan is too old.
''The White House has for two weeks been trying to spread a story about my health;'' he said. ''I'm in good health.''
Mondale was asked about and denied a report in the Washington Times newspaper today that he changed the medication which he uses to control high blood pressure just before his first debate earlier this month with the president.
Earlier this week; Republican National Chairman Frank Fahrenkopf told an audience at the National Press Club that the underlying issue of the campaign should not be Reagan's age but Mondale's health. Mondale's campaign staff reacted angrily at the time; saying the assertion was ''absolutely false.''ŧ
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REBEL LEADER DISTRIBUTED CIA TERROR MANUAL; PAPER SAYS
MIAMI; OCT 20; REUTER - EDGAR CHAMORRO; A LEADER OF NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC FORCE (FDN) WAS THE ''PUBLISHER'' OR DISTRIBUTOR OF THE CIA-FINANCED BOOKLET ''PSYCHOLOGICAL OPERATIONS IN GUERRILLA WARS;'' THE MIAMI HERALD SAID IN TODAY'S EDITIONS.
CHAMORRO WAS QUOTED AS SAYING HIS ''CONTRA'' FORCES HAD EXECUTED A SMALL NUMBER OF SANDINIST ''CRIMINALS'' OR ''GOVERNMENT SPIES.''
CHAMORRO WAS INTERVIEWED BY THE HERALD'S HONDURAS-BASED CENTRAL AMERICAN CORRESPONDENT; JUAN TAMAYO.
TAMAYO ALSO QUOTED FDN SOURCES AS SAYING THE AUTHOR OF THE MANUAL WAS A CREW-CUTTED AMERICAN IN HIS 50'S WHO MANY BELIEVED TO BE A ''LOW-LEVEL (CIA) CONTRACT AGENT'' WHO ARRIVED IN TEGUCIGALPA; THE HONDURAN CAPITAL; IN THE FALL OF 1983.
CHAMORRO WAS QUOTED AS SAYING HE HAD RIPPED OUT FOUR PAGES OF ''CONDEMNABLE LANGUAGE'' FROM THE VERSION OF ''PSYCHOLOGICAL OPERATIONS'' SEEN BY CORRESPONDENTS IN WASHINGTON.
PASSAGES HE CUT INCLUDED A SECTION SUGGESTING USE OF PROFESSIONAL CRIMINALS FOR ''SPECIAL JOBS'' AND ANOTHER RECOMMENDING INCITEMENT OF MOB VIOLENCE ''TO CREATE A MARTYR FOR OUR CAUSE.''
CHAMORRO WAS QUOTED AS SAYING HE WAS ''SHOCKED'' BY THOSE SECTIONS OF THE MANUAL; OF WHICH HE RECEIVED 2;000 COPIES.
CHAMORRO DID NOT DISCLOSE WHERE THE BOOKLETS CAME FROM; BUT HE SAID THAT FEWER THAN 200 COPIES OF THE COMPLETE VERSION REACHED FDN CADRES.
ACCORDING TO THE NEW YORK TIMES; HE LEFT NICARAGUA IN JULY AND IS ONE OF SEVEN DIRECTORS OF THE HONDURAS-BASED REBEL GROUP.
THE TIMES SAID THE BOOKLET ''EXPLAINS HOW TO BLACKMAIL NICARAGUAN CITIZENS WHO ARE INITIALLY UNWILLING TO WORK FOR THE ANTI-SANDINISTA CAUSE.''ÿ
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EFE: FDN'S CHAMORRO SAYS 'ORIGINAL' CIA MANUAL 'NEVER USED'

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(BY JEANINE CAMPS)

(TEXT) MIAMI, 19 OCT (EFE) -- THE MANUAL ON TERRORIST TACTICS ISSUED BY THE CIA TO THE NICARAGUAN REBELS WAS TERMED "VERY REPULSIVE" BY THE VERY MEMBERS OF THE NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC FORCE (FDN) FOR WHOM IT WAS DESTINED, EDGAR CHAMORRO, MEMBER OF THE FDN DIRECTORATE STATED TODAY.

IN A TELEPHONE INTERVIEW WITH EFE, CHAMORRO STATED THAT HIS MEN NEVER USED THE ORIGINAL VERSION OF THE MANUAL ON "PHYSHOLOGICAL OPERATIONS IN GUERRILLA WARFARE," WHICH HAS BEEN CIRCULATED IN WASHINGTON, BUT A CORRECTED VERSION OF THE SAME.

"WE FOUND THE ORIGINAL VERSION VERY REPULSIVE AND REJECTED IT," CHAMORRO EXPLAINED. "WE TORE OUT THE MOST OFFENSIVE PAGES AND REPLACED THEM WITH OTHERS THAT I WROTE MYSELF."

THE MODIFICATIONS REFERRED TO BY CHAMORRO CONSISTED OF SUPPRESSING SOME PARAGRAPHS THAT ADVISED "HIRING PROFESSIONAL CRIMINALS FOR SPECIFIC JOBS" OR "CREATING A MARTYR BY LEADING DEMONSTRATORS TO A CONFRONTATION WITH THE AUTHORITIES TO PROVOKE RIOTS OR SHOOTING TO CAUSE THE DEATH OF ONE OR MORE PERSONS."

THE CORRECTED VERSION OF THE MANUAL TO WHICH EFE HAD ACCESS ADVISED, AMONG OTHER THINGS, THE SELECTIVE USE OF VIOLENCE FOR PROPOGANDA PURPOSES: "TARGETS CAREFULLY SELECTED AND PLANNED CAN BE USED, SUCH AS COURT MAGISTRATES, JUDGES AT POLLING PLACES, POLICE, AND SECURITY OFFICIALS, AND SO ON," THE MANUAL ADVISED.

IN A BID TO STOP THE POLITICAL UPROAR CAUSED BY THE APPEARANCE OF THE MANUAL A FEW WEEKS BEFORE THE PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION, PRESIDENT RONALD REAGAN ORDERED THE CIA AND THE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE TO INVESTIGATE "POSSIBLE LEGAL OR POLICY VIOLATIONS" BY CIA EMPLOYEES INVOLVED IN THE DRAFTING OF THE TEXT.

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FOR HIS PART, CHAMORRO TOLD EFE THAT THE MANUAL WAS NOT DELIVERED BY THE CIA BUT WRITTEN AND PRINTED IN HONDURAS FOR THE FDN WITH HELP FROM A U.S. VETERAN OF THE VIETNAM AND KOREAN WARS, WHOSE TIES TO THE CIA WERE NEVER CLARIFIED.

"PLEASE UNDERSTAND THAT THERE ARE MANY DEGREES OF COLLABORATION WITH THE CIA AND THAT MANY TIMES WE DO NOT ASK COLLABORATORS WHERE THEY COME FROM," CHAMORRO EXPLAINED.

"HE HAD A FEW NOTES FOR LECTURES THAT WE TRANSLATED TO MAKE UP THE MANUAL," CHAMORRO NOTED. HE DECLINED TO IDENTIFY THE VETERAN.

"HE IS A RETIREE WHO GAVE LESSONS ON PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE TO SPECIAL GROUPS IN OUR CAMPS AS AN EXTRA JOB."

CHAMORRO EXPRESSED SURPRISE AT THE APPEARANCE OF THE MANUAL "AT THIS TIME." A TOTAL OF 6,000 COPIES OF THE MANUAL WERE PRINTED "IN A LOCAL PRINTING SHOP" IN HONDURAS IN 1983.

THE FDN LEADER INSISTED THAT THE VERSION THEY DISTRIBUTED IS NOT THE SAME AS WASHINGTON'S. "THAT ONE ESCAPED FROM OUR CONTROL BECAUSE WE THOUGHT WE HAD DESTROYED ALL ORIGINALS. THE TACTICS RECOMMENDED IN THE MANUAL HAVE NEVER BEEN USED BY OUR FIGHTERS," HE SAID.

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ŧRebel Says 'Neutralization' Included Killing; But Excised From Manual

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MIAMI (AP) - A training manual that urges ''neutralization'' of government officials in Nicaragua by anti-Sandinista guerrillas is alluding to anything from ''humiliation'' to outright assassination; a rebel leader said Friday.

But Edgar Chamorro; chief of propaganda for the Nicaraguan Democratic Force; added that those sections of the manual that deal with actual killing of government officials were excised from the version distributed to rebel training camps.

''We thought it was offensive and morally wrong;'' Chamorro told The Associated Press. ''We destroyed those pages and we replaced them with other pages that I personally rewrote.''

Also excised; he said; was language suggesting the creation of ''martyrs.''

Chamorro acknowledged that the book was written largely by an American he characterized as a Vietnam veteran but wouldn't name; and added that the funds used to produce and print the book were funneled through this man.

He said he did not know whether the man had any connection with the CIA or the U.S. government.

Meanwhile; The Washington Post in Saturday editions quoted sources in the Nicaraguan rebel movement as saying that the author of the manual is a hard-drinking veteran who also fought in the Korean war and calls himself John Kirkpatrick.

The Post story also quoted a classified intelligence report prepared by the Defense Intelligence Agency in July 1982 as saying that insurgency incidents over the previous four months had included assassinations of minor government officials and a Cuban adviser.

White House officials have portrayed the 90-page book; characterized as a manual on psychological warfare; as an unauthorized product by a low-level CIA contract employee operating in Central America.

Chamorro; who said he personally supervised the translation of the manual; said that it contained ''Spanish guerrilla argot'' that may have confused some critics.

He said the word ''neutralization'' in the original version was meant to mean ''practically anything; from humiliating a person to making him shameful of the work he's doing.''

Asked if it could include assassination; he said; ''It could include that.'' But he claimed that the four pages of the manual that suggested assassinations were cut.

Such killing; he said; would be carried out - according to the original version of the manual - on government officials only after they had been labeled ''criminals.'' The job would be done by ''professional killers'' hired from the criminal class.

Chamorro claimed that about 2;000 copies of the manual were distributed in rebel-held border areas and that they were used to train about 500 rebels. He said about 200 copies of the earlier; unexpurgated version were printed and that he thought they had been destroyed.

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NICARAGUA-MANUAL
BY ROBERT PARRY

WASHINGTON (AP) -- DEMOCRATS, DISSATISFIED WITH PRESIDENT REAGAN'S ORDER OF AN INTERNAL REVIEW, ARE DEMANDING AN INDEPENDENT INVESTIGATION INTO THE CIA'S PRODUCTION OF A MANUAL ENDORSING ''SELECTIVE USE OF VIOLENCE'' AGAINST SOME OFFICIALS OF THE NICARAGUA'S LEFTIST GOVERNMENT.

PRESIDENT REAGAN ORDERED THE CIA ON THURSDAY TO CONDUCT AN INTERNAL REVIEW AND ASKED HIS THREE APPOINTEES WHO SIT ON THE INTELLIGENCE OVERSIGHT BOARD TO CARRY OUT A SEPARATE INQUIRY.

BUT HOUSE SPEAKER THOMAS P. O'NEILL JR. SAID ANY IN-HOUSE CIA INVESTIGATION COULD BE A ''WHITEWASH'' AND ADDED THAT THE PROBE SHOULD BE TURNED OVER TO THE CONGRESSIONAL GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE.

MEANWHILE, THE MANUAL EMERGED AS THE HOTTEST NEW ISSUE IN THE PRESIDENTIAL CAMPAIGN ONLY THREE DAYS BEFORE SUNDAY'S FOREIGN POLICY DEBATE BETWEEN REAGAN AND WALTER F. MONDALE.

DEMOCRATIC VICE PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEE GERALDINE FERRARO CITED IT AS AN EXAMPLE OF THE ADMINISTRATION'S ''MORAL BLINDNESS,'' AND ADDED: ''ANYONE WHO BELIEVES FOR ONE MINUTE THAT REFINING MURDER TECHNIQUES OF CENTRAL AMERICANS WILL ADVANCE OUR NATIONAL INTERESTS IS GRAVELY MISTAKEN.''

REAGAN'S ORDER FOR AN INVESTIGATION ALSO ENDED FOUR DAYS OF ADMINISTRATION SILENCE ON THE ISSUE AFTER THE ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORTED THE MANUAL'S EXISTENCE MONDAY.

THE WHITE HOUSE RESPONSE THURSDAY INCLUDED A STATEMENT THAT THE ADMINISTRATION ''HAS NOT ADVOCATED OR CONDONED POLITICAL ASSASSINATION.''

IN NEW YORK, REAGAN REJECTED NEW DEMANDS FOR THE OUSTER OF CIA DIRECTOR WILLIAM J. CASEY, SAYING ''THERE IS NO GUILT THERE.'' HE ALSO ASSERTED THAT THE AGENCY WAS ''NOT AT ALL'' OUT OF CONTROL DESPITE ITS ROLE IN PRODUCING THE 90-PAGE BOOK.

THE MANUAL, ENTITLED ''PSYCHOLOGICAL OPERATIONS IN GUERRILLA WAR,'' RECOMMENDS HIRING PROFESSIONAL CRIMINALS TO CARRY OUT ''SELECTIVE JOBS,'' CREATING A ''MARTYR'' BY ARRANGING A VIOLENT DEMONSTRATION THAT LEADS TO THE DEATH OF A REBEL SUPPORTER, AND COERCING NICARAGUANS INTO CARRYING OUT ASSIGNMENTS AGAINST THEIR WILL.

IT ALSO SAYS THAT UNPOPULAR NICARAGUAN OFFICIALS, INCLUDING JUDGES, POLICE AND SECURITY OFFICIALS, CAN BE ''NEUTRALIZED'' WITH THE ''SELECTIVE USE OF VIOLENCE.''
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President orders CIA to probe role in manual

By Robert Timberg
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NEW YORK — President Reagan yesterday ordered the Central Intelligence Agency to investigate "the possibility of improper conduct" in its writing of a guerrilla warfare manual that instructs Nicaraguan rebels in the techniques of political assassination, mob violence and the blackmailing of civilians.

The president also virtually absolved CIA director William J. Casey of responsibility, saying, "I think I know enough about it to know there is no guilt there."

Asked by reporters at a New York dinner if the CIA was out of control, the president replied, "Not at all. My own investigation and the CIA's investigation is going forward."

Earlier, a senior administration official told reporters here that the intelligence community believes the document was written by a "low-level" operative on contract to the CIA who was "working with the forces in the region."

The suspected author, the official said, had acted in a "free-wheeling, free-lancing" manner in drawing up the document, which the official likened to a "first draft."

Although the official said he did not know if the suspected author was an American, he said that the person had "previous Vietnam experience" and that authorship of the manual still reflected the light rein held on the CIA until the mid-1970s, when a host of agency abuses came to light and new congressional strictures were placed on it.

The official said that the manual was never approved by intelligence officials in Washington and that "it never would have been approved."

He added, however, that the manual had gone through "additional drafts," but he did not elaborate on that point.

The official further said that that he did not know to what extent the document had been distributed or if the CIA-backed Nicaraguan rebels had seen it. "What use was made of this, if any, we don't know," the official said.

In ordering an investigation, the president moved to quell the rapidly simmering controversy and to dissociate himself from it should it boil over in the closing weeks of the election campaign.

"The administration has not advocated or condoned political assassination or any other attacks on civilians, nor will we," said presidential spokesman Larry M. Speakes in a written statement.

He said that opposition to political assassination is "the clear policy of this administration" and that it was embodied in an executive order signed by the president on December 4, 1981.

Mr. Speakes said the president had asked CIA director Casey to direct the agency's inspector general "to investigate the possibility of improper conduct on the part of employees of the [CIA]" in regard to the manual.

Mr. Speakes said the internal probe would determine if there were "any violations of law or policy and whether there were any managerial deficiencies." All available information is being gathered, he continued, and Mr. Casey "will be prepared to brief congressional oversight committees promptly on the facts when they are determined."

Mr. Speakes said the U.S. government has historically aided "people and small countries resisting subversion or totalitarian oppression." But, he said, when such assistance is provided, "it is important that such support be consistent with American values and carried out so as to win and increase the loyalty and confidence of the civilian population."

In addition to ordering the CIA to look into the matter, Mr. Reagan also directed the President's Intelligence Oversight Board to investigate and report back to him "as soon as possible." That panel, which consists of appointees from outside the government, is headed by W. Glenn Campbell, who is associated with Stanford University's Hoover Institution on War, Revolution and Peace.

Executive Order 12333 of December 4, 1981 — the one cited by Mr. Speakes — states in a section entitled Prohibition on Assassination: "No person employed by or acting on behalf of the United States government shall engage in, or conspire to engage in, assassination."

The following section, entitled Indirect Participation, says: "No agency of the intelligence community shall participate in or request any person to undertake activities forbidden by this order."

At about the same time as the Speakes statement, Senate Intelligence Committee chairman Barry Goldwater (R, Ariz.) also was demanding an investigation.

In a statement released in Arizona, the senator said he wanted "a complete report" from the CIA on the production of the manual.

Mr. Goldwater said published reports indicated that the 44-page booklet, "Psychological Operations in Guerrilla Warfare," may violate rules against assassination, U.S. participation in assassinations and the law that Congress be kept informed about intelligence operations.

"Because of the nature of these allegations, I feel it is a very serious problem, one that must be resolved immediately," he said.

A day earlier, the House Intelligence Committee chairman, Edward P. Boland (D, Mass.), denounced the document as "repugnant to a nation that condemns such acts by others."

The senior administration official said Mr. Reagan first learned of the booklet Wednesday through a newspaper report and asked his national security adviser, Robert C. McFarlane, to inquire into it with the various intelligence agencies.

The booklet, essentially a primer on guerrilla warfare as practiced by some, explains how to "neutralize" officials, blackmail unwilling prospective collaborators and incite mob violence through the use of "professional criminals."

In addition, it seems to undercut the Reagan administration's standing contention that its aid to the Nicaraguan rebels is not aimed at overthrowing the Sandinista government.

At one point, for example, the booklet says that once guerrilla action has succeeded to a certain stage, "a commandante of ours will literally be able to shake up the San[illegible] replace it."

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CIA, equal pay flaps

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The Reagan administration became embroiled in two new political flaps Thursday — a controversial CIA briefing book for Nicaraguan rebels and an administration official's comment that comparable pay for men and women is "a truly crazy proposal."

The controversies:

■ An "incensed" President Reagan ordered two separate federal investigations of a CIA manual for Nicaraguan rebels on how to carry out assassinations — a violation of U.S. law — and other terrorist acts.

House Speaker Tip O'Neill, D-Mass. said an in-house investigation would be "a whitewash" and that CIA Director William Casey "ought to be out, forthwith." But Reagan said Casey should not be held responsible.

■ William Niskanen — a member of the president's Council of Economic Advisers — called comparable pay for men and women "a truly crazy proposal."

Niskanen told a gathering of Women in Government Relations that the sexual wage gap is the result of women interrupting careers for marriage and child-bearing.

William Poole, the other council member, said that he thought comparable pay "unwise."

The White House later said it stands behind the concept of "equal pay for equal work," and that Niskanen was voicing his own position.

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CIA

By Louis Peck
USA TODAY

WASHINGTON — The role of the Central Intelligence Agency in Central America appears likely to move to the front burner in Sunday's second and final presidential debate, following disclosure this week of a CIA manual advocating "selective violence" against members of Nicaragua's leftist regime.

To date, CIA backing of the covert war against Nicaragua's Sandinista government has not been in the forefront of the sniping between President Reagan and Democrat Walter Mondale over foreign policy.

In general terms, Mondale has attacked "the illegal war in Nicaragua." Reagan, meanwhile, has defended the Nicaraguan rebels as "freedom fighters" and accused Congress of attempting to "desert" them by extending a ban on aid until February.

Reagan Thursday ordered a probe into the authorship of the manual. Spokesman Larry Speakes said: "The administration has not advocated or condoned political assassination or any other attacks on civilians, nor will we."

The furor over the CIA's manual is not the first time the agency has been the subject of controversy in the 1984 campaign.

After the bombing of the U.S. Embassy annex in Lebanon Sept. 20, Reagan — facing criticism from the Democrats over security preparations — blamed the episode on the "near-destruction" of American intelligence capability before he took office.

Jimmy Carter called the charges "completely false," and Mondale — who served as Carter's vice president — termed Reagan's assertions "inexcusable." Reagan proceeded to back off his initial comments, saying they had been "distorted" by the press.

Controversy over the Beirut bombing resurfaced Thursday, amid reports that Reagan had ignored warnings from U.S. and Israeli intelligence before the attack. Mondale charged the latest disclosure showed Reagan "is not applying himself to know the essential facts that are required to command."

Said Vice President Bush, a former CIA director: "The White House didn't ignore any intelligence. You get tons of intelligence coming in, some of it hard, some of it unreliable."

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Reagan orders CIA to study manual for anti-Sandinistas

Washington

President Reagan ordered the CIA Thursday to investigate "the possibility of improper conduct" on the part of CIA employees in preparing a handbook for Nicaraguan guerrillas that suggested the use of political assassination and other tactics. "The administration has not advocated or condoned political assassination or any other attacks on civilians, nor will we," said a statement released by the White House.

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CIA conduct

FOR an agency that's supposed to operate in secrecy, the Central Intelligence Agency makes headlines with ironic frequency. This time it's because of charges that the CIA a year ago produced for Nicaraguan rebels a handbook on how to subvert the Sandinista government through guerrilla tactics, including deception and violence against the government and its leaders.

The report raises a number of questions, which congressional committees are already preparing to try to answer. The first is whether the CIA did write the handbook; the Associated Press, which circulated the first report, says intelligence sources have confirmed the CIA role. President Reagan has rightly ordered an inquiry.

If further probing confirms this authorship, the questions get harder. The handbook says some Sandinista officials can be "neutralized" — often a euphemism for assassination — by guerrillas. Does this violate a 1981 presidential directive that in effect forbids American intelligence agencies from involvement in assassinations?

But the fundamental question is whether promotion of activities such as outlined in the handbook is the kind of activity that a democratic society like the United States can support.

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C.I.A. Also Has Comic Book for Nicaraguans

Special to The New York Times

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18 — Congressional investigators conducting an inquiry of the Central Intelligence Agency's manual for Nicaraguan rebels say they are also investigating the agency's role in preparing a comic book for Nicaraguan citizens. The comic book shows how to puncture tires and stop up toilets as a means of overthrowing the Government.

The 16-page booklet, titled "Freedom Fighters' Manual," was distributed to anti-Sandinista guerrillas last spring, intelligence officials said today.

'Useful Sabotage Techniques'

It includes more than 40 illustrations, each of which shows Nicaraguans how they can "liberate Nicaragua from oppression and misery" by "a series of useful sabotage techniques, the majority of which can be performed with simple household tools."

These are among the suggestions, each of which is accompanied in the comic book by a cartoon-like illustration:

"Stop up toilets" with sponges.
"Pull down power cables."
"Put dirt into gas tanks."
"Put nails on roads and highways."
"Cut and perforate the upholstery of vehicles."
"Cut down trees over highways."
"Telephone to make false hotel reservations" and "false alarms of fires and crimes."
"Board and steal food from the Government."
"Leave lights on."

The C.I.A. would not comment not the comic book today.

The book's introduction says, "Our sacred cause needs to have more men and women join its ranks in order to perform these sabotage tasks.

"All Nicaraguans who love their country," it adds, "surely ask themselves what they can do with the means at their disposal" to "sabotage the Marxist tyranny."

"These are acts that can be done practically in an improvised way every time an occasion presents itself," the comic book says, and will "paralyze the military-industrial complex of the traitorous Marxist state."

No Collaborators Needed

It adds that "one combatant can perform many of these, without having to turn to collaborators or having to make detrailed plans beforehand."

The Central American Historical Institute, a part of Georgetown University in Washington, first obtained a copy of the comic book last summer, Betsy Cohn, the institute's director, said a Nicaraguan citizen mailed it to her.

Representative George Miller, Democrat of California, said he raised the issue of the comic book on the House floor in August, during debate over the Central Intelligence Agency's budget for 1985. He said the book did not get much attention then.

He said he learned from intelligence officials last summer that the comic book was the work of the C.I.A.

"People did not believe it was terribly serious then," Mr. Miller said today. "Obviously, from what we know now, it may have been a precursor to much more serious things."

'Didn't Look Very Nicaraguan'

Edgar Chamorro, an officer in the Honduras-based Nicaraguan Democratic Force, said in an interview with the Pacific News Service in July that "the C.I.A. wanted us to distribute" the comic books but that the illustrations "didn't look very Nicaraguan."

He said his organization assigned a Nicaraguan artist in Honduras to redraw the cartoons "to give a Nicaraguan face to the manual."

In the interview, Mr. Chamorro also said the rebels found a problem with one of the cartoon-book suggestions.

One of the illustrations advises Nicaraguans to steal mail from mailboxes. But Mr. Chamorro said, "In Nicaragua, we don't have any mailboxes."

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PRESIDENT ORDERS 2 INVESTIGATIONS ON C.I.A. MANUAL

Inquiries to Look Into Agency Role in Preparing Primer for Anti-Sandinistas

By JOEL BRINKLEY
Special to The New York Times

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18 — President Reagan ordered two investigations today into whether the Central Intelligence Agency acted improperly in preparing a manual for Nicaraguan rebels that includes advice on kidnapping and killing public officials.

One investigation is to be by the C.I.A.'s Inspector General and the other by the agency's oversight board.

Larry Speakes, the White House spokesman, said in a statement, "This Administration has not advocated or condoned political assassination nor any other attacks on civilians, nor will we."

He added that the investigations "will determine whether there were violations of law or policy and whether there were any managerial deficiencies."

Says Reagan Didn't Know

A senior Administration official also said today that Mr. Reagan did not know of the primer until "after it appeared in the newspaper yesterday." The manual's existence was first disclosed in a dispatch from Washington by The Associated Press that was widely published in newspapers on Monday.

The official said that Mr. Reagan immediately asked for a White House staff inquiry and that preliminary findings indicated that "the primer appears to be product of a low-level contract employee of the C.I.A. working in the region."

O'Neill Calls for a Resignation

Also today, the Speaker of the House, Thomas P. O'Neill Jr., Democrat of Massachusetts, called on the Director of Central Intelligence, William J. Casey, to resign. The Speaker said he was sure the agency's internal investigation would be a "whitewash."

"It is nothing short of outrageous that he should do this," Mr. O'Neill said. "I say it's time Mr. Casey should leave his job. I want him to get out of there." If Mr. Casey does not resign, Mr. O'Neill said, "then it shows the President condones his actions."

The Speaker also said the General Accounting Office had been asked to investigate the C.I.A primer. That is the fourth investigation announced since the manual became public.

Representative Edward P. Boland, Democrat of Massachusetts, the chairman of the House Select Committee on Intelligence, said Wednesday that his committee was investigating the primer, which he called "a disaster for United States foreign policy."

Mr. Boland said his committee first got a copy of the primer on Oct. 1 and had been investigating since then, as part of the committee's C.I.A. oversight role.

It is unclear when the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence first learned of the primer. But its deputy chairman, Senator Daniel Patrick Moynihan, Democrat of New York, directed the agency on Wednesday to tell the committee what it knows about the document no later than Friday.

C.I.A. 'Complying Fully'

A C.I.A. spokesman said today that "we are complying fully with the requests" for investigations, "both from the White House and from Capitol Hill."

The spokesman also said the Deputy Inspector General would conduct the internal investigation because the Inspector General, John Stein, was once a deputy director of operations.

"That would be a conflict," the spokesman said.

The 42-page primer advises the anti-Sandinista guerrillas to execute selected government officials publicly, arrange the shooting deaths of fellow members so as to create "martyrs" and blackmail ordinary citizens into working for the guerrillas. All that, the primer said, is to increase public support for the anti-Sandinista movement.

Congressional staff members said today that the intelligence committee was also investigating a second C.I.A. publication, this one a comic book the agency prepared for use by Nicaraguan citizens opposed to the Sandinista Government.

A senior Administation official said that White House officials thought they knew who prepared the C.I.A. primer but that they were not positive. He said he was not sure the individual would be dismissed

Several Drafts for Manual

The official added that the document went through several drafts and that the version that has been made public "was the first draft."

"It was sort of a freewheeling, freelancing sort of thing," he said.

Asked if Mr. Reagan was concerned that the C.I.A.'s employees are not being controlled by the agency, the official said: "No. The fact is that it surfaced and it was caught before anything serious happened." But he did not elaborate on what actions the C.I.A. took.

In an interview with the Pacific News Service in July, Edgar Chamorro, an officer in the Nicaraguan Democratic Force, the Honduras-based guerrilla unit, said the C.I.A provided the guerrillas with both the manual and the comic book along with "technical assistance and funding." But he said the guerrillas themselves printed and distributed the books.

May Have Censored Primer

Representative Thomas J. Downey, Democrat of Long Island, who first called for an investigation of the primer, said an inquiry by his staff indicated that the Nicaraguan guerrillas might have censored the primer themselves.

"They printed 2,000 copies of the primer," he said in an interview, "but only 200 of them contained the assassination material and realated things."

"They found it offensive," Mr. Downey said his staff had learned.

Vice President Bush's press secretary, Peter Teeley, asked about the manual today, said the Administration was investigating to see if the C.I.A. had violated Executive Order 12333, issued in December 1981.

That order says, "No person employed by or acting in behalf of the United States Government shall engage in or conspire to engage in assassination." It also says, "No agency of the intelligence community shall participate in or request any person to undertake activities forbidden by this order."

Mr. Teeley said that if the investigation showed the C.I.A. had participated in political assassination, it would be a contradiction of the executive order.

But he added, "To go beyond that would be speculative at this point."

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PRIMER
BY ELIOT BRENNER
WASHINGTON (UPI) -- PRESIDENT REAGAN ORDERED AN INVESTIGATION OF A CIA BOOKLET THAT INSTRUCTS NICARAGUAN REBELS IN THE ART OF GUERRILLA WARFARE, BUT HOUSE SPEAKER THOMAS O'NEILL IS NOT MOLLIFIED AND SAYS AGENCY DIRECTOR WILLIAM CASEY SHOULD "GET OUT."

SHORTLY AFTER REAGAN SAID THURSDAY HE HAS TOLD THE CIA TO DETERMINE IF THERE WAS "THE POSSIBILITY OF IMPROPER CONDUCT," O'NEILL, D-MASS., PREDICTED THE IN-HOUSE PROBE "IS GOING TO BE A WHITEWASH."

A SENIOR WHITE HOUSE OFFICIAL SAID AN INITIAL INVESTIGATION HAD BEEN CONDUCTED BY THE INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY AND, "THEY SUSPECT IT WAS THE WORK OF A LOW-LEVEL CONTRACT EMPLOYEE FOR THE CIA WHO WAS WORKING IN THE REGION."

THE OFFICIAL SAID THE SUSPECTED AUTHOR WAS DESCRIBED AS "A FREEWHEELING FREE-LANCER." HE ALSO SAID THE VERSION OF THE 44-PAGE PAMPHLET CIRCULATED TO REPORTERS WAS NOT THE FINAL VERSION, WHICH HE SAID WAS TONED DOWN.

"NOBODY SIGNED OFF ON THE FIRST DRAFT," HE SAID. "IT WAS REJECTED."

REP. DAVID OBEY, D-WIS., ASKED THE GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE, CONGRESS'S INVESTIGATIVE ARM, TO FIND OUT WHO SPENT TAX DOLLARS TO PRODUCE THE MANUAL AND "WHETHER OR NOT THE USE OF FUNDS TO PRODUCE THIS MANUAL WAS, AS IT APPEARS, PROHIBITED BY LAW."

O'NEILL SAID THE PRIMER, PRODUCED IN 1983 BUT JUST NOW SURFACING, VIOLATES A CONGRESSIONAL BAN ON AID FOR THOSE TRYING TO OVERTHROW THE MANAGUA GOVERNMENT AND SAID THE CALL FOR AN INVESTIGATION DOES NOT GO FAR ENOUGH.

"I WANT HIM (CASEY) TO GET OUT. I THINK IT'S A DISGRACEFUL SITUATION. ... I BELIEVE THAT CASEY OUGHT TO BE OUT, FORTHWITH. AND IF HE ISN'T, IT SHOWS THE PRESIDENT CONDONES THE ACTIONS OF MR. CASEY," SAID O'NEILL.

A WHITE HOUSE STATEMENT SAID THE ADMINISTRATION "HAS NOT ADVOCATED OR CONDONED POLITICAL ASSASSINATION OR OTHER ATTACKS ON CIVILIANS, NOR WILL WE."

IT ADDED THE CIA'S INSPECTOR GENERAL HAS BEEN ASKED TO INVESTIGATE AND REPORT TO CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEES WHETHER THERE WERE ANY "MANAGERIAL DEFICIENCIES."

THE STATEMENT SAID U.S. AID TO THOSE FIGHTING SUBVERSION OR TOTALITARIAN OPPRESSION SHOULD "BE CONSISTENT WITH AMERICAN VALUES AND CARRIED OUT SO AS TO WIN AND INCREASE THE LOYALTY AND CONFIDENCE OF THE CIVILIAN POPULATION."

THE STATEMENT ALSO POINTED TO A 1981 PRESIDENTIAL ORDER SAYING NO U.S. EMPLOYEE OR AGENT "SHALL ENGAGE IN, OR CONSPIRE TO ENGAGE IN, ASSASSINATION."

THE ORDER ALSO SAID, "NO AGENCY OF THE INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY SHALL PARTICIPATE IN OR REQUEST ANY PERSON TO UNDERTAKE ACTIVITIES FORBIDDEN BY THIS ORDER."

THE PRIMER DOES NOT USE THE WORD "ASSASSINATE." IT USES THE WORD "NEUTRALIZE" BUT DOES NOT DEFINE IT.

IT ALSO SUGGESTS THAT IF A CIVILIAN IS KILLED LEAVING A TOWN, GUERRILLAS SHOULD SAY THE PERSON WAS A SANDINISTA INFORMER.

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Reagan Orders Investigation Of Controversial CIA Manual

Aides Say Writer Was 'Overzealous'

By Joanne Omang and Lou Cannon
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President Reagan moved quickly yesterday to disassociate his administration from a CIA manual advocating political assassinations in Nicaragua, ordering an investigation of "the possibility of improper conduct" within the CIA.

Senior administration officials described the manual privately as "the work of an overzealous freelance," an independent employe under contract to the CIA.

Reagan acted as leading Democrats, sensing a potentially hot political issue that could embarrass him in Sunday's foreign policy debate, chorused denunciations of the manual, the CIA and the administration's policy of aiding rebels against Nicaragua's leftist Sandinista government. House Speaker Thomas P. (Tip) O'Neill Jr. (D-Mass.) called for the resignation of CIA Director William J. Casey.

"The content and the tactics contained in this manual would never have been condoned by the president or the national security community," White House spokesman Larry Speakes said in New York, where Reagan attended the Alfred E. Smith Memorial Dinner last night.

Before leaving Washington, Speakes issued a statement in which Reagan asked Casey to have the CIA inspector general "investigate the possibility of improper conduct on the part of employes of the CIA in regard to the publication of a manual for the Nicaraguan democratic resistance forces." He also requested a probe by the Intelligence Oversight Board, which consists of three members he appointed.

"The administration has not advocated or condoned political assassination or any other attacks on civilians, nor will we," Speakes said.

The manual originally was obtained by the Associated Press.

Administration officials, speaking on condition they not be named, said the 90-page booklet apparently was prepared by a low-level contract employee with Vietnam experience, and had never been cleared for publication. They said they have "a definite suspect" in mind as the author, but would not say whether the person still is under contract.

Although officials said the manual was a draft, the head of the largest Nicaraguan rebel group said he had received a copy of it. Adolfo Calero, head of the Nicaraguan Democratic Force (FDN) which is based in Honduras, said the document was given to him not by the CIA but by a supporter he declined to name.

Some sections, he said, had been ignored. "It talks about terrorism, which is something we haven't done," Calero said.

The administration officials acknowledged that the manual was "clearly against the law" as outlined by Reagan in a Dec. 4, 1981, executive order that banned political assassinations.

The pamphlet, entitled "Psychological Operations in Guerrilla Warfare," recommends that Nicaraguan rebels use "selective violence" to "neutralize" prominent members of the Sandinista government, terms intelligence sources said can mean murder or permanent disabling.

It says professional criminals can be hired to do "selective jobs" such as creating "martyrs" through staged violent demonstrations in which rebel backers are killed. The document also advises guerrillas to be polite and helpful to rural Nicaraguans to build support.

Democratic presidential nominee Walter F. Mondale said in a Cable News Network television interview yesterday that the manual could "deprive the United States of its moral authority" and was further proof that "the whole illegal, covert war in Nicaragua has been counterproductive."

His running mate, Geraldine A. Ferraro, said the manual was "totally contrary to our basic values .... Anyone who believes for one minute that refining murder techniques of Central Americans will advance our national interests is gravely mistaken."

O'Neill told reporters that the manual was "nothing short of outrageous" and said Casey "owes the Congress and the American people an immediate explanation." He added, "I want him out of there."

His call was echoed by Rep. James N. Shannon (D-Mass.).

Sen. Barry Goldwater (R-Ariz.), chairman of the Senate Intelligence Committee, demanded "a complete report" on the manual's history from the CIA, and staff members said later that the agency is expected to brief the committee Monday.

Reagan's senior staff members discussed the manual with the president on Wednesday after a story about it was published in The New York Times. The president's political advisers expressed concern that Reagan act quickly to repudiate the document before Sunday's televised debate with Mondale.

Administration officials said national security adviser Robert C. McFarlane gave his report to the president and told him that he believed the manual was the work of a "free-lancer" operating under contract to the CIA.

Officials declined to say whether the results of the probes would be made public or whether they would be given to the president before the Nov. 6 election.

CIA spokeswoman Patti Voltz said the CIA would cooperate fully with any investigation. She said, however, that inspector general John Stein would disqualify himself because he was the CIA's deputy director of operations from 1981 to July 1 and, therefore, was in charge of the administration's covert program in Nicaragua. The probe will be handled by the CIA's deputy inspector general, whom Voltz declined to name.

Another CIA-sponsored manual, in the form of a comic book, surfaced last summer in Nicaragua. It described how to make Molotov cocktails, pour sugar in gasoline tanks, disrupt communications and otherwise harass the Sandinista government. Sources within the FDN rebel group confirmed the book had been provided by CIA contacts. But it did not specifically advocate or demonstrate any "neutralization" techniques, in contrast to the psychological warfare manual.

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BY ROBERT TIMBERG
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NEW YORK--PRESIDENT REAGAN YESTERDAY ORDERED THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY TO INVESTIGATE ''THE POSSIBILITY OF IMPROPER CONDUCT' IN ITS WRITING OF A GUERRILLA WARFARE MANUAL THAT INSTRUCTS NICARAGUAN REBELS IN THE TECHNIQUES OF POLITICAL ASSASSINATION; MOB VIOLENCE AND THE BLACKMAILING OF CIVILIANS.

THE PRESIDENT ALSO VIRTUALLY ABSOLVED CIA DIRECTOR WILLIAM J. CASEY OF RESPONSIBILITY; SAYING; ''I THINK I KNOW ENOUGH ABOUT IT TO KNOW THERE IS NO GUILT THERE.''

ASKED BY REPORTERS AT A NEW YORK DINNER IF THE CIA WAS OUT OF CONTROL; THE PRESIDENT REPLIED; ''NOT AT ALL. MY OWN INVESTIGATION AND THE CIA'S INVESTIGATION IS GOING FORWARD.''

EARLIER A SENIOR ADMINISTRATION OFFICIAL TOLD REPORTERS HERE THAT THE INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY BELIEVES THE DOCUMENT WAS WRITTEN BY A ''LOW-LEVEL' OPERATIVE ON CONTRACT TO THE CIA WHO WAS ''WORKING WITH THE FORCES IN THE REGION.'

THE SUSPECTED AUTHOR; THE OFFICIAL SAID; HAD ACTED IN A ''FREE-WHEELING; FREE-LANCING' MANNER IN DRAWING UP THE DOCUMENT; WHICH THE OFFICIAL LIKENED TO A ''FIRST DRAFT.'

ALTHOUGH THE OFFICIAL SAID HE DID NOT KNOW IF THE SUSPECT WAS AN AMERICAN; HE DESCRIBED HIM AS HAVING ''PREVIOUS VIETNAM EXPERIENCE' WHOSE ALLEGED AUTHORSHIP REFLECTED THE LIGHT REIN ON THE CIA UNTIL THE MID-1970'S WHEN A HOST OF AGENCY ABUSES CAME TO LIGHT AND NEW CONGRESSIONAL STRICTURES WERE PLACED ON IT.

THE OFFICIAL SAID THE MANUAL WAS NEVER APPROVED BY INTELLIGENCE OFFICIALS IN WASHINGTON AND ''IT NEVER WOULD HAVE BEEN APPROVED.'

HE ADDED; HOWEVER; THAT THE MANUAL HAD GONE THROUGH ''ADDITIONAL DRAFTS' BUT DID NOT ELABORATE ON THAT POINT.

THE OFFICIAL FURTHER SAID THAT HE DID NOT KNOW TO WHAT EXTENT THE DOCUMENT HAD BEEN DISTRIBUTED OR IF THE CIA-BACKED NICARAGUAN REBELS HAD SEEN IT.

''WHAT USE WAS MADE OF THIS; IF ANY; WE DON'T KNOW;' THE OFFICIAL SAID.

IN ORDERING AN INVESTIGATION; THE PRESIDENT MOVED TO QUELL THE RAPIDLY SIMMERING CONTROVERSY AND TO DISSOCIATE HIMSELF FROM IT SHOULD IT BOIL OVER IN THE CLOSING WEEKS OF THE ELECTION CAMPAIGN.

''THE ADMINISTRATION HAS NOT ADVOCATED OR CONDONED POLITICAL ASSASSINATION OR ANY OTHER ATTACKS ON CIVILIANS; NOR WILL WE;' SAID PRESIDENTIAL SPOKESMAN LARRY M. SPEAKES IN A WRITTEN STATEMENT.

HE SAID OPPOSTION TO POLITICAL ASSASSINATION IS ''THE CLEAR POLICY OF THIS ADMINISTRATION' AND WAS EMBODIED IN AN EXECUTIVE ORDER SIGNED BY THE PRESIDENT DECEMBER 4; 1981.

MR. SPEAKES SAID THE PRESIDENT HAD ASKED CIA DIRECTOR CASEY TO DIRECT THE AGENCY'S INSPECTOR GENERAL ''TO INVESTIGATE THE POSSIBILITY OF IMPROPER CONDUCT ON THE PART OF EMPLOYEES OF THE (CIA)'' IN REGARD TO THE MANUAL.

MR. SPEAKES SAID THE INTERNAL PROBE WOULD DETERMINE IF THERE WERE ''ANY VIOLATIONS OF LAW OR POLICY AND WHETHER THERE WERE ANY MANAGERIAL DEFICIENCIES.' ALL AVAILABLE INFORMATION IS BEING GATHERED; HE CONTINUED; AND MR. CASEY ''WILL BE PREPARED TO BRIEF CONGRESSIONAL OVERSIGHT COMMITTEES PROMPTLY ON THE FACTS WHEN THEY ARE DETERMINED.'

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MR. SPEAKES SAID THE U.S. GOVERNMENT HAS HISTORICALLY AIDED ''PEOPLE AND SMALL COUNTRIES RESISTING SUBVERSION OR TOTALITARIAN OPPRESSION.'

BUT, HE SAID, WHEN SUCH ASSISTANCE IS PROVIDED, ''IT IS IMPORTANT THAT SUCH SUPPORT BE CONSISTENT WITH AMERICAN VALUES AND CARRIED OUT SO AS TO WIN AND INCREASE THE LOYALTY AND CONFIDENCE OF THE CIVILIAN POPULATION.'

IN ADDITION TO ORDERING THE CIA TO LOOK INTO THE MATTER, MR. REAGAN ALSO DIRECTED THE PRESIDENT'S INTELLIGENCE OVERSIGHT BOARD TO INVESTIGATE AND REPORT BACK TO HIM ''AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.' THAT PANEL, WHICH CONSISTS OF APPOINTEES FROM OUTSIDE THE GOVERNMENT, IS HEADED BY W. GLENN CAMPBELL, WHO IS ASSOCIATED WITH STANFORD UNIVERSITY'S HOOVER INSTITUTION ON WAR, REVOLUTION AND PEACE.

EXECUTIVE ORDER 12333 OF DECEMBER 4, 1981, THE ONE CITED BY MR. SPEAKES, STATES IN A SECTION ENTITLED PROHIBITION ON ASSASSINATION: ''NO PERSON EMPLOY BY OR ACTING ON BEHALF OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT SHALL ENGAGE IN, OR CONSPIRE TO ENGAGE IN, ASSASSINATION.'

THE FOLLOWING SECTION, ENTITLED INDIRECT PARTICIPATION, SAYS: ''NO AGENCY OF THE INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY SHALL PARTICIPATE IN OR REQUEST ANY PERSON TO UNDERTAKE ACTIVITIES FORBIDDEN BY THIS ORDER.'

AT ABOUT THE SAME TIME AS THE SPEAKES STATEMENT, SENATE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN BARRY GOLDWATER (R, ARIZ.) ALSO WAS DEMANDING AN INVESTIGATION.

IN A STATEMENT RELEASED IN ARIZONA, THE SENATOR SAID HE WANTED ''A COMPLETE REPORT' FROM THE CIA ON THE PRODUCTION OF THE MANUAL.

MR. GOLDWATER SAID PUBLISHED REPORTS INDICATED THAT THE 44-PAGE BOOKLET, ''PSYCHOLOGICAL OPERATIONS IN GUERRILLA WARFARE,' MAY VIOLATE RULES AGAINST ASSASSINATION, U.S. PARTICIPATION IN ASSASSINATIONS AND THE LAW THAT CONGRESS BE KEPT INFORMED ABOUT INTELLIGENCE OPERATIONS.

''BECAUSE OF THE NATURE OF THESE ALLEGATIONS, I FEEL IT IS A VERY SERIOUS PROBLEM, ONE THAT MUST BE RESOLVED IMMEDIATELY,' HE SAID.

A DAY EARLIER, THE HOUSE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN, EDWARD P. BOLAND (D, MASS.), DENOUNCED THE DOCUMENT AS ''REPUGNANT TO A NATION THAT CONDEMNS SUCH ACTS BY OTHERS.'

THE SENIOR OFFICIAL SAID MR. REAGAN FIRST LEARNED OF THE BOOKLET WEDNESDAY THROUGH A NEWSPAPER REPORT AND ASKED HIS NATIONAL SECURITY ADVISER, ROBERT C. MCFARLANE, TO INQUIRE INTO IT WITH THE VARIOUS INTELLIGENCE AGENCIES.

THE BOOKLET, ESSENTIALLY A PRIMER ON GUERRILLA WARFARE AS PRACTICED BY SOME, EXPLAINS HOW TO ''NEUTRALIZE' OFFICIALS, BLACKMAIL UNWILLING PROSPECTIVE COLLABORATORS AND INCITE MOB VIOLENCE THROUGH THE USE OF ''PROFESSIONAL CRIMINALS.'

IN ADDITION, IT SEEMS TO UNDERCUT THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION'S STANDING CONTENTION THAT ITS AID TO THE REBELS IS NOT AIMED AT OVERTHROWING THE SANDINISTA GOVERNMENT.

AT ONE POINT, FOR EXAMPLE, IT THE BOOKLET SAYS THAT ONCE GUERRILLAS ACTION HAS SUCCEEDED TO A CERTAIN POINT, ''A COMMANDANTE OF OURS WILL LITERALLY BE ABLE TO SHAKE UP THE SANDINISTA STRUCTURE AND REPLACE IT.'

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FDEMOCRATS DEMAND INDEPENDENT PROBE OF CIA MANUAL

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WASHINGTON (AP) - DEMOCRATS; DISSATISFIED WITH PRESIDENT REAGAN'S ORDER OF AN INTERNAL REVIEW; ARE DEMANDING AN INDEPENDENT INVESTIGATION INTO THE CIA'S PRODUCTION OF A MANUAL ENDORSING ''SELECTIVE USE OF VIOLENCE'' AGAINST SOME OFFICIALS OF THE NICARAGUA'S LEFTIST GOVERNMENT.

PRESIDENT REAGAN ORDERED THE CIA ON THURSDAY TO CONDUCT AN INTERNAL REVIEW AND ASKED HIS THREE APPOINTEES WHO SIT ON THE INTELLIGENCE OVERSIGHT BOARD TO CARRY OUT A SEPARATE INQUIRY.

BUT HOUSE SPEAKER THOMAS P. O'NEILL JR. SAID ANY IN-HOUSE CIA INVESTIGATION COULD BE A ''WHITEWASH'' AND ADDED THAT THE PROBE SHOULD BE TURNED OVER TO THE CONGRESSIONAL GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE.

MEANWHILE; THE MANUAL EMERGED AS THE HOTTEST NEW ISSUE IN THE PRESIDENTIAL CAMPAIGN ONLY THREE DAYS BEFORE SUNDAY'S FOREIGN POLICY DEBATE BETWEEN REAGAN AND WALTER F. MONDALE.

DEMOCRATIC VICE PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEE GERALDINE FERRARO CITED IT AS AN EXAMPLE OF THE ADMINISTRATION'S ''MORAL BLINDNESS;'' AND ADDED: ''ANYONE WHO BELIEVES FOR ONE MINUTE THAT REFINING MURDER TECHNIQUES OF CENTRAL AMERICANS WILL ADVANCE OUR NATIONAL INTERESTS IS GRAVELY MISTAKEN.''

REAGAN'S ORDER FOR AN INVESTIGATION ALSO ENDED FOUR DAYS OF ADMINISTRATION SILENCE ON THE ISSUE AFTER THE ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORTED THE MANUAL'S EXISTENCE MONDAY.

THE WHITE HOUSE RESPONSE THURSDAY INCLUDED A STATEMENT THAT THE ADMINISTRATION ''HAS NOT ADVOCATED OR CONDONED POLITICAL ASSASSINATION.''

IN NEW YORK; REAGAN REJECTED NEW DEMANDS FOR THE OUSTER OF CIA DIRECTOR WILLIAM J. CASEY; SAYING ''THERE IS NO GUILT THERE.'' HE ALSO ASSERTED THAT THE AGENCY WAS ''NOT AT ALL'' OUT OF CONTROL DESPITE ITS ROLE IN PRODUCING THE 90-PAGE BOOK.

THE MANUAL; ENTITLED ''PSYCHOLOGICAL OPERATIONS IN GUERRILLA WAR,'' RECOMMENDS HIRING PROFESSIONAL CRIMINALS TO CARRY OUT ''SELECTIVE JOBS;'' CREATING A ''MARTYR'' BY ARRANGING A VIOLENT DEMONSTRATION THAT LEADS TO THE DEATH OF A REBEL SUPPORTER; AND COERCING NICARAGUANS INTO CARRYING OUT ASSIGNMENTS AGAINST THEIR WILL.

IT ALSO SAYS THAT UNPOPULAR NICARAGUAN OFFICIALS; INCLUDING JUDGES; POLICE AND SECURITY OFFICIALS; CAN BE ''NEUTRALIZED'' WITH THE ''SELECTIVE USE OF VIOLENCE.'' HONEVER; THE PRECISE MEANINGS OF ''NEUTRALIZED'' AND ''SELECTIVE JOBS'' FOR CRIMINALS ARE NOT MADE CLEAR.

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IT COULD NOT BE IMMEDIATELY DETERMINED IN THE MANUAL WAS FOLLOWED.

IN ANNOUNCING THE CIA INVESTIGATION; THE WHITE HOUSE SAID THE INQUIRY WOULD BE CARRIED OUT BY THE AGENCY'S INSPECTOR GENERAL; JOHN STEIN. BUT THE CIA SAID STEIN HAD TO DISQUALIFY HIMSELF BECAUSE WHEN THE MANUAL WAS PRODUCED A YEAR AGO; HE WAS DIRECTOR OF COVERT ACTIONS AND THUS SUPERVISED THE NICARAGUAN OPERATION.

CIA SPOKESWOMAN PATTI VOLZ SAID THE INVESTIGATION WOULD BE TURNED OVER TO STEIN'S DEPUTY; WHOM SHE REFUSED TO IDENTIFY.

WITHIN A FEW HOURS OF REAGAN'S ANNOUNCED INVESTIGATION; A SENIOR ADMINISTRATION OFFICIAL TOLD REPORTERS THAT THE MANUAL WAS WRITTEN BY A ''FREE-WHEELING; FREE-LANCING'' CIA CONTRACT EMPLOYEE WHO PRODUCED IT WITHOUT THE KNOWLEDGE OF HIS SUPERIORS.

''HE CLEARLY DID NOT KNOW HOW WE DO BUSINESS;'' SAID THE OFFICIAL; WHO INSISTED ON ANONYMITY. ''THIS INDIVIDUAL WAS CLEARLY OPERATING OUTSIDE THE WAY THE CIA WANTS ITS CONTRACT EMPLOYEES TO OPERATE.''

THE OFFICIAL SAID HE DID NOT KNOW THE AUTHOR'S NAME; AND ADDED THAT IT WAS NOT CLEAR WHETHER THE INVESTIGATION COULD BE COMPLETED BEFORE THE NOV. 6 ELECTION.

CASEY; A LEADING FIGURE IN THE ADMINISTRATION'S CENTRAL AMERICA POLICIES; HAS BEEN UNDER FIRE BEFORE OVER HIS PERSONAL FINANCIAL DEALINGS AND CONGRESSIONAL COMPLAINTS THAT HE WITHHELD INFORMATION ABOUT THE CIA'S MINING OF NICARAGUA'S HARBORS EARLIER THIS YEAR.

MEANWHILE; SEN. BARRY GOLDWATER; R-ARIZ.; CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE; SAID PUBLISHED REPORTS ABOUT THE MANUAL SUGGEST IT MAY VIOLATE RULES AGAINST U.S. PARTICIPATION IN ASSASSINATIONS AND A LAW REQUIRING THAT CONGRESS BE KEPT INFORMED ON INTELLIGENCE MATTERS.

''BECAUSE OF THE NATURE OF THESE ALLEGATIONS; I FEEL IT IS A VERY SERIOUS PROBLEM AND ONE THAT MUST BE RESOLVED IMMEDIATELY;'' GOLDWATER SAID IN A STATEMENT.

OVER REAGAN'S OBJECTIONS; CONGRESS VOTED THIS MONTH TO CUT OFF AID TO THE THE REBELS; AT LEAST UNTIL FEB. 28.

EXECUTIVE ORDERS DATING BACK TO THE FORD ADMINISTRATION HAVE BARRED U.S. OFFICIALS FROM INVOLVEMENT IN ASSASSINATIONS. REAGAN REVISED RULES GOVERNING INTELLIGENCE AGENCIES ON DEC. 4; 1981; BUT INCLUDED PHRASING THAT NO ONE OPERATING ON BEHALF OF THE U.S. GOVERNMENT ''SHALL ENGAGE IN OR CONSPIRE TO ENGAGE IN ASSASSINATION.''

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REAGAN ORDERS PROBE; GUERRILLA PAMPHLET BLAMED ON 'FREE-LANCER'

BY ELIOT BRENNER

WASHINGTON (UPI) -- PRESIDENT REAGAN ORDERED AN INVESTIGATION OF A CIA BOOKLET THAT INSTRUCTS NICARAGUAN REBELS IN THE ART OF GUERRILLA WARFARE, BUT HOUSE SPEAKER THOMAS O'NEILL IS NOT MOLLIFIED AND SAYS AGENCY DIRECTOR WILLIAM CASEY SHOULD "GET OUT."

SHORTLY AFTER REAGAN SAID THURSDAY HE HAS TOLD THE CIA TO DETERMINE IF THERE WAS "THE POSSIBILITY OF IMPROPER CONDUCT," O'NEILL, D-MASS., PREDICTED THE IN-HOUSE PROBE "IS GOING TO BE A WHITEWASH."

A SENIOR WHITE HOUSE OFFICIAL SAID AN INITIAL INVESTIGATION HAD BEEN CONDUCTED BY THE INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY AND, "THEY SUSPECT IT WAS THE WORK OF A LOW-LEVEL CONTRACT EMPLOYEE FOR THE CIA WHO WAS WORKING IN THE REGION."

THE OFFICIAL SAID THE SUSPECTED AUTHOR WAS DESCRIBED AS "A FREEWHEELING FREE-LANCER." HE ALSO SAID THE VERSION OF THE 44-PAGE PAMPHLET CIRCULATED TO REPORTERS WAS NOT THE FINAL VERSION, WHICH HE SAID WAS TONED DOWN.

"NOBODY SIGNED OFF ON THE FIRST DRAFT," HE SAID. "IT WAS REJECTED."

REP. DAVID OBEY, D-WIS., ASKED THE GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE, CONGRESS'S INVESTIGATIVE ARM, TO FIND OUT WHO SPENT TAX DOLLARS TO PRODUCE THE MANUAL AND "WHETHER OR NOT THE USE OF FUNDS TO PRODUCE THIS MANUAL WAS, AS IT APPEARS, PROHIBITED BY LAW."

O'NEILL SAID THE PRIMER, PRODUCED IN 1983 BUT JUST NOW SURFACING, VIOLATES A CONGRESSIONAL BAN ON AID FOR THOSE TRYING TO OVERTHROW THE MANAGUA GOVERNMENT AND SAID THE CALL FOR AN INVESTIGATION DOES NOT GO FAR ENOUGH.

"I WANT HIM (CASEY) TO GET OUT. I THINK IT'S A DISGRACEFUL SITUATION. ... I BELIEVE THAT CASEY OUGHT TO BE OUT, FORTHWITH. AND IF HE ISN'T, IT SHOWS THE PRESIDENT CONDONES THE ACTIONS OF MR. CASEY," SAID O'NEILL.

A WHITE HOUSE STATEMENT SAID THE ADMINISTRATION "HAS NOT ADVOCATED OR CONDONED POLITICAL ASSASSINATION OR OTHER ATTACKS ON CIVILIANS, NOR WILL WE."

IT ADDED THE CIA'S INSPECTOR GENERAL HAS BEEN ASKED TO INVESTIGATE AND REPORT TO CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEES WHETHER THERE WERE ANY "MANAGERIAL DEFICIENCIES."

THE STATEMENT SAID U.S. AID TO THOSE FIGHTING SUBVERSION OR TOTALITARIAN OPPRESSION SHOULD "BE CONSISTENT WITH AMERICAN VALUES AND CARRIED OUT SO AS TO WIN AND INCREASE THE LOYALTY AND CONFIDENCE OF THE CIVILIAN POPULATION."

THE STATEMENT ALSO POINTED TO A 1981 PRESIDENTIAL ORDER SAYING NO U.S. EMPLOYEE OR AGENT "SHALL ENGAGE IN, OR CONSPIRE TO ENGAGE IN, ASSASSINATION."

THE ORDER ALSO SAID, "NO AGENCY OF THE INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY SHALL PARTICIPATE IN OR REQUEST ANY PERSON TO UNDERTAKE ACTIVITIES FORBIDDEN BY THIS ORDER."

THE PRIMER DOES NOT USE THE WORD "ASSASSINATE." IT USES THE WORD "NEUTRALIZE" BUT DOES NOT DEFINE IT.

IT ALSO SUGGESTS THAT IF A CIVILIAN IS KILLED LEAVING A TOWN, GUERRILLAS SHOULD SAY THE PERSON WAS A SANDINISTA INFORMER.

THE FLAP ABOUT THE MANUAL, TITLED "PSYCHOLOGICAL OPERATIONS IN GUERRILLA WARFARE," CAME JUST DAYS BEFORE REAGAN AND MONDALE DEBATE FOREIGN POLICY BEFORE A NATIONAL TELEVISION AUDIENCE.

IT ALSO COMES JUST DAYS AFTER CONGRESS AGREED TO WAIT UNTIL AT LEAST MARCH TO DECIDE WHETHER TO PROVIDE FURTHER AID TO THE "CONTRAS" FIGHTING THE SANDINISTAS.

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AP-6TH NEWSWATCH: THE COMMUTER

HERE IS THE LATEST NEWS FROM THE ASSOCIATED PRESS:

THREE DAYS BEFORE RONALD REAGAN AND WALTER MONDALE MEET FOR A SECOND DEBATE -- AN INTELLIGENCE MANUAL HAS BECOME THE HOTTEST NEW ISSUE IN THE PRESIDENTIAL CAMPAIGN.

BOTH SIDES OF THE POLITICAL AISLE ARE TALKING ABOUT THE C-I-A MANUAL ENDORSING THE USE OF ''SELECTIVE VIOLENCE'' TO OVERTHROW NICARAGUA'S SANDINISTA GOVERNMENT. THE PRESIDENT HAS ORDERED THE AGENCY TO CONDUCT AN INTERNAL INVESTIGATION AND HAS ASKED HIS THREE APPOINTEES ON THE INTELLIGENCE OVERSIGHT BOARD TO CARRY OUT THEIR OWN STUDY.

IN ANNOUNCING THE C-I-A PROBE, THE WHITE HOUSE SAID IT WOULD BE DIRECTED BY THE AGENCY'S INSPECTOR GENERAL. BUT JOHN STEIN DECLINED TO PARTICIPATE. THE C-I-A SAYS STEIN WAS DIRECTOR OF COVERT OPERATIONS WHEN THE MANUAL WAS PRODUCED LAST YEAR. INSTEAD, THE AGENCY SAYS, STEIN'S DEPUTY WILL HEAD UP THE IN-HOUSE INQUIRY.

AN INTERNAL PROBE ISN'T GOOD ENOUGH FOR THE DEMOCRATS. HOUSE SPEAKER TIP O'NEILL SAYS ANY C-I-A-LED INVESTIGATION WOULD BE A ''WHITEWASH.'' O'NEILL SAYS THE PROBE SHOULD BE LED BY CONGRESS' INVESTIGATIVE ARM -- THE GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE.

STAUNCH ADMINISTRATION SUPPORTER JACK KEMP OBJECTED TO THE HANDBOOK'S CONTENTS AS WELL. THE G-O-P CONGRESSMAN SAYS HE FINDS THE PUBLICATION ''REPUGNANT'' AND IT VIOLATES THE AMERICAN MODEL FOR DEMOCRACY. KEMP SAYS SOME PARTS ''BORDERED ON TERRORISM.''

THE MANUAL RECOMMENDS THAT PROFESSIONAL CRIMINALS BE EMPLOYED IN GUERILLA ACTIVITIES AGAINST THE LEFTIST GOVERNMENT. IT ALSO CALLS FOR ''NEUTRALIZING'' UNPOPULAR NICARAGUAN OFFICIALS -- INCLUDING JUDGES AND POLICE OFFICERS -- THROUGH THE ''SELECTIVE USE OF VIOLENCE.''

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†PM-NICARAGUA-MANUAL; 1ST LD; a042;0094
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†BY ROBERT PARRY
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WASHINGTON (AP) - PRESIDENT REAGAN TODAY ORDERED THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY TO INVESTIGATE ''THE POSSIBILITY OF IMPROPER CONDUCT'' IN CONNECTION WITH ITS PRODUCTION OF A PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE MANUAL FOR NICARAGUAN REBELS THAT SAYS SOME LEFTIST GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS COULD BE ''NEUTRALIZED'' WITH THE ''SELECTIVE USE OF VIOLENCE.''
''THE ADMINISTRATION HAS NOT ADVOCATED OR CONDONED POLITICAL ASSASSINATION OR ANY OTHER ATTACKS ON CIVILIANS; NOR WILL WE;'' DEPUTY WHITE HOUSE PRESS SECRETARY LARRY SPEAKES SAID IN A WRITTEN STATEMENT THAT DIVULGED REAGAN'S ORDER FOR AN INVESTIGATION.
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AT THE SAME TIME; THE REPUBLICAN CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE DEMANDED ''A COMPLETE REPORT'' FROM THE CIA ON THE MANUAL.
SEN. BARRY GOLDWATER; R-ARIZ.; CALLED FOR THE REPORT ''AS SOON AS POSSIBLE;'' NOTING THAT PUBLISHED REPORTS ABOUT THE MANUAL SUGGEST THAT IT MAY VIOLATE RULES AGAINST U.S. PARTICIPATION IN ASSASSINATIONS AND A LAW REQUIRING THAT CONGRESS BE KEPT INFORMED ON INTELLIGENCE MATTERS.
''BECAUSE OF THE NATURE OF THESE ALLEGATIONS; I FEEL IT IS A VERY SERIOUS PROBLEM AND ONE THAT MUST BE RESOLVED IMMEDIATELY;'' GOLDWATER SAID IN A STATEMENT ISSUED BY HIS OFFICE IN ARIZONA.
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AT THE WHITE HOUSE; SPEAKES SAID OPPOSITION TO POLITICAL ASSASSINATIONS WAS ''THE CLEAR POLICY OF THIS ADMINISTRATION'' AS EXPRESSED IN AN EXECUTIVE ORDER REAGAN SIGNED DEC. 4; 1981.

HE SAID REAGAN TODAY HAD ''ASKED THE DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE TO DIRECT THE CIA INSPECTOR GENERAL TO INVESTIGATE THE POSSIBILITY OF IMPROPER CONDUCT ON THE PART OF EMPLOYEES OF THE CIA IN REGARD TO THE PUBLICATION OF A MANUAL FOR THE NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC RESISTANCE FORCES.''

SPEAKES ADDED; ''THIS INVESTIGATION WILL DETERMINE WHETHER THERE WERE ANY MANAGERIAL DEFICIENCIES. ALL AVAILABLE INFORMATIION IS BEING GATHERED; AND THE DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE WILL BE PREPARED TO BRIEF THE CONGRESSIONAL OVERSIGHT COMMITTEES PROMPTLY ON THE FACTS WHEN THEY ARE DETERMINED.''

''THE U.S. GOVERNMENT HAS HISTORICALLY APPROVED SUPPORT TO PEOPLE AND SMALL COUNTRIES RESISTING SUBVERSION OR TOTALITARIAN OPPRESSION;'' THE STATEMENT SAID.

''WHERE SUCH ASSISTANCE IS REQUIRED; IT IS IMPORTANT THAT SUCH SUPPORT BE CONSISTENT WITH AMERICAN VALUES AND CARRIED OUT SO AS TO WIN AND INCREASE THE LOYALTY AND CONFIDENCE OF THE CIVILIAN POPULATION;'' THE STATEMENT SAID.

EARLIER; REP. EDWARD P. BOLAND; D-MASS.; CHAIRMAN OF THE HOUSE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE; DENOUNCED THE BOOK AS ''REPUGNANT'' AND A ''DOCUMENT (THAT) SHOULD NEVER HAVE BEEN PRODUCED BY ANY ELEMENT OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT.''

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At the White House; Speakes said opposition to political assassinations was ''the clear policy of this administration'' as expressed in an executive order Reagan signed Dec. 4; 1981.
He said Reagan today had ''asked the director of central intelligence to direct the CIA inspector general to investigate the possibility of improper conduct on the part of employees of the CIA in regard to the publication of a manual for the Nicaraguan democratic resistance forces.''
Speakes added; ''This investigation will determine whether there were any managerial deficiencies. All available information is being gathered; and the director of central intelligence will be prepared to brief the congressional oversight committees promptly on the facts when they are determined.''
''The U.S. government has historically approved support to people and small countries resisting subversion or totalitarian oppression;'' the statement said.
''Where such assistance is required; it is important that such support be consistent with American values and carried out so as to win and increase the loyalty and confidence of the civilian population;'' the statement said.
Earlier; Rep. Edward P. Boland; D-Mass.; chairman of the House Intelligence Committee; denounced the book as ''repugnant'' and a ''document (that) should never have been produced by any element of the United States government.''
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†BY ROBERT PARRY
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WASHINGTON (AP) - PRESIDENT REAGAN TODAY ORDERED THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY TO INVESTIGATE ''THE POSSIBILITY OF IMPROPER CONDUCT'' IN CONNECTION WITH ITS PRODUCTION OF A PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE MANUAL FOR NICARAGUAN REBELS THAT SAYS SOME LEFTIST GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS COULD BE ''NEUTRALIZED'' WITH THE ''SELECTIVE USE OF VIOLENCE.''
''THE ADMINISTRATION HAS NOT ADVOCATED OR CONDONED POLITICAL ASSASSINATION OR ANY OTHER ATTACKS ON CIVILIANS; NOR WILL WE;'' DEPUTY WHITE HOUSE PRESS SECRETARY LARRY SPEAKES SAID IN A WRITTEN STATEMENT THAT DIVULGED REAGAN'S ORDER FOR AN INVESTIGATION.
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†WASHINGTON: AN INVESTIGATION
AT THE SAME TIME; THE REPUBLICAN CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE DEMANDED ''A COMPLETE REPORT'' FROM THE CIA ON THE MANUAL.
SEN. BARRY GOLDWATER; R-ARIZ.; CALLED FOR THE REPORT ''AS SOON AS POSSIBLE;'' NOTING THAT PUBLISHED REPORTS ABOUT THE MANUAL SUGGEST THAT IT MAY VIOLATE RULES AGAINST U.S. PARTICIPATION IN ASSASSINATIONS AND A LAW REQUIRING THAT CONGRESS BE KEPT INFORMED ON INTELLIGENCE MATTERS.
''BECAUSE OF THE NATURE OF THESE ALLEGATIONS; I FEEL IT IS A VERY SERIOUS PROBLEM AND ONE THAT MUST BE RESOLVED IMMEDIATELY;'' GOLDWATER SAID IN A STATEMENT ISSUED BY HIS OFFICE IN ARIZONA.
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CIA Manual for Guerrillas Denounced by Rep. Boland

Contras Instructed in Assassination

By John M. Goshko
and Margaret Shapiro
Washington Post Staff Writers

A Central Intelligence Agency document instructing Nicaraguan rebels in the techniques of political assassination and guerrilla warfare was denounced yesterday by the chairman of the House intelligence committee as "repugnant to a nation that condemns such acts by others."

Rep. Edward P. Boland (D-Mass.) said the 44-page document, "Psychological Operations in Guerrilla Warfare," is further proof of the dangers in the Reagan administration's active sponsorship of the contras fighting the leftist Sandinista government in Nicaragua.

In addition to rekindling questions about whether the administration's aim is to overthrow the Sandinista government, the document's detailed instructions on how to kill fleeing civilians or government officials seem certain to stir arguments about whether the CIA is violating rules prohibiting its personnel from engaging directly or indirectly in assassination.

The document's advocacy of political assassination, blackmail and mob violence also poses a major credibility problem for the administration because it has condemned those tactics as international terrorism when practiced by groups supported by such countries as Libya, Iran and Syria.

Boland charged that the House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence knew nothing about the document, which the CIA produced and gave to the contras last year, until its existence was revealed by the Associated Press this week. He likened the situation to the CIA's failure earlier this year to tell the committee about its complicity in the mining of Nicaraguan harbors.

The controversy generated by the mining was a key factor in Congress' decision to cut off U.S. fund-

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CIA Manual For Contras Denounced

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ing for the contras, at least until March.

"Like the mining, the manual is a disaster for American foreign policy," Boland said. "I am appalled by the image of the United States that the manual portrays. Something such as this manual points to the wisdom of congressional action to cut off funding for the secret war. Unfortunately the cutoff comes too late to repair the damage in this instance."

Boland's sharp criticism was echoed by other members of Congress. Rep. Michael D. Barnes (D-Md.), chairman of the House Western Hemisphere affairs subcommittee, called the manual an "outrage and almost certainly a violation of the rules governing the CIA." Sen. Edward M. Kennedy (D-Mass.) said "aiding and abetting a strategy of political assassination is unacceptable in American foreign policy . . . ." Sen. Daniel Patrick Moynihan (D-N.Y.), vice chairman of the Senate Intelligence Committee, said he will ask the CIA for a report on the matter by Friday.

The CIA has refused to comment publicly on the document, which was written in Spanish and has been translated into English by the Congressional Research Service. But U.S. officials have confirmed privately that it is authentic.

The manual amounts to a course on how to organize a guerrilla movement and lead it to power by winning popular support and using violence.

Many of the tactics have been described in published works by scholars and journalists who have analyzed guerrilla campaigns in Cuba, Malaysia, the Philippines and several African countries. Specialists also have noted that the techniques are similar to those used by the Vietcong.

But while much of the material is available in other texts, there are certain to be questions about the legality of the CIA covertly advising the contras on how to pursue tactics that are prohibited under agency rules.

The rules were promulgated in 1976 by President Gerald R. Ford after lengthy controversy and investigation of CIA abuses of power. They specifically forbid anyone "employed by or acting on behalf of the U.S. government to engage in, or conspire to engage in, assassination" or to "encourage directly or indirectly" other persons to engage in prohibited activities.

The tactics described in the document also appear at odds with the administration's condemnation of terrorism. In a June 24 speech, Secretary of State George P. Shultz said: "It is not hard to tell, as we look around the world, who are the terrorists and who are the freedom fighters. The resistance fighters in Afghanistan do not destroy villages or kill the helpless. The contras in Nicaragua do not blow up school buses or hold mass executions of civilians."

Asked yesterday whether Shultz's remarks were still a statement of administration policy, State Department spokesman Alan Romberg said, "Certainly." But when asked how Shultz's statement squared with tactics advocated in the CIA document, Romberg replied that government policy precludes discussing intelligence matters in public.

In discussing how to gain control over towns, it says that if "it becomes necessary" to shoot a citizen "trying to leave the town," the guerrillas should justify their action by claiming that the victim was "an enemy of the people" who would have "alerted the enemy" and permitted the Sandinistas to "carry out acts of reprisals, such as rapes, pillage, destruction, captures, etc."

At another point, the document states: "It is possible to neutralize carefully selected and planned targets, such as court judges, police and state security officials, etc."

The manual stresses that "it is absolutely necessary to gather together the population affected, so that they will be present and take part in the act," with the guerrillas explaining "why it was necessary for the good of the people" to "neutralize the target official."

Boland said "this conscious targeting of individuals" to be eliminated "embraces the communist revolutionary tactics that the United States is pledged to defeat throughout the world." He contended that such tactics prove that the administration's aim in the covert war is not merely to halt Sandinista aid to leftist guerrillas in El Salvador but "to overthrow the Sandinista government."

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C.I.A. Primer Tells Nicaraguan Rebels How to Kill

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By JOEL BRINKLEY
Special to The New York Times

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16 — A Central Intelligence Agency document that became public this week tells Nicaraguan rebels how to win popular support and gives advice on political assassination, blackmail and mob violence.

The 44-page booklet, titled "Psychological Operations in Guerrilla Warfare," is a primer on insurgency. Most activity of this sort in Nicaragua has been paid for by the United States through the C.I.A.

The primer explains how to kidnap and kill officials, blow up public buildings and blackmail ordinary citizens.

The White House had no comment on the document today. But at least one member of Congress said he was calling for an investigation.

Representative Thomas J. Downey, New York Democrat, said he wrote to the House Select Committee on Intelligence today, asking for a hearing when the new Congress convenes next year.

Excerpts from primer, page A12.

"Is it the position of our Government to hire killers?" he wrote. "This runs counter to the President's directive condemning terrorism, and I want to know how high up in the Administration this goes."

A copy of the primer was first obtained by The Associated Press and intelligence officials confirmed that the C.I.A. had written it. An agency spokesman declined comment.

The primer consists of chapters describing the steps of building a guerrilla force. It is written as if it were written by a Nicaraguan taking up arms along with the guerrillas.

The author advises guerrillas to "precondition the masses to believe" that "foreign advisers and their counseling programs are in reality 'interventionists' in our homeland who direct the exploitation of our nation." The advice alludes to the Nicaraguan Government's Cuban advisers. Some residents of the region have said that it is the C.I.A. that intervenes.

The primer leads "the guerrilla student" through five phases of preparing for and carrying out a guerrilla war, and it includes two diagrams. One demonstrates the arrangement of self-reinforcing guerrilla cells, and the other shows how operations should be carried out in a hypothetical region.

The following, taken from the primer, is an abbreviated version of the guerrilla warfare course:

The guerrilla is first turned into a propagandist through small group discussions, designed to "create a favorable impression of our movement."

Guerrilla leaders direct the discussions, leading the fledgling guerrillas "to reach a correct conclusion" al-

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though "the guerrillas should feel that it was their free and own decision."

Guerrillas should explain to the people that "our struggle is not against the nationals but rather against Russian imperialists." All of that "will foster the sympathy of the peasants, and they will immediately become one of us."

Once the guerrillas are indoctrinated, the course moves to "armed propaganda," meaning actual warfare.

Visit to a Town Depicted

Guerrillas are advised to "occupy a town or small city which is neutral or relatively passive in the conflict." Immediately on arrival, the guerrillas should take these steps:

¶"Destroy the military or police installations and remove survivors to a public place."

¶"Cut all outside lines of communication."

¶"Establish a public tribunal" where the guerrillas "shame, ridicule and humiliate" Sandinistas and sympathizers, "shouting slogans and jeers."

¶Make "courtesy visits" to the town's "prominent people, such as doctors, priests and teachers."

If "it becomes necessary" to shoot a citizen who is "trying to leave the town," guerrillas should explain that "he was an enemy of the people" who would have "alerted the enemy" so that the Sandinistas could "carry out acts of reprisals, such as rapes, pillage, destuction, captures, etc."

'Neutralizing' Public Officials

The final lesson in the armed propaganda chapter, titled "Selective Use of Violence," involves "neutralizing" selected public officials. The lesson stresses that "it is absolutely necessary to gather together the population affected, so that they will be present and take part in the act."

After the official is publicly "neutralized," guerrillas should offer "extensive explanation" of "why it was necessary for the good of the people" and then "choose carefully" the person "who will replace the target."

In Chapter 3, guerrillas are taught the function of "armed propaganda teams." These are recruiters who visit villages to "exploit the socio-political weaknesses in the target society."

At first, each team member should be "courteous and humble" and should "mix in with the community," attending birthdays, parties and funerals. If "one or two men" are hostile, that "can be overcome by eliminating the enemy in a rapid and effective manner."

Initially members of propaganda teams "should not mention their political ideology." Instead they should elicit concern by telling workers that "the state is putting an end to factories" and doctors that "they are being replaced with Cuban paramedics."

As soon as the guerrillas learn the aspirations of the local people, they should say that joining the insurrection is the way to see those desires realized.

The chapter calls for short visits, no longer than three days, on the ground that longer visits "would overexpose the target audience and cause a negative reaction."

Guerrillas next learn how to blackmail citizens so they can be used as informants.

"Meetings with the guerrilla leaders can be arranged to seem casual," the primer says. "The meeting will be held so that other people know that the target is attending them. The target then is faced with his participation in the insurrectional struggle, and it will be indicated to him that if he fails to cooperate or carry out future orders, he will be exposed."

If the target still decides not to join, guerrillas should denounce the target to the police using "false statements from citizens." If targets do join, they will be used "for subjective internal control of groups to which they already belong."

All of this is to "prepare in advance a hostile mental attitude among the target groups so that, at the decisive moment, they will erupt in general violence."

When the uprising occurs, "professional criminals should be hired to carry out selective jobs," such as "taking the demonstrators to a confrontation with the authorities to bring about uprisings and shootings that will cause the death of one or more people to create a martyr for the cause."

Other people will be "armed with clubs, iron rods and placards and, if possible, small firearms, which they will carry hidden." Still other "shock troops," equipped "with knives, razors, chains, clubs and bludgeons," will "march slightly behind the innocent and gullible participants" as the uprising progresses.

When the "concentration reaches its highest level of euphoria or popular discontent," the guerrilla commander, watching from a high vantage point, will order his men to begin chanting anti-Sandinista slogans. The commander "can change slogans" as the rioting progresses "and eventually incite violence if he wishes."

That will give the impression that there are many guerrillas and that "they have a large popular backing."

Curse in Kenya Is Penalized

NAIROBI, Kenya, Oct. 16 (UPI) — The police arrested two officials of the Mwangeka soccer team on Sunday for using bird feathers and other "witchcraft paraphernalia" to put a curse on the opposition goalkeeper. The Kenyan News Agency said today that the incident took place during a game in the village of Wundanyi in western Kenya. Mwangeka won 4 to 3 but the result was nullified by the Kenya Football Federation, which ordered the game replayed.

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Jack Anderson

Atrocities By 'Our' Side in Nicaragua

Since the CIA unleashed the "*contra*" forces in a secret war to overthrow the Sandinista regime in Nicaragua, it has become difficult if not impossible for the agency to control what its surrogates are doing.

My associate Jon Lee Anderson has been traveling extensively in Central America for two years, covering both sides of the covert war in Nicaragua. He has reported on the atrocities committed by the communist elements in this turbulent region.

He has also uncovered numerous instances of brutality and corruption among the CIA-backed *contras*. Here are some of the incidents that could blacken the CIA's efforts:

• Ray Hooker, a respected Nicaraguan educator and candidate for the national assembly in the forthcoming election, was kidnapped on Sept. 5 by CIA-backed *contras*. He was last seen waving off would-be rescuers, apparently in fear that his captors would kill him on the spot. He hasn't been heard from since.

• Last summer a well-known *contra* commander, a former Somoza-era National Guard officer who called himself "Suicide," went on a homicidal rampage after his wife was killed. He attacked a border town, killing several civilians, and later executed dozens of Sandinista prisoners.

CIA agents ordered him placed under arrest, and the *contra* leadership agreed. According to rumors, the *contras* have since disposed of their troublesome colleague with a bullet in the head.

• My associate was told by a Misura Indian commander that his units routinely execute prisoners—after first torturing them to obtain information. He explained in grisly detail how the hapless prisoners of war were finished off, and said: "For the killing of prisoners we use our youngest boys, 14 and 15 years old. They are the best for this because they are too young to have learned a conscience."

• A month ago, in one of the Indian camps, the chief of Misura's military operations told my associate in a burst of candor: "I love killing. I have been killing for the past seven years. There's nothing I like better. If I could, I'd kill several people a day."

• *Contras* of the CIA's favorite rebel group, the FDN, have told my associate matter-of-factly that captured Sandinista soldiers who showed no inclination to join the anti-government rebels were shot— again, after being tortured for information. The same treatment was meted out to suspected spies, snitches and collaborators in communities occupied, however briefly, by the *contras*.

"Should the United States support anti-communists who kidnap, torture and murder their victims just because the other side engages in the same inhumanity?

The marked exception to the *contras'* brutal treatment of Sandinista prisoners and sympathizers is in the units led by Eden Pastora, the former Sandinista who survived a news conference bombing at his base camp on the Costa Rican border this year.

Far from executing his captives, Pastora goes to great lengths to win them over to the anti-Sandinista cause. If the conversion effort fails, he turns the prisoners over to the Costa Rican Red Cross to be returned home to Nicaragua.

Unfortunately, the CIA can claim no credit for Pastora's decency. He operates without American aid.

The moral question is this: Should the United States support anti-communists who kidnap, torture and murder their victims just because the other side engages in the same inhumanity?

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CIA ROLE IN NICARAGUAN REBEL LOBBYING SAID INCONCLUSIVE

WASHINGTON, Nov 30, REUTER -- INFORMATION PROVIDED BY REBEL LEADER EDGAR CHAMORRO IS NOT SPECIFIC ENOUGH TO DETERMINE IF THE CIA IMPROPERLY TRIED TO INFLUENCE CONGRESS ON THE U.S. ''COVERT WAR'' AGAINST NICARAGUA, A SPOKESMAN FOR THE HOUSE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE SAID TODAY.

THE SPOKESMAN, MICHAEL O'NEILL, ALSO SAID COMMITTEE MEMBERS WOULD BE BRIEFED ON TUESDAY IN CLOSED-DOOR SESSION ON STAFF CONCLUSIONS CONCERNING A CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY MANUAL FOR ANTI-SANDINIST REBELS THAT ADVOCATED ASSASINATIONS.

CHAMORRO, WHO WAS RECENTLY OUSTED AS A LEADER OF THE NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC FRONT FOR TALKING TOO MUCH TO REPORTERS, SAID IN A NEW YORK TIMES INTERVIEW THE CIA TOLD THE REBELS TO MISREPRESENT THEIR POLICY TO THE PRESS TO INFLUENCE CONGRESS.

HE ALSO SUGGESTED THE CIA PAID FOR REBELS TO TRAVEL TO WASHINGTON TO LOBBY CONGRESS, TOLD THE REBELS WHAT TO SAY AND EVEN PROVIDED WHAT SOME CRITICS CALLED ''RUDIMENTARY PSYCHOLOGICAL PROFILES'' ON CONGRESSMEN.

THE CIA HAD BEEN SUPPORTING THE REBELS IN THEIR FIGHT AGAINST THE SANDINIST GOVERNMENT UNTIL CONGRESS ENDED FUNDING FOR THE OPERATION THIS YEAR.

CIVIL LIBERTIES ACTIVITISTS SAID IF THE CHAMORRO CHARGES WERE TRUE, THE CIA ENGAGED IN ILLEGAL DOMESTIC COVERT OPERATION THAT IS A ''SERIOUS AFFRONT TO THE DEMOCRATIC PROCESS.''

HOUSE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE STAFF INTERVIEWED CHAMORRO, BUT O'NEILL TOLD REUTERS, ''HE'S NOT GIVEN US VERY SPECIFIC INFORMATION ... WE DON'T HAVE NAMES, FACTS AND DATES.''

THE CIA STRONGLY DENIED IT HAD IMPROPERLY TRIED TO INFLUENCE CONGRESS AND GIVEN THE GENERAL NATURE OF CHAMORRO'S INFORMATION, ''I DON'T THINK WE CAN RESOLVE THIS,'' O'NEILL SAID.±

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TOP U.S. LAWMAKER CRITICIZES REPORT ON CIA'S NICARAGUA MANUAL

WASHINGTON, NOV 9, REUTER - THE VICE CHAIRMAN OF THE U.S. SENATE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE TODAY CRITICIZED A REAGAN ADMINISTRATION REPORT ON A CIA MANUAL FOR NICARAGUAN REBELS THAT ADVOCATES ASSASSINATION AND KIDNAPPINGS.

DEMOCRAT DANIEL PATRICK MOYNIHAN OF NEW YORK SAID THE REPORT BY THE CIA INSPECTOR GENERAL FAILS TO ACKNOWLEDGE THAT THE CONTROVERSIAL MANUAL ESPOUSES MARXIST-LENINIST PRACTICES WHICH SHOULD BE REJECTED BY THE UNITED STATES.

THE REPORT HAS NOT BEEN RELEASED BY THE ADMINISTRATION AND MOYNIHAN DID NOT MAKE IT PUBLIC EITHER.

''THE APPALLING FACT OF THE INSPECTOR GENERAL'S REPORT IS THAT NOWHERE IS THERE THE LEAST INDICATION THAT EVEN THE INSPECTOR GENERAL - AFTER THE EVENT - HAD AN INKLING OF THE IDEOLOGICAL PROVENANCE OF THESE DOCTRINES,'' MOYNIHAN SAID.

''HERE IS THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY, SO MUCH DEVOTED TO THE TASK OF OPPOSING COMMUNISM IN THE WORLD, SEEMINGLY INCAPABLE OF RECOGNIZING A MARXIST-LENINIST MANUAL,'' HE SAID.

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CIA CHIEF DEFENDS MANUAL FOR ANTI-SANDINISTA REBELS

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BY CAROL GIACOMO

WASHINGTON; NOV 2; REUTER - CIA DIRECTOR WILLIAM CASEY HAS DEFENDED A CIA-SPONSOREDRMANUAL FOR NICARAGUAN REBELS THAT ADVOCATES KIDNAPPING AND ASSASSINATING OFFICIALS OF MANAGUA'S SANDINISTA GOVERNMENT.

IN A LETTER TO THE SENATE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE MADE AVAILABLE TO REUTERS TODAY; CASEY FOR THE FIRST TIME PUBLICLY OFFERED HIS INTERPRETATION OF THE CONTROVERSIAL PRIMER; SAYING ITS PURPOSE IS ''ON THE WHOLE QUITE DIFFERENT FROM THE IMPRESSION THAT HAS BEEN CREATED IN THE MEDIA.''

HIS TWO-PAGE LETTER STRESSED SECTIONS OF THE MANUAL THAT EMPHASIZE A GOAL OF ACHIEVING A DEMOCRATIC AND PLURALISTIC SOCIETY IN NICARAGUA AND THAT TERM REBEL WEAPONS ''THE STRENGTH OF THE PEOPLE AGAINST AN ILLEGAL GOVERNMENT.''

SINCE ITS EXISTENCE WAS DISCLOSED THREE WEEKS AGO; THE MANUAL HAS CREATED A FUROR; WITH CRITICS CITING IT AS EVIDENCE THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION WANTS TO OVERTHROW THE SANDINISTAS; NOT JUST STOP THEM FROM EXPORTING ARMS IN CENTRAL AMERICA.

THE MANUAL WAS PAID FOR BY THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY AND PREPARED ''WITH THE HELP OF AN ADVISER PROVIDED BY THE CIA,'' CASEY SAID IN HIS LETTER.

THE ADVISER PREVIOUSLY HAS BEEN IDENTIFIED AS A CIA OPERATIVE IN HONDURAS WHO CALLED HIMSELF JOHN KIRKPATRICK.

UNTIL FUNDS WERE CUT OFF BY CONGRESS LAST MONTH; THE CIA HAD BEEN FINANCING AND DIRECTING THE ANTI-SANDINISTA REBELS; CALLED CONTRAS.

EDGAR CHAMORRO; A MEMBER OF THE DIRECTORATE OF THE LARGEST NICARAGUAN REBEL GROUP; THE NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC FORCE; HAS TOLD REPORTERS IN RECENT INTERVIEWS HE RECEIVED 2;000 COPIES OF THE MANUAL.

CHAMORRO WAS QUOTED AS SAYING HE PERSONALLY EXCISED SECTIONS ON HIRING CRIMINALS TO PERFORM ASSASSINATIONS AND ON MANIPULATING VIOLENT CONFRONTATIONS SO REBELS SUPPORTERS ARE KILLED AND CAN BECOME MARTYRS FOR THE CAUSE.

CIA OFFICIALS MAINTAINED A ''GREAT PART'' OF THE MANUAL ''WAS EXCISED'' BEFORE PRINTING; SEN. MALCOLM WALLOP; REPUBLICAN OF WYOMING; TOLD REPORTERS LAST WEEK.

BUT A TRANSLATION OF THE MANUAL THAT ACCOMPANIED CASEY'S LETTER TO THE COMMITTEE SHOWED ONLY ONE SENTENCE WAS DELETED AT CIA HEADQUARTERS; THE NEW YORK TIMES REPORTED.

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THAT SENTENCE READS: ''PEOPLE WILL BE HIRED TO CARRY OUT SELECTIVE JOBS.''

ONE OF MOST CONTROVERSIAL PASSAGES STATES: ''IT IS POSSIBLE TO NEUTRALIZE CAREFULLY SELECTED AND PLANNED TARGETS SUCH AS COURT JUDGES; POLICE AND STATE SECURITY CHIEFS.''

''NEUTRALIZE'' HAS BEEN WIDELY INTERPRETED AS MEANING ''ASSASSINATE.''

CASEY SPECIFICALLY DEFENDED THIS P
SSAGE AND ANOTHER THAT
TELLS REBELS HOW TO EXPLAIN TO PEASANTS IF THE REBELS HAVE TO SHOOT AN INFORMANT.

''IT IS IMPORTANT TO NOTE THESE TWO PASSAGES ARE IN THE CONTEXT OF ENTERING AND OCCUPYING A COMMUNITY AND DEALING WITH A SITUATION IN WHICH ACTUAL OR POTENTIAL RESISTANCE REMAINS;'' CASEY SAID.

BOTH CONGRESSIONAL INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEES ARE EXAMINING THE ISSUE TO SEE IF THE CIA ACTED IMPROPERLY IN PREPARING THE MANUAL AND PRESIDENT REAGAN HAS ASKED THE CIA INSPECTOR GENERAL TO CONDUCT AN INQUIRY.

THE INSPECTOR GENERAL IS JOHN STEIN; WHO HEADED THE CIA'S COVERT OPERATIONS DIVISION WHEN THE MANUAL WAS WRITTEN; REVIEWED AND DISTRIBUTED. CRITICS QUESTION IF HE CAN CONDUCT A FAIR PROBE.

SENATE DEMOCRATS PUSHED FOR A CLOSED-DOOR HEARING ON THE MATTER THIS WEEK BUT IT IS VIRTUALLY CERTAIN NOTHING WILL HAPPEN UNTIL AFTER NEXT TUESDAY'S NATIONAL ELECTIONS.

''THEY'VE REALLY STONEWALLED AND DRAGGED THIS THING OUT;'' ONE DEMOCRATIC AIDE SAID OF THE ADMINISTRATION.

MEANWHILE; IN A SEPARATE DEVELOPMENT; CALIFORNIA DEMOCRATIC REP. NORM MINETA ACCUSED THE CIA OF VIOLATING THE LAW BY NOT INFORMING CONGRESS OF THE MANUAL'S EXISTANCE.

MINETA; WHO IS A MEMBER OF THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE; SAID HE WOULD ASK THE COMMITTEE TO TURN OVER ANY EVIDENCE OF CIA WRONGDOING TO THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT ''SO THAT INDIVIDUALS WHO BROKE THE LAWS BE PROSECUTED.''

HE SAID; IN A STATEMENT; THAT THE AGENCY VIOLATED THE LAW BY PRODUCING THE MANUAL INSTRUCTING CONTRAS ON OVERTHROWING THE NICARAGUAN LEADES ''AT A TIME WHEN IT CLEARLY IS AGAINST THE LAW FOR ANY U.S. AGENCY TO PARTICIPATE IN ATTEMPTS TO OVERTHROW THE NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT.''

MINETA ALSO ACCUSED PRESIDENT REAGAN OF ''EITHER LYING TO THE AMERICAN PUBLIC; OR BEING KEPT IN THE DARK BY THE CIA.''

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NICARAGUA SAYS CIA MANUAL FOUND ON REBEL'S BODY
MANAGUA, OCT 27, REUTER - A MANUAL ON GUERRILLA TACTICS PREPARED BY THE U.S. CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY (CIA) HAS BEEN FOUND ON THE BODY OF A NICARAGUAN REBEL KILLED IN COMBAT, THE NICARAGUAN DEFENSE MINISTRY SAID TODAY.
A MINISTRY STATEMENT SAID A 150-STRONG REBEL FORCE FLED AFTER CLASHING WITH GOVERNMENT TROOPS IN A MOUNTAINOUS AREA IN THE NORTH YESTERDAY. THE MANUAL WAS FOUND IN THE POCKET OF ONE OF FIVE GUERRILLAS KILLED IN THE BATTLE, THE STATEMENT SAID.
THE MANUAL, WHICH INCLUDES ADVICE ON HOW TO ASSASSINATE AND KIDNAP GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS, HAS RAISED A STORM OF PROTEST IN THE UNITED STATES OVER U.S. POLICY TOWARD LEFT-WING NICARAGUA, WHICH THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION SEES AS THE MAIN SOURCE OF TURMOIL IN CENTRAL AMERICA.
THE NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT FORMALLY PROTESTED THIS WEEK TO THE UNITED STATES OVER THE MANUAL. THE WHITE HOUSE HAS SAID THE MANUAL APPEARS TO BE THE WORK OF A ''LOW-LEVEL CONTRACT EMLOYEE OF THE CIA'' AND ANY CIA PERSONNEL RESPONSIBLE FOR THE PRIMER WILL BE DISMISSED.
ATTACKS BY THE GUERRILLAS, WHO HAVE ALSO RECEIVED ARMS AND FINANCING FROM THE UNITED STATES, HAVE INCREASED OVER THE PAST FEW WEEKS AS NICARAGUAN ELECTIONS SCHEDULED FOR NOVEMBER 4 APPROACH.ÿ
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(JEAN-PAUL MARTHOZ REPORT: "'REPUGNANT' CIA MANUAL EMBARRASSES REAGAN")

(EXCERPTS) "WHY DO WE HAVE TO SUPPORT ALL THE TYRANTS IN THE WORLD?" THE WALL STREET JOURNAL'S JONATHAN KWITNY WROTE RECENTLY IN HIS BOOK "ENDLESS ENEMIES." FURTHERMORE WHY SHOULD THE UNITED STATES, WHICH HAS MADE THE STRUGGLE AGAINST TERRORISM ONE OF THE PRIORITIES OF ITS DIPLOMACY, NOW BE FOUND SUPPORTING ONE OF THE MOST BRUTAL TERRORIST ORGANIZATIONS ON THE LATIN AMERICAN CONTINENT -- THE NICARAGUAN COUNTERREVOLUTION? " (QUOTEMARKS AS PUBLISHED) THIS QUESTION ERUPTED IN WASHINGTON 2 DAYS BEFORE THE FOREIGN POLICY DEBATE DUE TO TAKE PLACE BETWEEN MR REAGAN AND MR MONDALE.

"REPUGNANT, A DISASTER FOR OUR FOREIGN POLICY": THESE WERE THE WORDS USED BY EDWARD BOLAN, (DEMOCRATIC) CHAIRMAN OF THE CONGRESS COMMISSION ON INTELLIGENCE QUESTIONS, TO DESCRIBE THE MANUAL WRITTEN BY THE U.S. SECRET SERVICES FOR THE GUERRILLAS OF THE NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC FORCE (EXTREME RIGHT) AND THE DEMOCRATIC REVOLUTIONARY ALLIANCE (FORMER SANDINISTAS).

THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION'S ORWELLIAN NEWSPEAK ("FREEDOM IS TYRANNY; PEACE IS WAR") HAS RARELY BEEN SO GROTESQUE. THE CONTRAS, THE PEOPLE WHO PRESIDENT REAGAN DESCRIBED AS FREEDOM FIGHTERS AND TO WHOM HE HAS ALREADY GIVEN $47 MILLION, DO NOT HOLD ANY OF THE VALUES WHICH AMERICAN DEMOCRACY CLAIMS TO HOLD. MANY WOULD LIKE TO RETURN TO THE FORMER SOMOZIST DICTATORSHIP, AND THEY ARE AMONG THOSE MOST TO BLAME FOR HUMAN RIGHTS VIOLATIONS IN LATIN AMERICA: NEARLY 1,000 CIVILIANS KILLED ACCORDING TO THE COUNCIL ON HEMISPHERE AFFAIRS.

THE PUBLICATION OF THIS SHORT PAMPHLET ON "PSYCHOLOGICAL OPERATIONS IN GUERRILLA WARFARE" ALSO RIDICULES THE OFFICIAL REASON FOR THE AID GIVEN TO THE NICARAGUAN COUNTERREVOLUTIONARIES: TO INTERCEPT THE ARMS FLOW BETWEEN NICARAGUAN AND THE SALVADORAN GUERRILLAS.

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THE AID GIVEN TO THE CONTRAS HAS ALWAYS BEEN REGARDED IN HIGH PLACES AS A MEANS OF OVERTHROWING THE NICARAGUAN SANDINISTA REGIME, AS HAS THE MINING OF NICARAGUAN PORTS. INDEED MISINFORMATION HAS BEEN A CONSTANT ASPECT OF THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION FROM JOHN GLASMAN'S WHITE PAPER IN 1981, BRILLIANTLY TAKEN APART BY THE WALL STREET JOURNAL, TO THE INFORMATION "FROM SOURCES CLOSE TO THE CIA" ACCORDING TO WHICH VIETNAM WAS GOING TO SEND 1,000 AIRCRAFT TO NICARAGUA.

THE FREEDOM OF THE AMERICAN PRESS AND CONGRESS' INDEPENDENCE CERTAINLY COUNTER THE OFFICIAL "INFORMATION," BUT A DEMOCRACY CANNOT WITH IMPUNITY PLAY WITH ITS ENEMIES' WEAPONS -- TERRORISM AND LIES.

THIS MALAISE IS ALREADY PERCEPTIBLE WITHIN THE CIA, DAVID MACMICHAEL HAS LEFT THE AGENCY BECAUSE HIS FIELD INVESTIGATION IN CENTRAL AMERICA DID NOT BEAR OUT THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION'S ALLEGATIONS ON SUPPLIES OF NICARAGUAN ARMS TO EL SALVADOR. LAST MAY ANOTHER CIA AGENT RESIGNED: JOHN HORTON, CHIEF OF ANALYSES ON LATIN AMERICA, FELT THAT HIS REPORTS WERE SYSTEMATICALLY DISTORTED AND TRUNCATED TO MAKE THEM CORRESPOND WITH THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION'S PREJUDICIES. "THE CIA HAS BEEN INFILTRATED BY MARXISTS," AS SALVADORAN PRESIDENT JOSE NAPOLEON DUARTE TOLD PLAYBOY RECENTLY....

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25X1 NETHERLANDS ANTILLES RADIO ON CIA MANUAL FOR CONTRAS

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(TEXT) AMERICAN PRESIDENT REAGAN HAS ORDERED AN INVESTIGATION INTO CHARGES THAT CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY PRODUCED A MANUAL ON GUERRILLA WARFARE FOR REBELS TRYING TO OVERTHROW THE NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT. THE MANUAL GIVES INSTRUCTIONS ON KIDNAPPING AND SABOTAGE AND ADVISES THE REBELS ON HOW TO ELIMINATE POLITICAL ENEMIES.

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25X1 DAMASCUS RADIO ON CIA DOCUMENT FOR NICARAGUAN REBELS

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(FROM "ON THE EVENTS" PROGRAM)

(TEXT) THE CONTADORA GROUP FOREIGN MINISTERS, WHO ARE EMPOWERED TO DRAFT A CHARTER TO ESTABLISH PEACE IN CENTRAL AMERICA, INTEND TO ADD NEW CLAUSES THAT WOULD HELP PREPARE A NEW CHARTER TO BE IMPLEMENTED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE WHICH WOULD BE ACCEPTABLE TO ALL PARTIES CONCERNED. THE FOREIGN MINISTERS WILL HOLD A WORKING MEETING IN MADRID TO DISCUSS THE NEW CLAUSES AND INCORPORATE THEM INTO THE CHARTER. THE SPANISH FOREIGN MINISTER DECLARED THAT HIS COUNTRY, ALONG WITH THE CONTADORA GROUP, WILL CONTRIBUTE TO REACHING A PRACTICABLE FORMULA AGREED ON BY EVERYONE.

HOWEVER, POLITICAL OBSERVERS IN CENTRAL AMERICA BELIEVE THAT THE UNITED STATES WILL NOT APPROVE ANY AGREEMENT NOT IN HARMONY WITH ITS POLICY IN THAT REGION -- A POLICY INTENDED TO SPREAD U.S. INFLUENCE AND SUPPORT ITS ALLIES IN THE REGION. THEREFORE, ANY AGREEMENT UNACCEPTABLE TO WASHINGTON WOULD REMAIN MERE INK ON PAPER.

THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION CONTINUES TO WORK AGAINST REGIMES THAT OPPOSE ITS POLICY THROUGH ITS ALLIES AND INTELLIGENCE SERVICE. THE CHEIF OF THE U.S. INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE IN THE U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES (AS HEARD) HAS REVEALED A DOCUMENT PUBLISHED THIS WEEK PROVING THAT THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION IS WORKING TO TOPPLE THE NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT. THE DOCUMENT SHOWS THAT THE U.S. ADMINISTRATION HAS TRAINED RIGHTIST ELEMENTS IN NICARAGUA FOR THIS PURPOSE AND HAS SUPPORTED MERCENARIES AND MOUNTED AIR AND NAVAL PROVOCATIONS AGAINST THE NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT.

THE DOCUMENT, WHICH WAS DISTRIBUTED TO RIGHTIST REBELS, LISTED THE METHODS THEY SHOULD USE TO ASSASSINATE POLITICAL FIGURES IN NICARAGUA AND CARRY OUT SABOTAGE ACTIVITIES IN THE COUNTRY, SUCH AS ABDUCTIONS, SETTING FIRE TO PUBLIC BUILDINGS, AND SPREADING ANARCHY AND CONFUSION WITHIN A SECRET WAR AIMED AT TOPPLING THE PROGRESSIVE NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT.

DIPLOMATIC CIRCLES IN CENTRAL AMERICA SAY THAT EFFORTS TO ESTABLISH PEACE IN THE REGION WILL NOT LEAD TO POSITIVE RESULTS AS LONG AS WASHINGTON CONTINUES TO ESCALATE THE SITUATION, REACTIVATE AGENTS, AND ENCOURAGE ALLIES TO COMMIT AGGRESSION AGAINST THOSE COUNTRIES THAT OPPOSE WASHINGTON'S POLICY OF HEGEMONY AND DOMINATION OVER THE REGION'S STATES.

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25X1 FRG PAPER ON CIA DOCUMENT FOR NICARAGUAN REBELS

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(THOMAS KIELINGER DISPATCH: "'DISCLOSURES' INTENDED TO HIT REAGAN")

(TEXT) WASHINGTON -- A NUMBER OF PURPOSEFUL INDISCRETIONS HAVE CREATED THE SUSPICION IN WASHINGTON THAT PRESIDENT RONALD REAGAN IS TO BE GREATLY EMBARRASSED POLITICALLY AND PUSHED ONTO THE DEFENSIVE JUST BEFORE HIS TELEVISION DEBATE WITH WALTER MONDALE ON SUNDAY.

WHAT LIES AT THE CENTER OF THE LATEST DISCLOSURES IS A 44-PAGE CIA HANDBOOK AVAILABLE IN SPANISH THAT PROVIDES THE "CONTRAS" IN NICARAGUA WITH GUIDANCE FOR REBELLION AND REVOLUTION. UNDER THE TITLE "PSYCHOLOGICAL OPERATIONS IN GUERRILLA WARFARE," THE "CONTRAS" ARE ADVISED, AMONG OTHER THINGS, TO PREPARE THE GROUNDWORK FOR THE ANTI-SANDINIST REVOLT THROUGH POLITICAL ASSASSINATIONS, BLACKMAIL, AND PUBLIC TRIBUNALS.

THE EXISTENCE OF THIS PAPER WAS UNCOVERED BY THE AP NEWS AGENCY. A DAY LATER, ON WEDNESDAY, THE NEW YORK TIMES REPRINTED EXTENSIVE EXCERPTS. THE THURSDAY EDITIONS OF THE LEADING U.S. NEWSPAPERS REPORTED REACTIONS FROM CONGRESS PROMINENTLY ON THEIR FRONT PAGES. REPRESENTATIVES AND SENATORS DEMANDED AN IMMEDIATE INVESTIGATION INTO THE BACKGROUND OF THIS CIA TEXT WHOSE AUTHENTICITY REPORTEDLY WAS CONFIRMED BY ADMINISTRATION CIRCLES.

THE CHARGES CONCENTRATE ON A POINT THAT HAS BEEN AT THE CENTER OF A CONTROVERSY BETWEEN THE WHITE HOUSE AND CONGRESS FOR QUITE SOME TIME: DOES THE ADMINISTRATION INTEND MERELY TO STOP NICARAGUAN SUPPLIES TO THE REBELS IN EL SALVADOR OR IS IT ACTIVELY PURSUING THE OVERTHROW OF THE REGIME IN MANAGUA? AFTER THE PUBLICATION OF THE LATEST CIA DOCUMENT, THE SUSPICION GROWS -- JUST AS IT DID AT THE TIME WHEN THE MINING OF SOME NICARAGUAN PORTS BECAME KNOWN -- THAT AN OVERTHROW IS THE ACTUAL GOAL OF THE OPERATIONS AGAINST NICARAGUA. LAST WEEK, CONGRESS STOPPED ADDITIONAL AID TO THE "CONTRAS" UNTIL LATE FEBRUARY 1985.

THE DISCLOSURE AT THIS TIME IS PARTICULARLY EMBARRASSING TO REAGAN BECAUSE FOR A LONG TIME HIS ADMINISTRATION HAS BEEN WAGING A CAMPAIGN AGAINST INTERNATIONAL TERRORISM AND, IN DOING SO, ESPECIALLY DENOUNCES METHODS SUCH AS THOSE RECOMMENDED IN THE CIA HANDBOOK.

THE WASHINGTON POST YESTERDAY PUBLISHED ANOTHER DISCOLSURE, ALSO ON ITS FRONT PAGE. THIS TIME THE SUBJECT WAS THE ATTACK ON THE U.S. EMBASSY IN BEIRUT. ACCORDING TO NEW FINDINGS, BOB WOODWARD -- ONE OF THE WATERGATE REPORTERS -- WRITES THAT DAYS BEFORE THE ATTACK U.S. INTELLIGENCE HAD DETAILED INDICATIONS OF A PLANNED ATTACK.

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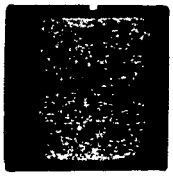
MONDALE FINDS NEW ISSUE FOR ATTACKING REAGAN
By Michael Battye
WASHINGTON, Oct 19, Reuter - Democratic challenger Walter Mondale is turning up the heat on President Ronald Reagan over a CIA manual for Nicaraguan rebels just two days before they meet in possibly crucial televised debate.
The Central Intelligence Agency (CIA) manual, which contained instructions on political assassination techniques, is the latest issue Mondale has discovered in a bid to back up his claim that Reagan lacks leadership and knowledge.
Reagan yesterday ordered an inquiry into possible improper conduct by the CIA following press reports of the publication of the manual.
A senior administration official, who declined to be named, said the manual appeared to be the work of a low level contract employee he described as ''a free-wheeling, free-lancing type.''
Mondale, in an intevien with Cable News Network (CNN) last night, described the manual as embarrassing to the United States.
''Who's in charge of American foreign policy and American security?'' Mondale asked. ''I think these are the questions which are growing every day.''
Mondale described the ''covert war'' backed by the CIA in Nicaragua as counter-productive, with the Sandinista government in Managua growing stronger as a result.
''I don't believe they (the Reagan administration) have thought it through,'' he added.



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THE TWO CANDIDATES MEET IN A SECOND AND LAST TELEVISED DEBATE ON SUNDAY, WITH THE MONDALE CAMPAIGN GIVEN A GREAT FILLIP BY THE FIRST, ON DOMESTIC ISSUES, WHICH ALL OPINION POLLS SAID HE WON BY COMFORTABLE MARGINS.

POLLS ON HOW THE NOVEMBER 6 VOTE IS LIKELY TO GO HAVE SHOWN MONDALE CLOSING THE GAP ON REAGAN, BUT WITH STILL A LOT OF GROUND TO MAKE UP.

THE DEMOCRAT HAS BEEN TRYING TO DO THAT BY CONSISTENTLY ALLEGING THAT REAGAN WAS OUT OF TOUCH WITH REALITY AND BY QUESTIONING HIS KNOWLEDGE OF WHAT HIS OWN GOVERNMENT WAS DOING.

IN THE INTERVIEW WITH CNN HE RETURNED TO LAMBASTING REAGAN OVER LAST MONTH'S BOMBING OF THE U.S. EMBASSY, IN WHICH EIGHT PEOPLE WERE KILLED, IN A PREVIEW OF ARGUMENTS HE IS LIKELY TO USE ON SUNDAY.

HE DESCRIBED AS ''APPARENTLY ACCURATE'' A WASHINGTON POST STORY YESTERDAY WHICH QUOTED INTELLIGENCE SOURCES AS SAYING THE UNITED STATES KNEW EXPLOSIVES TO BE USED AGAINST EMBASSY PERSONNEL HAD BEEN TAKEN INTO LEBANON AND THE TARGET WAS LIKELY TO BE THE AMBASSADOR'S RESIDENCE OR THE EMBASSY ITSELF.

''EVERY DAY THERE IS GROWING EVIDENCE THAT NO ONE IS IN CHARGE,'' HE SAID OF THE ADMINISTRATION'S FOREIGN POLICY.

MONDALE SAID THE ARMS RACE WAS LIKELY TO BE THE MOST IMPORTANT TOPIC ON SUNDAY, WHICH ONE POLLSTER HAS DESCIBED AS A ''HIGH NOON'' CONFRONTATION THAT COULD HAND MONDALE A SHOCK ELECTION WIN.

''IT IS THE MOST IMPORTANT QUESTION THAT IS BEFORE THE HUMAN RACE,'' HE SAID. ''ARE WE GOING TO BE STRONG? ARE WE GOING TO GET ARMS CONTROL? ARE WE GOING TO AVOID A NUCLEAR HOLOCAUST? ARE WE GOING TO GET THE LEADERSHIP THAT WILL LEAD US TO A SAFER WORLD?''+

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WHITE HOUSE ORDERS PROBES OF CIA GUERRILLA MANUAL

NEW YORK; OCT 18; REUTER - PRESIDENT REAGAN TODAY ORDERED INVESTIGATIONS OF POSSIBLE IMPROPER CONDUCT BY THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY FOLLOWING PUBLICATION OF A CIA MANUAL INSTRUCTING NICARAGUAN REBELS ON POLITICAL ASSASSINATION.

A SENIOR ADMINISTRATION OFFICIAL SAID THE MANUAL APPEARED TO BE THE WORK OF ''A LOW-LEVEL CONTRACT EMPLOYEE FOR THE CIA OPERATING IN THE REGION.'' THE OFFICIAL; WHO ASKED NOT TO BE IDENTIFIED; DESCRIBED THE AGENT AS ''A FREE-WHEELING; FREE-LANCING TYPE.''

HE SAID U.S. INTELLIGENCE OFFICIALS BELIEVED THE EMPLOYEE HAD PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE IN VIETNAM AND HAD DRAFTED THE MANUAL BASED ON METHODS OF OPERATION THAT WERE LEGAL DURING THAT ERA BUT HAVE BEEN OUTLAWED.

THE OFFICIAL SAID ADDITIONAL CHANGES HAD BEEN MADE TO THE MANUAL; BUT DID NOT SAY BY WHOM OR WHERE.

''THIS WAS NEVER APPROVED AND WOULD NEVER HAVE BEEN APPROVED. IT IN NO WAY CONFORMS WITH POLICY OR THE PRESIDENT'S PERSONAL FEELINGS;'' THE OFFICIAL TOLD REPORTERS IN NEW YORK; WHERE REAGAN WAS ATTENDING A MEMORIAL DINNER FOR FORMER NEW YORK GOVERNOR ALFRED SMITH.

THE OFFICIAL SAID THE MANUAL HAD ''INCENSED'' THE ADMINISTRATION. IT HAS ALSO INFURIATED SOME CONGRESSMEN WHO HAVE CITED IT AS FURTHER PROOF OF THE DANGERS OF THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION'S SPONSORSHIP OF GUERRILLAS FIGHTING TH; LEFTIST SANDINIST GOVERNMENT IN NICARAGUA.

THE ADMINISTRATION OFFICIAL SAID THE INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY HAD IDENTIFIED THE INDIVIDUAL; BUT THE OFFICIAL REFUSED TO BE MORE SPECIFIC.

REAGAN ORDERED AN INDEPENDENT INVESTIGATION BY THE INTELLIGENCE OVERSIGHT BOARD AND A FORMAL INQUIRY BY THE INSPECTOR GENERAL OF THE CIA; HE ADDED.

THE OFFICIAL SAID REAGAN LEARNED OF THE MANUAL FROM NEWSPAPER REPORTS AND HAD IMMEDIATELY ASKED FOR A STAFF-LEVEL INQUIRY; WHICH LED TO THE ORDER OF FORMAL INVESTIGATIONS.

''THE PRESIDENT WOULD LIKE THE FACTS AS SOON AS POSSIBLE;'' HE SAID; BUT GAVE NO DATE FOR COMPLETION OF THE INQUIRIES.

EARLIER IN WASHINGTON; WHITE HOUSE SPOKESMAN LARRY SPEAKES SAID THE ADMINISTRAITON ''HAS NOT ADVOCATED OR CONDONED POLITICAL ASSASSINATION OR ANY OTHER ATTACKS ON CIVILIANS; NOR WILL WE.''

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SPEAKES SAID REAGAN HAD DIRECTED CASEY, AS COORDINATOR OF ALL GOVERNMENT INTELLIGENCE ACTIVITIES, TO GET THE INSPECTOR GENERAL OF THE CIA TO CONDUCT THE INVESTIGATION.

IN ADDITION TO THE STATEMENT BY SPEAKES, THE WHITE HOUSE ISSUED A COPY OF AN EXECUTIVE ORDER SIGNED BY REAGAN ON DECEMBER 4, 1981, TO UNDERLINE THE ADMINISTRATION'S POSITION.

THE ORDER SAID "NO PERSON EMPLOYED BY OR ACTING ON BEHALF OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT SHALL ENGAGE IN OR CONSPIRE TO ENGAGE IN ASSASSINATION;" AND "NO AGENCY OF THE INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY SHALL PARTICIPATE IN OR REQUEST ANY PERSON TO UNDERTAKE ACTIVITIES FORBIDDEN BY THIS ORDER."

THE CIA HAS BEEN ACCUSED IN THE PAST OF UNDERTAKING OR SUPPORTING ACTIVITIES AIMED AT ASSASSINATING FOREIGN LEADERS.

SPEAKES SAID REAGAN ALSO HAD ASKED HIS INDEPENDENT INTELLIGENCE OVERSIGHT BOARD TO INVESTIGATE POSSIBLE IMPROPER CONDUCT BY CIA EMPLOYEES. CONGRESSIONAL OVERSIGHT COMMITTES WOULD BE INFORMED OF FINDINGS, HE ADDED.

THE CIA MANUAL GIVES DETAILED ADVICE ON HOW TO KILL CIVILIANS AND ADVOCATES ASSASSINATION OF NICARAGUAN OFFICIALS, POLITICAL BLACKMAIL AND ENCOURAGEMENT OF MOB VIOLENCE.

SPEAKES SAID IN HIS STATEMENT THAT THE UNITED STATES "HAS HISTORICALLY APPROVED SUPPORT TO PEOPLE AND SMALL COUNTRIES RESISTING SUBVERSION OR TOTALITARIAN OPPRESSION.

"WHERE SUCH ASSISTANCE IS REQUIRED, IT IS IMPORTANT THAT SUCH SUPPORT BE CONSISTENT WITH AMERICAN VALUES AND CARRIED ON SO AS TO WIN AND INCREASE THE LOYALTY AND CONFIDENCE OF THE CIVILIAN POPULATION."

DEMOCRATS HAVE INCREASINGLY OPPOSED REAGAN'S POLICY IN NICARAGUA, AND REGARDLESS OF THE PRESIDENT'S CALL FOR AN INQUIRY, THE CONTROVERSY OVER THE CIA MANUAL IS CERTAIN TO ARISE DURING SUNDAY'S DEBATE BETWEEN REAGAN AND DEMOCRATIC CHALLENGER WALTER MONDALE.

O'NEILL, A MASSACHUSETTS DEMOCRAT, DISMISSED THE REAGAN CALL FOR AN INQUIRY AS A "WHITEWASH;" ACCUSED THE CIA OF VIOLATING U.S. LAW IN PRODUCING THE MANUAL, AND CALLED FOR CASEY'S RESIGNATION.

"I BELIEVE MR. CASEY OUGHT TO BE OUT OF THERE;" O'NEILL TOLD REPORTERS. "AND IF HE ISN'T THAT SHOWS THAT THE PRESIDENT CONDONES THE ACTION."

"IT IS TIME TO HAVE A CIA DIRECTOR WHO RESPECTS THE LAW AND HUMAN RIGHTS AT HOME AND ABROAD;" HE ADDED.

HE SAID THE MANUAL VIOLATES A 1982 LAW WHICH PROHIBITS THE USE OF U.S. FUNDS TO OVERTHROW THE NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT.

ALSO TODAY, DEMOCRATIC REP. DAVID OBEY OF WISCONSIN ASKED THE GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE, AN INVESTIGATIVE ARM OF CONGRESS, TO FIND OUT WHO AUTHORIZED THE MANUAL.

YESTERDAY, DEMOCRATIC REP. EDWARD BOLAND OF MASSACHUSETTS, CHAIRMAN OF THE HOUSE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE, SAID THE DOCUMENT WAS "REPUGNANT TO A NATION THAT CONDEMNS SUCH ACTS BY OTHERS."

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SOVIET CENTRAL PRESS REACTION TO CIA MANUAL, 'STATE TERRORISM'

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THE FIRST EDITION OF MOSCOW PRAVDA IN RUSSIAN ON 23 OCTOBER 1984 DEVOTES HALF OF ITS PAGE 5 TO A FEATURE UNDER THE GENERAL HEADING "STATE TERRORISM IS WASHINGTON'S POLICY."

UNDER THE HEADLINE "NICARAGUA: ON THE INSTRUCTIONS OF THE CIA, THE COUNTERREVOLUTIONARY RABBLE IS TRYING TO SUBVERT THE PEOPLE'S POWER," PRAVDA PUBLISHES AN ITEM ENTITLED "WHO ARE THEY INSTRUCTING?" THIS CONSISTS OF A 550-WORD TASS REPORT, DATELINED NEW YORK 22 OCTOBER, WHICH SUMMARIZES U.S. MEDIA REACTION TO THE "REAGAN ADMINISTRATION'S COMPLICITY IN THE PREPARATION OF THE CIA SECRET 'INSTRUCTIONS' FOR ANTI-NICARAGUAN COUNTERREVOLUTIONARIES," AND A 200-WORD TASS REPORT, DATELINED MANAGUA 22 OCTOBER, REPORTING DANIEL ORTEGA'S ELECTION CAMPAIGN SPEECH TO PEASANTS' DELEGATES.

THE "NICARAGUA" SECTION ENDS WITH A 650-WORD "OBSERVER'S OPINION" BY VLADIMIR BOLSHAKOV ATTACKING THE ADMINISTRATION FOR PROCLAIMING A "DAY TO COMMEMORATE THE VICTIMS OF INTERNATIONAL TERRORISM" WHILE IGNORING ITS OWN ACTIONS OF "STATE TERRORISM."

UNDER THE HEADLINE "GRENADA: A YEAR AGO THE UNITED STATES COMMITTED A BARBAROUS ACT OF AGGRESSION AGAINST THIS SOVEREIGN STATE," PRAVDA CARRIES A 500-WORD COMMENTARY BY V. LISTOV ENTITLED "TRAMPLED FREEDOM," WHICH PUTS FORWARD THE SOVIET STANCE ON EVENTS IN GRENADA AND INTRODUCES THREE PHOTOGRAPHS, ATTRIBUTED TO TASS AND THE "JOURNAL (OKLAB)," SHOWING A U.S. SERVICEMAN STANDING GUARD OVER A BLACK MAN WITH HIS HANDS UP, A JEEP WITH THREE SERVICEMEN ESCORTING A COLUMN OF MEN ON FOOT, AND A SERVICEMAN STANDING GUARD OVER TWO MEN LYING ON THE GROUND.

THE 23 OCTOBER MORNING EDITION OF MOSCOW IZVESTIYA IN RUSSIAN CARRIES ON PAGE 4, UNDER THE RUBRIC "EXPANDING PREVIOUS REPORTS," A 500-WORD DISPATCH FROM ITS OWN CORRESPONDENT IN WASHINGTON, A. PALLADIN, ENTITLED "THE WHITE HOUSE IS HIDING IN THE SHADOWS. GROWING SCANDAL OVER THE CIA INSTRUCTIONS FOR TERRORISTS." THE AUTHOR CITES THE NEW YORK TIMES AND THE WASHINGTON POST ON REVELATIONS THAT A CERTAIN JOHN KIRKPATRICK IS THE AUTHOR OF "THE SCANDALOUS WORK" AND DESCRIBES THE NEWSPAPERS' REACTION TO THE EVENT.

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THE 23 OCTOBER SECOND EDITION OF MOSCOW KRASNAYA ZVEZDA IN RUSSIAN CARRIES ON PAGE 3, UNDER THE RUBRIC "THE FACTS EXPOSE," A 600-WORD COMMENTARY BY MAJOR V. LAPTEV ENTITLED "THE CIA'S CRIME." LAPTEV OUTLINES THE BACKGROUND TO THE "CIA MANUAL" CASE, AND GIVES OTHER INSTANCES OF THE UNITED STATES RESORTING TO WHAT HE DESCRIBES AS "STATE TERRORISM."

MOSCOW SOTSIALISTICHESKAYA INDUSTRIYA IN RUSSIAN ON 23 OCTOBER 1984 CARRIES ON PAGE 3 A 750-WORD COMMENTARY BY G. DADYANTS ENTITLED "THE BOOMERANG HAS RETURNED TO THE WHITE HOUSE," IN WHICH THE AUTHOR GIVES DETAILS OF THE "42-PAGE BROCHURE PUBLISHED BY THE CIA" AND ASKS: "HOW CAN THE U.S. ADMINISTRATION, WHICH IS BOGGED DOWN IN INTERNATIONAL TERRORISM AND HAS MADE IT STATE POLICY, HAVE THE NERVE TO ACCUSE OTHER COUNTRIES OF 'INTERNATIONAL TERRORISM?'"

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KOREAN CLANDESTINE RADIO CITES REUTER ON CIA MANUAL ISSUE

[redacted] (CLANDESTINE) VOICE OF THE RPR IN KOREAN TO SOUTH KOREA
1000 GMT 23 OCT 84

(TEXT) ACCORDING TO REUTER NEWS FROM WASHINGTON, DEMOCRATIC U.S. PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE MONDALE DEMANDED THE DISMISSAL OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE U.S. CIA BY REAGAN IN CONNECTION WITH THE DISCOVERY OF BOOKS ABOUT ASSASSINATION TECHNIQUES PREPARED BY THE U.S. CIA FOR THE REBELS IN NICARAGUA.

ON 18 OCTOBER, SPEAKER OF THE U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES O'NEIL DEMANDED THE RESIGNATION OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE U.S. CIA, CASEY, IN CONNECTION WITH THE DISCOVERY OF THE DIRECTIVES OF THE U.S. CIA URGING POLITICAL ASSASSINATION IN NICARAGUA.
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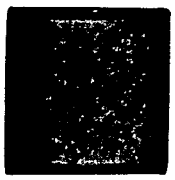

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25X1 GDR RADIO COMMENTS ON CIA HANDBOOK

[redacted] EAST BERLIN DOMESTIC SERVICE IN GERMAN 1100 GMT 23 OCT 84

(HORST KAEUBLER COMMENTARY)

(TEXT) IS THE CIA'S SECRET WAR AGAINST NICARAGUA GETTING OUT OF CONTROL? THIS WORRYING QUESTION IS POSED BY THE BOURGEOIS PAPER INTERNATIONAL HERALD TRIBUNE IN AN EDITORIAL. HORST KAEUBLER COMMENTS ON THE MOTIVES FOR THIS ASSESSMENT OF U.S. POLICY TOWARD CENTRAL AMERICA:

THIS, DEAR LISTENERS, HAS NEVER HAPPENED BEFORE IN WASHINGTON. THE U.S. PRESIDENT INSTRUCTS THE U.S. INTELLIGENCE SERVICE TO INVESTIGATE ILLEGAL ACTIVITITES WHICH IT IS CARRYING OUT AGAINST NICARAGUA, THAT IS, CRIMES IT HAS ALREADY COMMITTED ON ITS OWN ACCOUNT. WHAT SET THE BALL ROLLING IS THE HANDBOOK ON THE CONDUCT OF THE SECRET WAR AGAINST NICARAGUA, A COUNTRY WITH WHICH THE UNITED STATES STILL MAINTAINS DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS, PREPARED AT CIA HEADQUARTERS OUTSIDE THE GATES OF WASHINGTON.

AS EVERYONE BY NOW KNOWS, THIS HANDBOOK CONTAINS DIRECT INSTRUCTIONS ON SABOTAGE, MURDER, KIDNAPPING -- PUT BRIEFLY, ON PHYSICAL TERROR IN ORDER TO REMOVE THE SANDINIST REVOLUTION FROM THE MAP OF CENTRAL AMERICA AND TO RESTORE YANKEE HEGEMONY.

THE INSTRUCTIONS ISSUED BY PRESIDENT REAGAN, WHO HAS PRESSED CONGRESS AGAIN AND AGAIN TO PROVIDE FRESH FUNDS FOR THE SECRET WAR AGAINST NICARAGUA, DO NOT COME AS A SUDDEN EXPLANATION PROFFERED BY SOMEONE WITH A BAD CONSCIENCE. EVEN IN THE U.S. CONGRESS ANGRY VOICES ARE TO BE HEARD. WHEREAS PREVIOUS ADMINISTRATIONS ATTEMPTED TO TAKE THE CIA A LITTLE OUT OF THE LINE OF FIRE, AFTER INVESTIGATIONS HAD PROVED THAT THE CIA HAD PARTICIPATED IN THE MURDER OF LUMUMBA, IN THE PLANNED ASSASINATION OF FIDEL CASTRO AND MANY OTHER THINGS, ONE RIGHTLY FEARS THAT THE U.S. INTELLIGENCE ORGANIZATION WILL ONCE AGAIN BECOME THE UNCONTROLLABLE TOOL OF TERRORISM PERMITTED BY THE STATE.

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ROBERT MACFARLANE, PRESIDENT REAGAN'S SECURITY ADVISER, ATTEMPTED TO DISPEL THIS IMPRESSION AS SPEEDILY AS POSSIBLE. HE SAID THAT WHOEVER IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE PREPARATION OF THE TERROR HANDBOOK FINANCED BY THE CIA SHOULD BE FIRED.

ARE WE DEALING MERELY WITH A MADMAN IN THE INTELLIGENCE SERVICE HEADQUARTERS WHO ON HIS OWN INITIATIVE IS SEEKING TO WAGE A WAR GAME ON NICARAGUA? DOES WILLIAM CASEY, WHO AS CIA BOSS IS DIRECTING THE SECRET WAR AGAINST NICARAGUA, REALLY KNOW NOTHING ABOUT SUCH AN EXPLOSIVE DOCUMENT? LET'S LET THE BOURGEOIS PAPER INTERNATIONAL HERALD TRIBUNE HAVE ITS SAY: THE PAPER STATES THAT IF CASEY BACKED THE HANDBOOK, HE VIOLATED THE INSTRUCTIONS OF THREE U.S. PRESIDENTS WHICH PROHIBIT CIA ACTIVITITES AS LONG AS CONGRESS REMAINS UNINFORMED. IF CASEY REALLY DID NOT KNOW WHAT IS HAPPENING IN CENTRAL AMERICA IN HIS NAME AND IN THE NAME OF THE UNITED STATES THEN ONE MUST CONCLUDE, ACCORDING TO THE HERALD TRIBUNE, THAT THE SECRET WAR AGAINST NICARAGUA HAS GOTTEN OUT OF CONTROL.

ACCORDING TO LAW AND THE CONSTITUTION THE PRESIDENT'S INSTRUCTIONS SHOULD LEAD TO THE FORMATION OF A CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE IN ORDER TO INVESTIGATE THE WORRYING EXTENT OF THE CONDUCT OF WAR AGAINST INDEPENDENT NICARAGUA UNDER CIA CONTROL. YET PRESIDENT REAGAN IS PREVENTING SUCH AN INVESTIGATION BEING HELD IN PUBLIC. THE TERRORIST IN THE GUISE OF THE CIA IS SUPPOSED TO SAY WHAT WENT WRONG THERE. DOES THIS NOT, HOWEVER, MEAN THE WHITE HOUSE IN WASHINGTON WANTS TO HOLD ITS PROTECTIVE HAND OVER THIS OBSCURE CHAPTER IN U.S. FOREIGN POLICY, WHICH IS SO VERY REMINISCENT OF THE CHAPTER ON VIETNAM

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25X1 MOSCOW IN BURMESE NOTES U.S. EMBARRASSMENT OVER CIA MANUAL

[redacted] MOSCOW IN BURMESE TO BURMA 1030 GMT 23 OCT 84

(TEXT) THE U.S. ADMINISTRATION IS IN A VERY EMBARRASSING POSITION AS A RESULT OF THE CIA-PREPARED MANUAL ON TERRORIST TACTICS FOR THE COUNTERREVOLUTIONARIES IN NICARAGUA. CIA SPOKESMEN TESTIFYING BEFORE A SENATE COMMISSION HAVE TRIED TO DENY THE CHARGES THAT THE MANUAL CONTAINS DIRECTIVES TO CARRY OUT ASSASSINATIONS. THEY HAVE TRIED TO EXPLAIN THAT THE MANUAL ONLY DEALS WITH WAYS TO NEUTRALIZE POLICE, SECURITY PERSONNEL, AND GOVERNMENT AUTHORITIES.

HOWEVER, EVEN THE AMERICAN PRESS ADMITS THAT IN CIA TERMINOLOGY, TO NEUTRALIZE IS TO CARRY OUT ASSASSINATION. THE WASHINGTON POST COMMENTED THAT IF THERE HAS BEEN A REASON TO USE MURDERERS AND CRIMINALS TO ASSASSINATE GOVERNMENT AUTHORITIES, THE UNITED STATES IS THEN WAGING AN UNJUST WAR FOR UNJUSTIFIED REASONS IN NICARAGUA, JUST AS IT DID IN VIETNAM.
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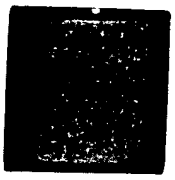

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MOSCOW IN HINDI DISCUSSES CIA MANUAL FOR NICARAGUAN REBELS

[redacted] MOSCOW IN HINDI TO INDIA 1400 GMT 22 OCT 84

(UNATTRIBUTED COMMENTARY)

(TEXT) PUBLICATION OF EXTRACTS OF A SPECIAL MANUAL HAS CREATED A BIG POLITICAL SENSATION IN THE UNITED STATES. THE CIA PREPARED THIS MANUAL LAST YEAR FOR THE COUNTERREVOLUTIONARY GROUP OPERATING AGAINST NICARAGUA. THIS SECRET DOCUMENT IS YET ANOTHER EXAMPLE OF THE POLICY OF STATE TERRORISM BEING PURSUED BY THE U.S. GOVERNMENT. THE U.S. CONGRESS PERMANENT SELECT COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE PROVED THAT THE CIA HAD A HAND IN THE PREPARATION OF THE MANUAL IN WHICH CONCRETE COUNSELING HAS BEEN GIVEN TO THE COUNTERREVOLUTIONARIES IN NICARAGUA. THEY HAVE BEEN DIRECTED TO TAKE STEPS TO DESTROY MILITARY AND INDUSTRIAL INSTALLATIONS, STAGE RIOTS AND DEMONSTRATIONS ON STREETS, INTIMIDATE AND THREATEN STATE AND PARTY WORKERS, AND GO AS FAR AS TO NEUTRALIZE POLITICAL ENEMIES -- IN OTHER WORDS TO ASSASSINATE THEM.

THE WASHINGTON POST WROTE ON 20 OCTOBER THAT THE CIA MANUAL IS NOT A BUNGLING ERROR OR MISTAKE. THE MANUAL READS AS IF ONLY THROUGH LIES AND TERROR COULD IT HOPE TO ALIENATE THE NICARAGUAN PEOPLE FROM THEIR GOVERNMENT. IF THE NEED HAS ARISEN FOR DECEIVING PEOPLE, ASSASSINATING STATE OFFICIALS WITH THE HELP OF CRIMINALS AND MURDERERS, BRAINWASHING THE PUBLIC, USING FALSE STATEMENTS BY CITIZENS, AND ADVOCATING KILLING OF INNOCENT PEOPLE WHO COULD LATER BE DECLARED MARTYRS IN A JUST STRUGGLE, THEN IT MEANS THAT WE ARE ONCE AGAIN WAGING AN UNJUST WAR FOR WRONG OBJECTIVES LIKE IN VIETNAM, THE PAPER SAYS.

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THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY CANDIDATE FOR THE U.S. PRESIDENTIAL ELECTIONS, MR MONDALE, DEMANDED THAT REAGAN DISMISS CIA DIRECTOR CASEY FROM HIS POST. MONDALE SAID THE MANUAL HAS BROUGHT TO LIGHT THE FACTS ABOUT THE REAL OBJECTIVES OF THE U.S. GOVERNMENT IN NICARAGUA, THAT IS TO OVERTHROW THE SANDINIST GOVERNMENT. THE U.S. CONGRESS REACTED TO REPORTS ABOUT THE EXISTENCE OF THE BOOKLET -- A GUIDE TO TERRORISM -- LIKE A BOMB BLAST. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CHAIRMAN O'NEILL AND OTHER MEMBERS LIKE MILLER AND DOWNEY STRONGLY CRITICIZED THE PRESIDENT. THEY ALSO DEMANDED THE DISMISSAL OF THE CIA CHIEF. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES MEMBER MILLER SAID THAT THE PRESENT GOVERNMENT, WHICH CONDEMNS TERRORISM IN OTHER COUNTRIES, IS IN FACT ALLOWING THE USE OF U.S. AGENTS TO PRACTICE IT. MILLER SAID THAT CURRENTLY THE UNITED STATES IS WAGING A WAR AGAINST NICARAGUA UNDER WHICH IT MINES HARBORS, PREPARES DIRECTIVES FOR SUBVERSION, PUBLISHES BOOKLETS FOR TERRORISM, AND ATTEMPTS ASSASSINATION.

REAGAN ANNOUNCED AN INVESTIGATION INTO THIS MATTER IN A BID TO ESCAPE RESPONSIBILITY AND COVER UP THE SCANDAL. BUT AS THE WHITE HOUSE SPOKESMEN SAID, THE U.S. GOVERNMENT DOES NOT INTEND TO DISMISS CASEY. NOT ONLY THAT, BUT HE HAS BEEN GIVEN THE TASK OF INVESTIGATING THIS MATTER. THE WHITE HOUSE ALSO SAID IT IS DOUBTFUL THAT RESULTS OF THE INVESTIGATION WILL BE BE KNOWN BEFORE THE ELECTIONS AND IT IS POSSIBLE THAT THEY WILL BE KEPT SECRET FOR THE SAKE OF NATIONAL SECURITY.

IN THE BACKGROUND OF THESE NEWLY EXPOSED SHAMEFUL ACTIVITIES OF THE CIA, THE CEREMONY IN THE WHITE HOUSE OF REAGAN SIGNING THE AGREEMENT ON THE SO-CALLED STRUGGLE AGAINST INTERNATIONAL TERRORISM LOOKS DISTINCTLY HYPOCRITICAL. THE SO-CALLED SCANDAL OF THE MANUAL HAS ONCE AGAIN PROVED THAT THE U.S. GOVERNMENT IS THE MAIN SOURCE OF TERRORISM.
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25X1 TASS: CIA MANUAL SHOWS HYPOCRISY OF U.S. FOREIGN POLICY

[redacted] MOSCOW TASS IN ENGLISH 2315 GMT 22 OCT 84

(TEXT) MOSCOW OCTOBER 22 TASS -- TASS POLITICAL NEWS ANALYST ANATOLIY MEDVEDENKO WRITES:

A SCANDAL DOES NOT SUBSIDE IN WASHINGTON WHICH FLARED UP IN CONNECTION WITH THE PUBLICATION OF A SPECIAL MANUAL FOR LEADERS OF NICARAGUAN COUNTERREVOLUTIONARY FORCES THAT GIVES DETAILED RECOMMENDATIONS TO MERCENARIES ON HOW TO COMMIT POLITICAL ASSASSINATIONS AND ACTS OF TERRORISM. ACCORDING TO AP, PRESIDENT REAGAN CONFIRMED THAT THE MANUAL FOR TERRORISTS HAD BEEN DRAWN UP BY CIA SPECIALISTS AND HAD BEEN DISTRIBUTED ON THE TERRITORY OF NICARAGUA AMONG CIA MERCENARIES. IN THEIR TURN, RINGLEADERS OF COUNTERREVOLUTIONARY GANGS ADMITTED THAT THEY HAD WIDELY USED TACTICS RECOMMENDED BY THE CIA MANUAL. ACCORDING TO SOME INFORMATION, THEY ASSASSINATED ABOUT 800 NICARAGUAN CITIZENS IN THE RECENT PERIOD OF TIME ALONE.

THE NEW ACTION BY THE CIA IS JUSTLY REGARDED AS DIRECT INTERFERENCE OF THE WHITE HOUSE INTO THE INTERNAL AFFAIRS OF A SOVEREIGN STATE WITH WHICH THE U.S. MAINTAINS DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS.

THE FACT OF THE PUBLICATION OF THE "MANUAL ON TERRORISM" AND THE ADMISSION OF THE PRESIDENT HAVE AGAIN SHOWN TO THE WHOLE WORLD THE HYPOCRITIC NATURE OF THE U.S. FOREIGN POLICY. THE MANUAL MAKES IT ABSOLUTELY CLEAR THAT WASHINGTON DOES NOT WISH TO RECONCILE HIMSELF TO THE EXISTENCE OF A FREE COUNTRY IN CENTRAL AMERICA, THAT THE OVERTHROW OF THE NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT IS THE TRUE OBJECTIVE OF ITS POLICY. AT THE SAME TIME, THE WORLD HAS SEEN ONCE AGAIN WHAT DIRTY METHODS WASHINGTON USES DESPITE ALL ITS PROFUSE TALK ABOUT HUMAN RIGHTS.

POLITICAL ASSASSINATIONS WERE USED DURING THE PREVIOUS ADMINISTRATIONS AS WELL. SUFFICE IT TO RECALL THE MURDER OF THE PRIME MINISTER OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO (ZAIRE) PATRICE LUMUMBA, OF THE FIRST PRESIDENT OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF BANGLADESH MOUJIBUR RAHMAN, THE ASSASSINATION OF THE FRELIMO PRESIDENT EDUARDO MONDLANE AND OF THE HEAD OF THE PANAMANIAN GOVERNMENT OMAR TORRIJOS. A LIST OF VICTIMS OF THE CIA COULD BE MADE MUCH LONGER.

THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION WHICH HAS CHOSEN STATE TERRORISM AS A BASIS OF ITS FOREIGN POLICY IS NOT ONLY ENERGETICALLY REVIVING THESE PRACTICES BUT IS ALSO LEGALIZING THEM. THE MANUAL PREPARED BY THE CIA WHICH IS A U.S. STATE INSTITUTION IS THE BEST PROOF OF IT.

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MOSCOW GREEK COMMENTS ON CIA MANUAL FOR NICARAGUAN CONTRAS

25X1 [redacted] MOSCOW IN GREEK TO CYPRUS 1800 GMT 22 OCT 84

(UNATTRIBUTED COMMENTARY)

(TEXT) THE CLAMOR IS CONTINUING IN REGARD TO THE POLITICAL SCANDAL IN THE UNITED STATES AS A RESULT OF THE PUBLICATION THERE OF PASSAGES FROM THE GENERAL GUIDANCE PREPARED BY THE CIA LAST YEAR FOR THE NICARAGUAN COUNTERREVOLUTIONARY GANGS. THIS SECRET DOCUMENT IS FURTHER PROOF OF THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION'S IMPLEMENTATION OF A POLICY OF STATE TERRORISM.

THE U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES' PERMANENT SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON ESPIONAGE CONFIRMED THAT THE CIA PREPARED THIS GENERAL EVIDENCE, WHICH INCLUDES CONCRETE SUGGESTIONS TO THE NICARAGUAN CONTRAS THAT THEY, FOR EXAMPLE, DESTROY MILITARY AND INDUSTRIAL TARGETS IN NICARAGUA, ORGANIZE RIOTS AND DEMONSTRATIONS IN THE STREETS, BLACKMAIL STATE AND PARTY FIGURES, AND EVEN EMPLOY MEASURES TO NEUTRALIZE POLITICAL OPPONENTS -- MEANING TO MURDER THEM.

THE CIA'S EVIDANCE, SAYS TODAY'S WASHINGTON POST, IS NEITHER A SCANDAL NOR A MISTAKE. IT IS SIMPLY THE RECOGNITION THAT ONLY THROUGH THE USE OF LIES AND TERRORISM IS IT POSSIBLE TO HOPE FOR DISCORD BETWEEN THE NICARAGUANS AND THEIR GOVERNMENT. IF IT IS NECESSARY TO LIE TO THE LOCAL POPULATION, TO KILL GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND TO ATTRACT CRIMINALS AND MURDERERS FOR THIS PURPOSE, TO BRAINWASH THE POPULATION TO ENCOURAGE THEM TO TAKE THE LAW INTO THEIR OWN HANDS BY EMPLOYING FALSE STATEMENTS BY CITIZENS, AND TO SUPPORT THE MURDER OF INNOCENT PEOPLE WHO ARE THEN GLORIFIED AS MARTYRS BECAUSE THEY FELL VICTIM TO A JUST CAUSE, THEN, AS WAS THE CASE WITH VIETNAM, WE ARE AGAIN WAGING AN UNFAIR WAR IN THE NAME OF DISHONORABLE GOALS.

DEMOCRATIC PARTY CANDIDATE MONDALE DEMANDED THAT REAGAN DISMISS CIA CHIEF CASEY (WORDS INDISTINCT) REGARDING PROOF ON THE REAL GOAL OF U.S. POLICY IN NICARAGUA, WHICH IS TO OVERTHROW THE SANDINIST GOVERNMENT.

THE REPORTS OF THE EXISTENCE OF A MANUAL ON TERRORISM FOR THE COUNTERREVOLUTIONARIES ARE A BOMB THAT HAS BLOWN UP IN THE U.S. CONGRESS. HOUSE SPEAKER THOMAS O' NEILL, CONGRESSMEN MILLER AND DOWNEY AND A NUMBER OF OTHER LEGISLATORS STRONGLY CRITICIZED THE PRESIDENT AND DEMANDED THE DISMISSAL OF THE CIA CHIEF. THE CURRENT GOVERNMENT, WHICH CONDEMNS TERRORISM IN OTHER COUNTRIES, ESSENTIALLY APPROVES THE USE OF TERRORISM BY U.S. AGENTS, STATED REPRESENTATIVE MILLER. HE STRESSED: THE UNITED STATES IS NOW WAGING A WAR AGAINST NICARAGUA, BY LAYING MINES IN HARBORS (WORDS INDISTINCT) FOR SABOTAGE, AND PUBLISHING MANUALS ON TERRORISM AND ON STAGING COUPS.

IN AN EFFORT TO ESCAPE RESPONSIBILITY AND TO COVER UP THE SCANDAL, REAGAN ANNOUNCED THE INITIATION OF AN INQUIRY INTO THIS CASE. HOWEVER, AS WHITE HOUSE SPOKESMEN SAID, THE ADMINISTRATION DOES NOT INTEND TO DISMISS CASEY. AND BEYOND THIS, THE AUTHORIZATION FOR THE INQUIRY WAS GIVEN TO HIM. AT THE SAME TIME, THE WHITE HOUSE STRESSED THAT ITS RESULTS WILL NOT BE KNOWN PRIOR TO THE ELECTIONS, AND WILL PROBABLY BE CLASSIFIED SECRET FOR NATIONAL DEFENSE PURPOSES.

IN LIGHT OF THE NEW DISCLOSURES ABOUT THE CIA'S CRIMINAL ACTIONS, THE CEREMONY AT THE WHITE HOUSE IN WHICH PRESIDENT REAGAN SIGNED THE BILL ON THE SO-CALLED STRUGGLE AGAINST INTERNATIONAL TERRORISM IS PARTICULARLY HYPOCRITICAL. (PASSAGE INDISTINCT)

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25X1 PRAVDA COMMENTATOR ON MANUAL FOR NICARAGUAN CONTRAS

[redacted] MOSCOW PRAVDA IN RUSSIAN 21 OCT 84 FIRST EDITION P 5

(TOMAS KOLESNICHENKO "COMMENTATOR'S COLUMN": "IN THE LIGHT OF DAY")

(TEXT) A SCANDAL IS SNOWBALLING IN THE UNITED STATES LINKED WITH THE PUBLICATION OF EXTRACTS FROM A "SPECIAL MANUAL" SECRETLY PREPARED BY THE CIA A YEAR AGO FOR NICARAGUAN COUNTERREVOLUTIONARIES. IF ANY FURTHER PROOF WERE NEEDED OF THE FACT THAT WASHINGTON IS DIRECTLY INTERFERING IN THE INTERNAL AFFAIRS OF THIS SMALL LATIN AMERICAN STATE AND TRYING TO OVERTHROW ITS GOVERNMENT AND DISORGANIZE ITS PEOPLE'S LIFE, THAT PROOF IS NOW TO HAND.

THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION CAN BE SAID TO HAVE BEEN CAUGHT RED-HANDED. THE WHITE HOUSE'S HYPOCRISY AND DUPLICITY HAVE BEEN PRESENTED TO THE WORLD AND AMERICAN PUBLIC IN ALL THEIR UGLINESS. WHILE EXPATIATING ABOUT "VIOLATIONS OF DEMOCRACY" AND "HUMAN RIGHTS" IN NICARAGUA AND ABOUT ITS DESIRE TO "HELP" THE NICARAGUAN PEOPLE, THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION HAS AT THE SAME TIME UNDERTAKEN THE ROLE OF INSTIGATOR OF SUBVERSIVE TERRORIST ACTIVITY IN THE COUNTRY.

THE INSTRUCTIONS TO THE NICARAGUAN "CONTRAS" HIRED BY THE CIA AND SUPPLIED WITH U.S. WEAPONS CONTAIN, IN PARTICULAR, DIRECTIONS TO "DESTROY MILITARY AND INDUSTRIAL TARGETS IN NICARAGUA, ORGANIZE RIOTS AND DEMONSTRATIONS, AND NEUTRALIZE (THAT IS, KILL -- T.K.) POLITICAL ENEMIES." THIS IS PURE STATE TERRORISM!

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THAT IS PRECISELY HOW WASHINGTON'S ACTIONS ARE CURRENTLY BEING ASSESSED WORLDWIDE AND IN THE UNITED STATES ITSELF. NBC TV CONSIDERS THE DISCLOSURE OF CIA OPERATIONS TO BE A "BLOW TO THE ADMINISTRATION ON CENTRAL AMERICAN ISSUES." THE CIA BROCHURE WAS TERMED A "HANDBOOK ON TERRORISM" BY CONGRESSMAN J. SHANNON AND A "DISGRACE TO U.S. FOREIGN POLICY" BY E. BOLAND, CHAIRMAN OF THE HOUSE PERMANENT SELECT COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE.

IN THESE CIRCUMSTANCES PRESIDENT REAGAN DECIDED TO PLAY OUT A NEW FARCE. HE ANNOUNCED THE START OF AN URGENT INVESTIGATION INTO THE INCIDENT IN AN ATTEMPT THEREBY TO DISSOCIATE HIMSELF FROM THE SCANDAL THAT HAD BROKEN. HE IS HARDLY LIKELY TO SUCCEED. THE FLAGRANT HYPOCRISY LIES IN THE FACT THAT THE "INVESTIGATION" INTO CIA ACTIVITIES HAS NOT BEEN ENTRUSTED TO JUST ANYONE BUT TO WILLIAM CASEY HIMSELF, THE CHIEF OF THE DEPARTMENT.

AND THIS IS ADDING FURTHER FUEL TO THE POLITICAL SCANDAL. WHAT HAS BEEN DISCOVERED ABOUT THE CIA INSTRUCTIONS IS ONLY THE TIP OF THE ICEBERG. THE HIDDEN PART IS SECRET SUBVERSIVE OPERATIONS, SABOTAGE, AND OTHER "DIRTY" TRICKS IN OTHER CENTRAL AMERICAN COUNTRIES. AND NOT ONLY THERE. IN IMPLEMENTING A POLICY OF STATE TERRORISM, WASHINGTON IS EXTENDING THE CIA'S TENTACLES INTO MANY WORLD COUNTRIES. AND YET IT CONTINUES TO EXPATIATE ABOUT "DEMOCRACY."

PRESIDENT REAGAN RECENTLY CALLED CIA AGENTS THE "HEROES OF THE DARK BATTLE IN THE SHADOWS." NOW THESE "HEROES" -- FOR THE UMPTEENTH TIME! -- HAVE BEEN BROUGHT OUT INTO THE OPEN. AND THEY APPEARED AS A DESPERATE GANG OF TERRORISTS.

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25X1 TASS REPORTS ON ALLEGED CIA ACTIVITIES

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(TEXT) MOSCOW OCTOBER 22 TASS -- TASS POLITICAL OBSERVER YURIY KORNILOV WRITES: A REVERBERATING POLITICAL SCANDAL TRIGGERED OFF BY THE PUBLICATION OF A C.I.A.-PREPARED PRIMER FOR NICARAGUAN COUNTER-REVOLUTIONARIES IS CONTINUING STRONG AS EVER IN THE UNITED STATES. CONGRESSMAN JAMES SHANNON CALLED THE C.I.A.'S MANUAL A TEXTBOOK ON TERRORISM, AND EDWARD BOLAND, CHAIRMAN OF THE HOUSE PERMANENT SELECT COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE, BRANDED IT AS A DISGRACE TO U.S. FOREIGN POLICY. THE PRESS STRESSES THAT THE LATEST EXPOSURE OF THE SORDID ACTIVITIES PURSUED BY THE AMERICAN AGENCY FOR BLOODY OPERATIONS IS JUST THE VISIBLE TIP OF THE ICEBERG.

AND THIS IS INDEED SO. THE INCUMBENT WASHINGTON ADMINISTRATION HAS LIFTED ALL RESTRICTIONS, WHICH HAVE BEEN IMPOSED ON THE OPERATIONS OF THE AMERICAN SPECIAL SERVICES BY THE FORMER GOVERNMENTS IN THE WAKE OF THE SCANDALOUS DISCLOSURES OF THE 1970S, AND IS LITERALLY RAINING APPROPRIATIONS ON THE C.I.A.. THE ANNUAL BUDGET OF THIS CENTER FOR PROVOCATIONS AND SABOTAGE, ACCORDING TO FOREIGN PRESS REPORTS, EXCEEDS 1.5 BILLION DOLLARS AND ITS STAFF HAS REACHED A TOTAL OF MORE THAN 16,000.

U.S. RULING QUARTERS ARE ESCALATING ESPIONAGE AND SUBVERSION AGAINST SOCIALIST STATES AND MOUNTING A VICIOUS PSYCHOLOGICAL WAR AGAINST SOCIALISM. IT IS THE C.I.A. THAT HAS DIRECTED COUNTER-REVOLUTIONARY ACTIONS IN HUNGARY AND CZECHOSLOVAKIA. IT IS THIS CENTER FOR PROVOCATIONS AND SABOTAGE THAT HAS NURTURED AND FUNDED POLISH COUNTER-REVOLUTION.

ACCORDING TO DATA OF THE POLISH INTERIOR MINISTRY, FROM 1944 TILL 1982 POLISH COUNTER-ESPIONAGE AGENCIES UNCOVERED 2,140 SPIES, 713 OF THEM WORKING FOR AMERICAN INTELLIGENCE, 431 FOR BRITISH INTELLIGENCE, 219 FOR FRENCH INTELLIGENCE AND 206 FOR WEST GERMAN INTELLIGENCE. IN THE FIRST HALF OF 1984 ALONE THERE WERE REGISTERED A TOTAL OF 340 CASES OF NATO SPECIAL SERVICES STRATEGIC DEFENSE FACILITIES IN (WORD INDISTINCT).

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NOW THAT WASHINGTON HAS INSTITUTIONALIZED BANDITRY AND TERROR AS ITS STATE POLICY, IT IS EASY TO DETECT THE C.I.A.'S BLOODY TRACES IN ANY PART OF THE WORLD. ACCORDING TO THE AMERICAN WEEKLY MAGAZINE U.S. NEWS AND WORLD REPORT, THE U.S. "INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY" IS CURRENTLY CARRYING OUT OVER 50 LARGE-SCALE SUBVERSIVE OPERATIONS, INCLUDING "UNDECLARED WARS", TERROR CAMPAIGNS, ACTS OF SABOTAGE AND POLITICAL ASSASSINATIONS, IN VARIOUS COUNTRIES.

FORMER C.I.A. STAFF MEMBER JOHN STOCKWELL, AUTHOR OF THE BOOK "IN SEARCH OF ENEMIES", SAID THAT FROM 1961 SOME THREE MILLION PEOPLE HAD FALLEN VICTIM TO THE C.I.A.'S "COVERT WARS" IN DEVELOPING COUNTRIES ALONE.

AND THE AMERICAN NEWSPAPER BOSTON GLOBE REPORTED THAT FROM 1981 SPENDING ON SUBVERSIVE OPERATIONS BY AMERICAN "CLOAK-AND-DAGGER" OPERATIVES ABROAD HAS RISEN FIVEFOLD. THIS BEARS OUT ONCE AGAIN THE CORRECTNESS OF AN ASSESSMENT BY G. ROSITKSY, OLDEST-SERVING C.I.A. STAFFER, WHO ADMITTED THAT THE AGENCY HAD BECOME A SYMBOL OF AMERICAN IMPERIALISM, A GUARDIAN OF DICTATORS, AN ENEMY OF LEFT-WING FORCES AND THE MAIN ENGINEER OF COUPS AND COUNTER-COUPS IN THE DEVELOPING WORLD.

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TASS: CIA MANUAL ON NICARAGUA SHOWS U.S. SOURCE OF TERRORISM

[redacted] MOSCOW TASS INTERNATIONAL SERVICE IN RUSSIAN 1532 GMT 20 OCT 84

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MOSCOW VIETNAMESE: CIA PUBLISHES GUIDE FOR NICARAGUAN REBELS

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MOSCOW INTERNATIONAL SERVICE IN VIETNAMESE 1000 GMT 24 OCT

(TEXT) MERCENARIES HAVE BEEN SENT TO NICARAGUA TO CARRY OUT SABOTAGE AND TERRORIST ACTIVITIES. THE METHOD OF CONDUCTING THESE ACTIVITIES IS MENTIONED IN A RECENTLY PUBLISHED GUIDE INTENDED FOR THE REBELS GROUPS CIA. THIS BOOK SHOWS THEM HOW TO SABOTAGE STATE INSTITUTION AND MILITARY PROJECTS, CAUSE CHAOS, AND MURDER POLITICAL OPPONENTS.

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25X1 MOSCOW INDONESIAN ON ALLEGED CIA ACTIVITIES

[redacted]2 MOSCOW IN INDONESIAN TO INDONESIA 1330 GMT 20 OCT 84

(TEXT) PRAVDA CONDEMNS THE UNITED STATES FOR ACTS OF TERRORISM, SAYING THAT MANY FACTS HAVE PROVEN SUCH ACTIVITY. FOR EXAMPLE, IN NICARAGUA, THE BANDITS WHO ARE RECRUITED BY THE CIA ARE FIGHTING AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT AFTER BEING SPECIALLY INSTRUCTED ON METHODS TO OPPRESS THE SANDINIST GROUP. IN AFGHANISTAN, BANDITS TRAINED BY THE CIA RECENTLY CAUSED EXPLOSIONS AT KABUL AIRPORT KILLING SEVERAL WOMEN AND CHILDREN. THE U.S. SECRET AGENCIES MURDERED THE PRIME MINISTER OF GRENADA AFTER WHICH U.S. TROOPS OCCUPIED THE COUNTRY.

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25X1 BUDAPEST: CRITICISM IN U.S. ON CIA MANUAL

[redacted] BUDAPEST IN ENGLISH TO EUROPE 2100 GMT 19 OCT 84

(TEXT) PRESIDENT REAGAN HAS ORDERED AN INVESTIGATION TO FIND OUT WHETHER IT WAS THE CIA, THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY, INDEED, THAT PREPARED A MANUAL ON GUERRILLA WARFARE BY THE NICARAGUAN CONTRAS. FOR INTERNATIONAL NEWSROOM, ISTVAN KOLLAR COMMENTS:

(KOLLAR) FOR THE SECOND TIME THIS YEAR, CAPITOL HILL HAS CROSSED THE WASHINGTON ADMINISTRATION'S LATIN AMERICA PLANS. IT CONDEMNED THE ADMINISTRATION FOR THE MINING OF NICARAGUA'S PORTS IN APRIL, AND FOR THE MANUAL ON GUERRILLA WARFARE BY THE NICARAGUAN CONTRAS NOW. PRESIDENT REAGAN AND HIS ASSOCIATES FOLLOWED THE SAME TACTICS ON BOTH OCCASIONS. FIRST, THEY EXPRESSED SURPRISE OVER THE ASSUMPTION THAT THE CIA HAD ANYTHING TO DO WITH SUCH EVIL ACTS, THEN DISASSOCIATED THEMSELVES FROM SUCH ACTS, AND UNWILLINGLY ORDERED AN INVESTIGATION INTO THE AFFAIR.

ONE SHOULD NOT HAVE ANY ILLUSIONS ABOUT THE OUTCOME OF THE INVESTIGATIONS. FOR BOTH THE MINING OPERATIONS AND THE MANUAL WERE STAGES IN A CAREFULLY PREPARED AND SYSTEMATICALLY IMPLEMENTED SCHEME. PRESIDENT REAGAN, ALREADY IN 1981, APPROVED COVERT OPERAIONS AGAINST THE PROGRESSIVE SANDINISTA REGIME, THAT WERE DESIGNED TO TORPEDO CHANGES IN NICARAGUA. TRUE, EMPLOYEES OF THE WASHINGTON ADMINISTRATION WERE INSTRUCTED TO REFRAIN FROM DIRECT OR INDIRECT INVOLVEMENT IN SABOTAGE AND MURDER. HOWEVER, THAT WAS TRANSLATED BY THE CIA OFFICIALS AS HAVING A FREE HAND IN HIRING PROFESSIONAL KILLERS IN NICARAGUA OPPOSED TO THE SANDINISTA REGIME, TO CARRY OUT ASSASSINATION AND ACTS OF SABOTAGE. AND IT PROMPTED THEM TO COMPILE AN ILLUSTRATED MANUAL ON PSYCHOLOGICAL GUERRILLA WARFARE. IT ALMOST COINCIDED WITH THE MINING OF NICARAGUA'S PORTS AND THE OCCUPATION OF GRENADA. SINCE THEN, THE THREAT TO NICARAGUA HAS BEEN STEPPED UP, AND THE SANDINISTA OFFICIALS NOW FEAR A DIRECT INVASION.

THEIR CONCERN HAS BEEN ACCENTUATED, FOR EXAMPLE, BY THE STATEMENT OF FORMER CIA AGENT JOHN STOCKHWELL, WHO SAID AT HIS PRESS CONFERENCE AT STANFORD UNIVERSITY THIS WEEK THAT THE PLANS FOR A MILITARY ATTACK HAD ALREADY BEEN COMPLETED; AS WELL AS THE NEWSWEEK MAGAZINE REPORT ON THE WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT VIEW: THAT EXTERNAL AND INTERNAL PRESSURE IN NICARAGUA HAS BEEN INCREASING, AND THEREFORE, U.S. POLICY WOULD SOON BEAR FRUIT.

HOWEVER, THE ATTITUDE OF CAPITOL HILL TO THE CIA MANUAL ON GUERRILLA WARFARE INDICATES THAT THIS VIEW IS NOT SHARED BY ALL WITHIN THE UNITED STATES EITHER. COMMENTING ON THIS LATEST CIA SCANDAL, DEMOCRATIC PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE WALTER MONDALE NOTED THAT IT WAS A GREAT MISTAKE TO BELIEVE THAT AN IMPROVEMENT IN ASSASSINATION TECHNIQUES WOULD PROMOTE THE NATIONAL INTERESTS OF THE UNITED STATES IN LATIN AMERICA.

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SOVIET PAPERS REPORT ON ALLEGED CIA ANTI-SANDINISTA MANUAL

25X1 TAKE 1 OF 2 -- SOVIET PAPERS ON CIA MANUAL

(EDITORIAL REPORT) A SCRUTINY OF MOSCOW CENTRAL DAILY PRESS FOR 16-19 OCTOBER, INCLUDING LITERATURNAYA GAZETA 17 OCTOBER, REVEALS THE FOLLOWING COVERAGE OF THE ALLEGED CIA DOCUMENT CLAIMED TO HAVE BEEN DISTRIBUTED TO NICARAGUAN REBELS:

MOSCOW IZVESTIYA IN RUSSIAN 16 OCTOBER 1984 MORNING EDITION FRONT-PAGES THE FOLLOWING TASS REPORT DATELINED WASHINGTON AND ENTITLED "U.S.A.-NICARAGUA: TERRORISM, MURDER, SABOTAGE. SUPERSECRET CIA DOCUMENT":

"TERRORISM, CONSPIRACIES, MURDER, AND ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL SABOTAGE -- THESE ARE THE METHODS TO WHICH THE CIA IS RESORTING IN ITS ATTEMPTS TO OVERTHROW NICARAGUA'S SANDINIST GOVERNMENT BY USING ITS MERCENARIES. FURTHER PROOF OF THIS HAS BEEN PROVIDED BY A COPY OF TOP SECRET CIA 'GUIDANCE,' DISTRIBUTED AT THE END OF LAST YEAR TO THE BANDITS WHO ARE WAGING AN UNDECLARED WAR AGAINST THAT COUNTRY, WHICH HAS FALLEN IN THE HANDS OF THE AP NEWS AGENCY.

"THIS 90-PAGE DOCUMENT, ENTITLED 'PSYCHOLOGICAL OPERATIONS IN GUERILLA WARFARE,' CALLS FOR THE 'NEUTRALIZATION' OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NICARAGUAN AUTHORITIES AND IN PARTICULAR OFFICIALS FROM THE JUDICIAL ORGANS, THE POLICE, AND THE SECURITY SERVICES. THE INSTRUCTIONS RECOMMEND THAT PROFESSIONAL KILLERS BE RECRUITED, AT A REASONABLE PRICE, TO PARTICIPATE IN SUCH OPERATIONS. 'WHENEVER POSSIBLE,' THE DIRECTIVE READS, 'PROFESSIONAL CRIMINALS MUST BE HIRED TO CARRY OUT INDIVIDUAL SPECIAL ASSIGNMENTS.' THE MANUAL, CONCOCTED BY THE CIA, REQUIRES THE AGENTS TO ORGANIZE ANTIGOVERNMENT DEMONSTRATIONS, INCITEMENT OF THE POPULATION, AND DISTURBANCES. FURTHERMORE THE TERRORISTS ARE OBLIGED TO 'ORGANIZE CLASHES WITH THE AUTHORITIES AND PROVOKE RIOTS AND EXCHANGES OF FIRE WHICH COULD RESULT IN THE KILLING OF ONE OR SEVERAL PERSONS.' IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT THE COUNTERREVOLUTIONARIES MAKE EXTENSIVE USE OF BLACKMAIL, THREATS OF PHYSICAL VIOLENCE, AND INTIMIDATION OF THE POPULATION.

"THE REVELATIONS MADE BY AP HAVE CAUGHT THE CIA UNAWARES. GEORGE LAUDER, SPOKESMAN FOR THE ESPIONAGE DEPARTMENT, REFUSED TO COMMENT ON THE INSTRUCTION MANUAL."

MOSCOW KOMSOMOLSKAYA PRAVDA IN RUSSIAN 16 OCTOBER 1984 CARRIES ON PAGE 3 THE FOLLOWING TASS REPORT ENTITLED "TEXTBOOK FOR MURDERERS":

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"AP REPORTS THAT THIS DOCUMENT WAS DISTRIBUTED TOGETHER WITH INSTRUCTIONS ON HOW TO 'ORGANIZE SABOTAGE ACTIONS AGAINST THE NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT.' THESE INSTRUCTIONS CALL ON NICARAGUANS 'NOT TO WORK UNDER THE PRETEXT OF ILLNESS, TO POUR SAND INTO MOTOR VEHICLE ENGINES, AND TO THROW INCENDIARY BOMBS AT POLICE STATIONS AND FUEL DUMPS.'

"THE REVELATIONS PUBLISHED BY AP HAVE CAUGHT THE CIA UNAWARES. GEORGE LAUDER, SPOKESMAN FOR THE ESPIONAGE DEPARTMENT, REFUSED OUTRIGHT TO COMMENT ON THE INSTRUCTIONS. THEIR VERACITY, HOWEVER, AP WRITES, 'HAS BEEN CONFIRMED BY VARIOUS CIA SOURCES WHO ASKED NOT TO BE NAMED.'"

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(EDITORIAL REPORT) MOSCOW PRAVDA IN RUSSIAN 18 OCTOBER 1984 FIRST EDITION CARRIES ON PAGE 5 THE FOLLOWING DISPATCH BY ITS OWN CORRESPONDENT A. TOLKUNOV, DATELINED NEW YORK, 17 OCTOBER AND ENTITLED "TEACHERS FROM THE CIA":

"NEW AND UNSAVORY DETAILS OF OFFICIAL WASHINGTON'S CRIMINAL UNDECLARED WAR AGAINST THE NICARAGUAN PEOPLE HAVE BEEN MADE PUBLIC HERE.

"A SECRET TRAINING MANUAL, COMPILED BY THE CIA TO HELP THE NICARAGUAN COUNTERREVOLUTIONARIES, HAS FALLEN IN THE HANDS OF THE AP NEWS AGENCY. ALTHOUGH ENTITLED 'PSYCHOLOGICAL OPERATIONS IN GUERILLA WARFARE,' IT DEALS WITH FAR MORE CRUEL METHODS OF STRUGGLE AGAINST THE SANDINISTA REVOLUTION.

"IN ORDER TO INTIMIDATE THE POPULATION, THE SOMOZISTS ARE REQUIRED TO EXTERMINATE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE AUTHORITIES AND COMMIT OTHER TERRORIST ACTS. THEY HAVE BEEN RECOMMENDED TO EXPLAIN THESE MURDERS AS EITHER ACCIDENTAL OR HAVING OCCURRED IN AN ATTEMPTED ESCAPE.

"NOT SATISFIED WITH THIS, THE CIA'S SCHEMING 'TEACHERS' ALSO SUGGEST THAT INNOCENT PEOPLE BE KILLED AND THEIR DEATHS BLAMED ON THE SANDINISTAS. THIS, IN THE OPINION OF LANGLEY 'SPECIALISTS,' 'WILL HELP PROVOKE DISTURBANCES' AND TURN THE POPULATION AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT.

"THE 'CLOAK AND DAGGER KNIGHTS,' WHO IN THE PAST HIRED MAFIA KILLERS TO ASSASSINATE CUBAN LEADERS, KNOW WHO IS TO BE ENTRUSTED WITH THIS DIRTY WORK. 'IT IS NECESSARY TO ENGAGE CRIMINALS TO CARRY OUT THESE SPECIFIC SELECTIVE ASSIGNMENTS,' THE TERRORISM MANUAL INSTRUCTS.

"IT HAS BEOCME KNOWN THAT THAT THE 'TEXTBOOK,' TOGETHER WITH OTHER SIMILAR INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE ORGANIZATION OF MASS TERROR, HAS BEEN DISTRIBUTED TO SOMOZIST REMNANTS FOR MORE THAN A YEAR NOW.

"THE NEW YORK TIMES RECALLS THAT THE CIA HAS ALREADY SPENT MORE THAN $80 MILLION ON THE SECRET WAR AGAINST THE NICARAGUAN PEOPLE. IT IS, AFTER ALL, WELL KNOWN THAT THE CIA IS A GOVERNMENT INSTITUTION WHOSE ACTIVITIES -- INCLUDING THE PURCHASE OF WEAPONS AND EXPLOSIVES FOR TERRORISTS AND PAPER FOR THE PUBLICATION OF SUCH TEXTBOOKS -- ARE FINANCED BY APPROPRIATIONS FROM THE STATE BUDGET.

"TO PUT IT BRIEFLY, WE HAVE BEFORE US YET ANOTHER TANGIBLE ILLUSTRATION OF TERRORISM ELEVATED TO THE STATUS OF STATE POLICY."

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25X1 MOSCOW: CIA ANTI-NICARAGUA DOCUMENT UNDER INVESTIGATION

[redacted] MOSCOW IN DARI TO AFGHANISTAN 1500 GMT 19 OCT 84

(TEXT) THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION IS TRYING TO PREVENT THE DISCLOSURE OF A NEW SCANDAL. REAGAN HAS ORDERED A LARGE-SCALE INVESTIGATION IN CONNECTION WITH THE PUBLICATION OF A CIA DIRECTIVE FOR THE NICARAGUAN COUNTERREVOLUTIONARIES. THIS DIRECTIVE MAPS OUT THE ORGANIZATION OF SABOTAGE AGAINST NONMILITARY AREAS AND THE IMPLEMENTATION OF TERRORIST ACTS. THIS DOCUMENT COMPLETELY EXPOSES THE EVIL METHODS BY WHICH THE CIA IS TRYING TO OVERTHROW NICARAGUA'S LEGAL GOVERNMENT AND LAUNCH AN UNDECLARED WAR AGAINST IT.

THE SPEAKER OF THE U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, THOMAS O'NEILL, SAID THAT THE FOLLOW UP TO REAGAN'S ORDER WILL ONLY BE A FORMALITY AND SUPERFICIAL. IN THIS CONNECTION, DEMANDS HAVE BEEN MADE IN THE U.S. CONGRESS FOR THE REMOVAL OF CIA DIRECTOR CASEY. HOWEVER, REAGAN HIMSELF HAS APPOINTED CASEY TO INVESTIGATE THIS MATTER.

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25X1 XINHUA: U.S. HOUSE SPEAKER CALLS FOR CIA DIRECTOR'S RESIGNATION

[redacted] BEIJING XINHUA IN ENGLISH 1939 GMT 19 OCT 84

(TEXT) WASHINGTON, OCTOBER 19 (XINHUA) -- FOLLOWING THE DISCLOSURE OF THE CIA MANUAL ADVOCATING POLITICAL ASSASSINATION IN NICARAGUA, U.S. PRESIDENT RONALD REAGAN ORDERED INVESTIGATIONS ON IT WHILE HOUSE SPEAKER CALLED FOR RESIGNATION OF CIA DIRECTOR.

WHITE HOUSE SPOKESMAN LARRY SPEAKES SAID IN A STATEMENT YESTERDAY THAT PRESIDENT REAGAN HAD ASKED CIA DIRECTOR WILLIAM CASEY TO HAVE THE CIA INSPECTOR GENERAL TO "INVESTIGATE THE POSSIBILITY OF IMPROPER CONDUCT ON THE PART OF EMPLOYEES OF THE CIA IN REGARD TO THE PUBLICATION OF A MANUAL FOR THE NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC RESISTANCE FORCES." REAGAN ALSO REQUESTED A PROBE BY THE INTELLIGENCE OVERSIGHT BOARD.

LARRY SPEAKES SAID THE ADMINISTRATION "HAS NOT ADVOCATED OR CONDONED POLITICAL ASSASSINATION OR ANY OTHER ATTACKS ON CIVILIANS, NOR WILL WE."

THE WHITE HOUSE SPOKESMAN'S REMARKS WERE MADE FOLLOWING CRITICISMS FROM MEMBERS OF THE CONGRESS ON CIA'S MANUAL. EDWARD BOLAND, CHAIRMAN OF THE HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE, SAID WEDNESDAY THAT THE INCIDENT IS "A DISASTER FOR UNITED STATES FOREIGN POLICY."

MEANWHILE, HOUSE SPEAKER THOMAS P. O'NEILL YESTERDAY CALLED ON CIA DIRECTOR WILLIAM CASEY TO RESIGN. HE ALSO SAID THAT HE WAS SURE THE AGENCY'S INTERNAL INVESTIGATION WOULD BE A "WHITEWASH."

"I SAY IT'S TIME MR. CASEY SHOULD LEAVE HIS JOB. I WANT HIM TO GET OUT OF THERE," SAID THE SPEAKER. IF MR. CASEY DOES NOT RESIGN, O'NEILL ADDED, "THEN IT SHOWS THE PRESIDENT CONDONES HIS ACTIONS."

A CIA SPOKESMAN SAID YESTERDAY THAT IT WILL COMPLY FULLY WITH THE REQUESTS FOR INVESTIGATIONS "BOTH FROM THE WHITE HOUSE AND FROM CAPITOL HILL."

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25X1 TASS ANALYST CHIGIR ON 'SCANDAL' OVER CIA 'SPECIAL MANUAL'

[redacted] MOSCOW TASS IN ENGLISH 2135 GMT 19 OCT 84

(TEXT) MOSCOW OCTOBER 19 TASS -- TASS POLITICAL NEWS ANALYST NIKOLAY CHIGIR WRITES:

THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION TAKES FEVERISH MEASURES TO GET OUT OF A NEW BIG POLITICAL SCANDAL THAT HAS BROKEN OUT IN THE UNITED STATES IN VIEW OF THE PUBLICATION OF THE CIA'S SECRET DOCUMENT WHICH WAS PREPARED AS A "SPECIAL MANUAL" FOR WASHINGTON'S HIRELINGS -- NICARAGUAN COUNTER-REVOLUTIONARY FORCES. THE ABC TELEVISION NETWORK IS STATING THAT THE WHITE HOUSE TRIES TO CHECK THE SCOPE OF THE GROWING POLEMIC AROUND THE CIA. THE U.S. PRESS WRITES THAT THE WASHINGTON LEADERSHIP SEEKS TO DISSOCIATE ITSELF FROM THE OMINIOUS "MANUAL." THE POINT IS THAT ALL ITS CONTENTS NOT ONLY CONFIRM THE PURSUANCE OF A POLICY AND PRACTICE OF STATE TERRORISM IN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS BY THE U.S. GOVERNMENT, BUT ALSO GLARINGLY CONTRADICT PRESIDENT REAGAN'S ASSURANCES THAT HIS ADMINISTRATION OSTENSIBLY FORBADE THE U.S. GOVERNMENT INSTITUTIONS TO ORGANISE OR MAKE FOR PREPARATION OF CONSPIRACIES FOR THE PURPOSE OF ASSASSINATIONS.

THE CIA'S DOCUMENT HAS ALREADY BEEN ADOPTED BY THE USA'S HIRELINGS' ARMY WHICH CONSISTS MAINLY OF FORMER SOMOZISTAS SHELTERED BY WASHINGTON. IT IS MADE THE DUTY OF THAT ARMY TO CARRY OUT A LARGE-SCALE PROGRAMME OF TERRORIST ACTIONS IN NICARAGUA AGAINST THE SANDINISTA GOVERNMENT FOR THE PURPOSE OF DESTABILISING IT AND SUBSEQUENTLY RESTORING IN THE COUNTRY THE WAYS WHICH EXISTED UNDER SOMOZA THE BUTCHER. AMONG THOSE ACTIONS SPECIAL ATTENTION IS GIVEN TO ACTS OF SABOTAGE ON MILITARY AND INDUSTRIAL FACILITIES, THE ORGANISATION OF STREET DISTURBANCES, THE CREATION OF AN ATMOSPHERE OF CHAOS IN THE COUNTRY, BLACKMAIL, KIDNAPPINGS AND "NEUTRALISATION," THAT IS, ASSASSINATION OF NICARAGUAN STATE AND PARTY OFFICIALS.

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QUITE UNDERSTANDABLE IS THE COMMOTION CAUSED BY THE PUBLICATION OF THE CIA'S DOCUMENT [illegible] THE POSSIBILITY OF WHICH IS NOT QUESTIONED, AMONG WASHINGTON'S RULING CIRCLES WHICH TRY TO POSE AS "FIGHTERS" AGAINST TERRORISM. INDIGNATION OVER THE CIA'S CRIMINAL ACTIVITIES IN NICARAGUA IS REFLECTED BOTH IN THE U.S. PRESS AND IN U.S. CONGRESS.

THE ELABORATION OF A MANUAL FOR U.S. HIRELINGS BY THE CIA WAS AIMED, AS CONGRESSMAN THOMAS DOWNEY STATED, AT ENCOURAGING TERRORISM. EDWARD BOLAND, CHAIRMAN OF THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE, HAS DESCRIBED THE MANUAL AS DISGUSTING. HE POINTED OUT THAT ITS EXISTENCE CONFIRMS THAT THE UNDERCOVER WAR AGAINST NICARAGUA IS BEING CONDUCTED FOR THE PURPOSE OF OVERTHROWING THE SANDINISTA GOVERNMENT.

THE NUMBER OF MEASURES TO CAMOUFLAGE AND MAKE SECRET THE CIA'S CRIMINAL ACTIVITIES HAS NOT BEEN, PERHAPS, SO LARGE UNDER ANY OF THE PREVIOUS U.S. ADMINISTRATIONS AS UNDER THE REAGAN GOVERNMENT. LET US RECALL, IN PARTICULAR, THE LAW WHICH WAS ADOPTED IN 1982 AND WHICH MADE SECRET THE SUBVERSIVE WORK OF THE U.S. SPECIAL SERVICES.

BY MEANS OF THAT LAW AND OF OTHER LEGISLATIVE MEASURES SUCH AS, FOR EXAMPLE, ORDER DATED DECEMBER 4, 1981, REAGAN UNLEASHED THE CIA, LIFTING ALL RESTRICTIONS ON ITS ACTIVITIES. THE RESTRICTIONS HAD BEEN IMPOSED IN THE SEVENTIES AFTER SCANDALOUS EXPOSURES. THE CIA'S PRESENT INSTRUCTION TO THE HIRED KILLERS IS THE DIRECT CONSEQUENCE OF THE POLITICAL AND PRACTICAL ACTIVITIES OF THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION. LET US NOTE, INCIDENTALLY, THAT, AS IS POINTED OUT IN THE U.S. PRESS, THE MOST DIRECT INVOLVEMENT OF THE TOP LEADERSHIP OF THE ADMINISTRATION IN THE CIA'S OMINOUS DOCUMENT IS NOT RULED OUT AT ALL.

THUS, IT HAS BEEN CONVINCINGLY CONFIRMED AGAIN THAT IN CENTRAL AMERICA, JUST AS IN OTHER PARTS OF THE WORLD, THE WASHINGTON ADMINISTRATION COUNTS ON TERROR AND ARMED VIOLENCE, WITHOUT DISDAINING SUCH DIRTY AND DISGRACEFUL MEANS AS POLITICAL ASSASSINATIONS.

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25X1 SRV: HANOI REPORTS FURTHER ON ALLEGED CIA DOCUMENT

[redacted] HANOI INTERNATIONAL SERVICE IN ENGLISH 1000 GMT 20 OCT 84

(TEXT) THE PRESS IN THE UNITED STATES DISCLOSED A DOCUMENT ON CIA INSTRUCTION TO THE NICARAGUAN REACTIONARIES TO CARRY OUT SABOTAGE ACTIVITIES AGAINST NICARAGUA. THE PRESS CONSIDERED THE DOCUMENT AN EVIDENCE ON THE U.S. HOSTILE ACTIVITIES AGAINST THE SANDINIST REVOLUTION.

MEANWHILE THOUSANDS OF INTELLECTUALS, WELL-KNOWN POLITICAL AND SOCIAL ACTIVITIES, SCIENTISTS, AND ARTISTS IN FRANCE AND SEVERAL EUROPEAN COUNTRIES ON THURSDAY ISSUED AN APPEAL CALLING ON OTHER COUNTRIES TO SUPPORT THE JUST STRUGGLE OF THE NICARAGUAN PEOPLE. THEY ALSO CALLED ON THE COUNTRIES IN CENTRAL AMERICA TO CONDEMN THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION'S AGGRESSIVE PLAN AGAINST NICARAGUA.

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25X1 SRV: HANOI REPORTS ALLEGED CIA DOCUMENT ON NICARAGUA

[redacted] HANOI DOMESTIC SERVICE IN VIETNAMESE 2300 GMT 16 OCT 84

(TEXT) THE U.S. NEWS AGENCY ASSOCIATED PRESS RECENTLY RECEIVED A COPY OF A CIA DOCUMENT INSTRUCTING VARIOUS COUNTERREVOLUTIONARY GROUPS TO STRIVE TO DESTABILIZE THE SITUATION IN NICARAGUA THROUGH TERRORISM, MURDER, AND OTHER CRIMINAL ACTS. IN THIS DOCUMENT, THE CIA INSTRUCTED THE COUNTERREVOLUTIONARY GROUPS TO STIR UP DEMONSTRATIONS AND REBELLIONS, TO CAUSE CONFLICT WITH SECURITY FORCES AND THE SANDINIST PEOPLE'S ARMY, AND TO ASSASSINATE CHIEF JUDGES, POLICEMEN, AND SECURITY PERSONNEL. IT SAID THAT THEY MAY USE PROFESSIONAL GUNMEN TO COMMIT THESE CRIMES IF NECESSARY. THE CIA EVEN ENCOURAGED THE COUNTERREVOLUTIONARY GROUPS TO PLOT TO KILL ONE ANOTHER AND THROW ALL THE BLAMES ON THE SANDINIST GOVERNMENT.

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25X1 BRATISLAVA: CIA MANUAL DISCLOSURE 'SHOCKED' U.S. PUBLIC

[redacted] BRATISLAVA DOMESTIC SERVICE IN SLOVAK 2030 GMT 19 OCT 84

(TEXT) ACCORDING TO DISCLOSURES BY THE U.S. PRESS, THE CIA HAS DEVELOPED A HANDBOOK FOR NICARAGUAN COUNTERREVOLUTIONARIES. SLAVOMIR MALICKAJ REPORTS ON THE BACKGROUND OF THE WHOLE AFFAIR:

THE LATEST DISCLOSURES ABOUT THE CRIMINAL ROLE OF THE CIA IN ORGANIZING AND DIRECTING AN UNDECLARED WAR BY THE UNITED STATES AGAINST NICARAGUA TRULY SHOCKED THE AMERICAN PUBLIC AND ALSO MANY POLITICAL REPRESENTATIVES. PRESIDENT REAGAN'S ORDER FOR INVESTIGATION OF THE WHOLE AFFAIR IS AN ATTEMPT TO AVOID A BUDDING SCANDAL WHICH WOULD BE VERY UNWELCOME FOR HIM, LESS THAN 3 WEEKS BEFORE THE ELECTIONS.

IT IS, HOWEVER, ALREADY POSSIBLE TO EXPRESS EXTREMELY SERIOUS DOUBTS ABOUT THE OJECTIVITY OF THE INVESTIGATION. AND THE REASON. IT WILL BE HEADED BY NONE OTHER THAN THE PERSONAL FRIEND OF PRESIDENT REAGAN, CIA DIRECTOR WILLIAM CASEY. HE IS A POLITICIAN WHOSE RESIGNATION -- PRECISELY BECAUSE OF THE AFOREMENTIONED HANDBOOK -- HAS BEEN DEMANDED BY MOST OF THE CONGRESSMEN.

THE PENTAGON AND THE CIA CONTINUALLY PLAN MILITARY EXERCISES NEAR NICARAGUAN SHORES AND SIMILAR PROVOCATIVE ACTIONS, BY WHICH THEY WISH TO FIRSTLY THREATEN THE SANDINISTAS AND ALSO TO GRADUALLY GET THE AMERICAN PUBLIC USED TO OR PREPARED FOR POSSIBLE INTERVENTION AGAINST NICARAGUA. IN THE CASE OF THE HANDBOOK FOR THE SOMOZA BANDS, THE CIA HAS, AS THE SAYING GOES, BITTEN OFF MORE THAN IT CAN CHEW.

AS THE U.S. PRESS HAS DISCLOSED, THIS SPY ORGANIZATION HAS PUBLISHED A 90-PAGE HANDBOOK IN SPANISH WHICH CONTAINS INSTRUCTIONS AND ADVICE FOR THE SOMOZA MEN ATTACKING NICARAGUA FROM HONDURAS TERRITORY. THE CIA ADVISES THE SOMOZA MEN TO PROCEED TO A BIGGER STAGE OF BATTLE ACCORDING TO THE IDEAS OF THE ORGANIZATION HEADQUARTERS IN LANGLEY. THEY SHOULD HIRE MURDERERS WHO WOULD, FOR EXAMPLE, LIQUIDATE DESIGNATED SANDINISTA OFFICIALS, FOR EXAMPLE JUDGES, MEMBERS OF THE POLICE, AND SO ON. THE HANDBOOK DOES NOT SAY WHETHER THE SAID MURDERERS SHOULD COME FROM THE RANKS OF AGENTS OF THE CIA OR THE RANKS OF THE MAFIA.

ONE CAN ONLY AGREE WITH THE NOTE BY THE AUSTRIAN DAILY VOLKSSTIMME THAT IN THIS CASE IT IS A MATTER OF GANGSTERS ADVISING GANGSTERS.

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25X1 MOSCOW IN MANDARIN COMMENTS ON CIA DOCUMENT

[redacted] MOSCOW IN MANDARIN TO SOUTHEAST ASIA 1130 GMT 19 OCT 84

(TEXT) A YEAR AGO, THE HEAD OF STATE OF THE PROGRESSIVE GOVERNMENT OF GRENADA WAS MURDERED. LATIN AMERICAN NEWSPAPERS HAVE REPORTED THAT THIS CRIME WAS COMMITTED BY THE CIA OF THE UNITED STATES. FOLLOWING THE KILLING OF THE HEAD OF STATE, AMERICAN FORCES LANDED AND OCCUPIED THIS ISLAND COUNTRY. THOUSANDS OF ARMED AMERICAN INTERVENTION TROOPS ARE STILL STATIONED THERE.

FEARING THAT GRENADA'S EXAMPLE OF PURSUING AN INDEPENDENT POLICY WOULD HAVE AN IMPACT ON COUNTRIES IN THE CARIBBEAN REGION AND CENTRAL AMERICA, THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION ENGINEERED A PLAN TO TOPPLE THE BISHOP GOVERNMENT. ONE YEAR AFTER THE U.S. ARMED INTERVENTION, GRENADA HAS NOW ACTUALLY BECOME A COLONY OF THE UNITED STATES. CONSTRUCTION OF MILITARY STRONGHOLDS IS BEING STEPPED UP ON THE ISLAND. ALL ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL PROGRAMS OF THE BISHOP GOVERNMENT HAVE BEEN THROWN INTO THE GARBAGE HEAP.

THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION IS TRYING TO DRAW A LINE BETWEEN ITSELF AND A NEWLY EXPOSED SCANDAL; IT HAS ORDERED AN INVESTIGATION INTO THE CIA ASSASSINATION MANUAL FOR NICARAGUAN COUNTERREVOLUTIONARIES. THIS MANUAL CONTAINS INSTRUCTIONS ON SABOTAGING CIVILIAN TARGETS AND ON CARRYING OUT TERRORIST ACTIVITIES. THIS DOCUMENT TOTALLY EXPOSES THE CIA'S ATTEMPT TO OVERTHROW THE LEGITIMATE GOVERNMENT OF NICARAGUA AND THE DIRTY TACTICS IT HAS EMPLOYED TO LAUNCH AN UNDECLARED WAR AGAINST THAT COUNTRY.

O'NEILL, SPEAKER OF THE U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, HAS TERMED THE INVESTIGATION INTO THE SCANDAL IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PRESIDENT'S ORDER A MERE FORMALITY.

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MOSCOW: REAGAN ORDERS INQUIRY INTO CIA MANUAL FOR CONTRAS

[redacted] MOSCOW IN URDU TO INDIA 1200 GMT 19 OCT 84

(TEXT) THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION IS TRYING TO DISSOCIATE ITSELF FROM THE NEW SENSATIONAL REVELATIONS. PRESIDENT REAGAN HAS ORDERED AN INQUIRY INTO A TRAINING MANUAL PUBLISHED BY THE CIA FOR THE NIACARAGUAN REBELS. THE MANUAL, WHICH HAS BECOME PUBLIC, CONTAINS INSTRUCTIONS IN TECHNIQUES FOR ACTS OF SUBVERSION AND SABOTAGE AGAINST CIVIL ORGANIZATIONS. THE MANUAL FULLY UNRAVELS THE FILTHY METHODS WITH WHICH THE AMERICAN CIA IS TRYING TO OVERTHROW THE LEGITIMATE GOVERNMENT OF NICARAGUA AND IS CONTINUING AN UNDECLARED WAR AGAINST THE REPUBLIC. THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE AMERICAN CONGRESS, THOMAS O'NEILL, SAID THAT THE INQUIRY ORDERED BY PRESIDENT REAGAN IS ONLY A SHOW.

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25X1 MOSCOW TV: REAGAN ADMINISTRATION AT CENTER OF CIA MANUAL SCANDAL

[redacted] MOSCOW TELEVISION SERVICE IN RUSSIAN 1800 GMT 18 OCT84

(FROM THE VREMYA NEWSCAST)

(TEXT) WITH ONLY 3 WEEKS TO GO TO THE PRESIDENTIAL ELECTIONS IN THE UNITED STATES THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION HAS AGAIN FOUND ITSELF AT THE CENTER OF A MAJOR FOREIGN POLICY SCANDAL. IT WAS BEGUN BY A REPORT FROM THE ASSOCIATED PRESS AGENCY ON THE FACT THAT THE CHIEF ESPIONAGE-SABOTAGE DEPARTMENT OF THE UNITED STATES IS EQUIPPING ANTI-SANDINISTA COUNTERREVOLUTIONARY GROUPINGS WITH GUIDANCE ON CONDUCTING TERRORIST ACTIONS AND SABOTAGE ON THE TERRITORY OF SOVERIEGN NICARAGUA. (STILL PHOTOGRAPH SHOWS BROCHURES, AND VERY BRIEF CLIP OF BROCHURES WITH PERSON TURNING OVER PAGES) IN THIS MANUAL OF THE CIA TO THE INSURGENTS THERE ARE INSTRUCTIONS FOR PROVOKING ANTIGOVERNMENT DEMONSTRATIONS, AND INCITING THE POPULATION TO DISORDER. AS IS POINTED OUT BY THE CBS TELEVISION COMPANY, THE BROCHURE ENTITLED PSYCHOLOGICAL OPERATIONS IN A PARTISAN WAR (PSIKOLOGICHESKIYE AKTISIYI V PARTIZANOSKOY VOYNE) DEMANDS THAT THE BANDITS DESTROY MILITIA AND MILITARY INSTALLATIONS, AND KIDNAP OFFICIALS OF THE SANDINISTA GOVERNMENT. THE DOCUMENT ALSO CONTAINS AN APPEAL TO NEUTRALIZE (NEYTRALIZOVAT), WITH THE HELP OF PROFESSIONAL CRIMINALS, REPRESENTATIVES OF AUTHORITY. (CLIP SHOWS SOLDIERS IN UNIFORM)

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25X1 MOSCOW ENGLISH COMMENTS ON 'CIA MANUAL FOR MERCENARIES'

[redacted] MOSCOW IN ENGLISH TO NORTH AMERICA 2300 GMT 16 OCT 84

(EXCERPTS) NEW FACTS HAVE COME OUT SHOWING THE CRIMINAL METHODS THE UNITED STATES ADMINISTRATION USES IN EXPANDING ITS INTERFERENCE IN NICARAGUA. ACCORDING TO ASSOCIATED PRESS IT HAS A PHOTOSTATIC COPY TO A 90-PAGE CIA MANUAL FOR ITS MERCENARIES, THE SO-CALLED CONTRAS, WHO ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR OUTRAGES IN NICARAGUA. FOR INSTANCE THE CIA BOOK TELLS NICARAGUAN CONTRAS TO HIRE CRIMINALS TO DISPOSE OF OFFICIALS IN THE COUNTRY. NOW COMMENTS ON THAT BY VLADISLAV KOZYAKOV:

THERE IS CERTAINLY SUFFICIENT EVIDENCE OF CRIMINAL ACTIVITIES BEING COMMITTED IN NICARAGUA UNDER CIA SPONSORSHIP. OVER 7,000 CIVILIANS, INCLUDING OLD PEOPLE, WOMEN AND CHILDREN, HAVE BEEN KILLED BY THE CIA MERCENARIES. THE CIA MANUAL THAT HAS JUST BEEN UNCOVERED IS ANOTHER REMINDER OF HOW THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION IS OPERATING IN ITS UNDECLARED WAR AGAINST THE NICARAGUAN PEOPLE. THE DOCUMENT IS CALLED "PSYCHOLOGICAL OPERATIONS IN GUERRILLA WAR," IT HAS BEEN DISTRIBUTED AMONG THE CONTRAS AND, FOR ONE, INSDE THE HONDURAN-BASED DETACHMENT WHICH IS KNOWN BY ITS SPANISH INITIALS FDN. THE MANUAL INSTRUCTS MERCENARIES TO USE VIOLENCE AGAINST NICARAGUAN JUDGES, POLICE, AND SECURITY OFFICIALS TO NEUTRALIZE THEM OR GET THEM OUT OF THE WAY. THE MANUAL SAYS, IF POSSIBLE, PROFESSIONAL CRIMINALS SHOULD BE HIRED TO CARRY OUT THESE JOBS. ONE OF THE TYPICAL INSTRUCTIONS CONTAINED IN THE DOCUMENT URGES THE MERCENARIES TO CREATE A MARTYR BY ARRANGING A VIOLENT DEMONSTRATION THAT LEADS TO THE DEATH OF ONE OF THEIR SUPPORTERS, AND ALL THIS I WOULD LIKE TO STRESS IS NOT OUT OF A MAFIA TESTAMENT BUT A DOCUMENT RELEASED BY A GOVERNMENT AGENCY OF THE UNITED STATES.

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS SASY THE AUTHENTICITY OF THE DOCUMENT AND THE CIA'S INVOLVEMENT IN IT HAS BEEN CONFIRMED BY UNITED STATES INTELLIGENCE SOURCES. IN THE PAST THE CIA OF THE UNITED STATES HAS BEEN CAUGHT MANY TIMES RED-HANDED, ORGANIZING ASSASSINATIONS AND ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATIONS IN OTHER COUNTRIES, INCLUDING WITH THE HELP OF PROFESSIONAL CRIMINALS IN CHILE, CUBA, INDIA, AND THE CONGO, LIBYA, AND A NUMBER OF OTHER COUNTRIES. BUT NEVER BEFORE HAVE CIA TERRORIST ACTIVITIES BEEN ON SUCH A WIDE SCALE ON THE WORLD SCENE AS THEY ARE TODAY UNDER THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION. NOW WASHINGTON IS USING THE MARINES TO INTERFERE IN THE AFFAIRS OF OTHER COUNTRIES, AS IN GRENADA, LARGE CALLIBER ARTILLERY FIRE AS IN LEBANON, AND DIRECT SUPPORT OF RACIST ATROCITIES AS IN SOUTH AFRICA.

THE CIA OPERATIONS WHICH WERE ONCE CALLED SECRETS ARE NOW OPENLY INCLUDED IN THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION'S POLICY OF STATE TERRORISM.

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25X1 TASS REPORTS REAGAN'S ORDER TO INVESTIGATE CIA MANUAL

[redacted] MOSCOW TASS INTERNATIONAL SERVICE IN RUSSIAN 0435 GMT 19 OCT

(TEXT) WASHINGTON, 19 OCT (TASS) -- PRESIDENT REAGAN HAS ORDERED AN INVESTIGATION INTO THE U.S. PRESS' PUBLICATION OF A SECRET "HANDBOOK," PREPARED BY CIA EXPERTS FOR BANDS OF FORMER SOMOZISTS PERPETRATING TERRORIST ACTS ON NICARAGUAN TERRITORY. THE AUTHORS OF THE "HANDBOOK" CALL ON THE BUTCHERS TO "NEUTRALIZE" NICARAGUAN STATE FIGURES.

THE CIA ADVISES ITS WARDS TO BE MORE ACTIVE IN DRAWING CRIMINALS INTO THE COMMISSION OF MURDERS AND OTHER TERRORIST ATTACKS. THIS NEW DISCLOSURE OF THE CIA'S KEY ROLE IN THE ORGANIZATION AND WAGING OF UNDECLARED WAR AGAINST REVOLUTIONARY NICARAGUA HAS GIVEN RISE TO INDIGNATION IN BROAD CIRCLES OF THE U.S. PUBLIC AND AMONG EMINENT POLITICAL FIGURES IN THE UNITED STATES. A NUMBER OF CONGRESSMEN HAVE DEMANDED THE IMMEDIATE RESIGNATION OF W. CASEY, DIRECTOR OF THE CIA.

THE SCANDAL HAS TURNED OUT TO BE SO ENORMOUS THAT THE PRESIDENT HAS HAD TO INTERVENE. HOWEVER, HIS ORDER TO CARRY OUT AN INVESTIGATION IS NOTHING BUT A CLEAR ATTEMPT TO HUSH UP THIS SCANDAL, AND TO SHIELD THE "CLOAK AND DAGGER KNIGHTS." AFTER ALL, THE INVESTIGATION HAS BEEN ENTRUSTED TO THE DIRECTOR OF THE CIA HIMSELF. MOREOVER, AS IS CLEAR FROM THE STATEMENT PUBLISHED BY THE WHITE HOUSE, THE INVESTIGATION'S CHIEF PURPOSE WILL BE TO DETERMINE HOW THE SECRET DIRECTIONS RECEIVED SUCH BROAD PUBLICITY. THE STATEMENT LEAVES NO DOUBT AS TO THE FACT THAT THE WHITE HOUSE IS DOING EVERYTHING TO AVOID OFFENDING THE CIA, WHICH UNDER THE CURRENT ADMINISTRATION IS ASSIGNED AN EVEN MORE ACTIVE ROLE THAN BEFORE AS THE ORGANIZER OF INTERNATIONAL TERRORISM.

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MOSCOW: REAGAN TRYING TO DISASSOCIATE FROM CIA MANUAL

[redacted] MOSCOW WORLD SERVICE IN ENGLISH 0800 GMT 19 OCT 84

(TEXT) THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION IS TRYING TO DISASSOCIATE ITSELF FROM A NEW SCANDALOUS EXPOSURE. PRESIDENT REAGAN HAS ORDERED AN INVESTIGATION AFTER THE PUBLIC LEARNED THAT THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY HAD ISSUED A BOOK OF INSTRUCTIONS FOR NICARAGUAN COUNTERREVOLUTIONARIES. THE BOOK SAYS HOW TO ORGANIZE ACTS OF SABOTAGE AGAINST CIVILIAN TARGETS AND HOW TO CONDUCT TERRORIST OPERATIONS. THE DOCUMENT FULLY EXPOSES THE DIRTY METHODS WITH WHICH THE AMERICAN CIA IS TRYING TO TOPPLE THE LEGITIMATE NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT AND WAGES AN UNDECLARED WAR AGAINST THAT COUNTRY.

THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE U.S. CONGRESS, THOMAS O'NEILL, HAS SAID THAT THE INVESTIGATION ORDERED BY PRESIDENT REAGAN WILL BE A MERE FORMALITY.

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TASS: FERRARO CONDEMNS REAGAN NUCLEAR POLICY, CIA IN NICARAGUA

[redacted] MOSCOW TASS IN ENGLISH 0902 GMT 19 OCT 84

(TEXT) NEW YORK OCTOBER 19 TASS -- THE U.S. VICE PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE FROM THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY GERALDINE FERRARO HAS EMPHATICALLY CONDEMNED THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION'S DANGEROUS NUCLEAR POLICY AND ITS INTERVENTIONIST COURSE IN THE WORLD ARENA.

SPEAKING IN SEATTLE (WASHINGTON), GERALDINE FERRARO STRESSED THAT THE POLICY OF THE PRESENT U.S. ADMINISTRATION HAS NOTHING IN COMMON WITH THE KEY PROBLEM OF OUR TIME -- CONTROL OVER NUCLEAR ARMAMENTS. DURING THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION'S YEARS IN OFFICE, SHE SAID, SOVIET-AMERICAN RELATIONS HAVE PLUMMETED TO THE LOWEST POINT SINCE THE TIME OF THE "COLD WAR". THE CANDIDATE FROM THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY SAID THAT THE ADMINISTRATION'S ATTEMPTS AT BRINGING PRESSURE TO BEAR ON THE SOVIET UNION WERE HOPELESS. THE ARMS RACE LEADS NOT TO ENHANCED SECURITY, BUT RATHER TO A FURTHER SPIRALLING OF THE ARMS RACE, SAID GERALDINE FERRARO.

IN AN INTERVIEW WITH THE ABC TELEVISION NETWORK GERALDINE FERRARO CHARGED THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION WITH PURSUING A POLICY IN CENTRAL AMERICA, WHICH IS DESIGNED TO OVERTHROW THE NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT. SHE UNDERSCORED THAT THE ADMINISTRATION'S MILITARY AID TO THE NICARAGUAN COUNTER-REVOLUTIONISTS AND ALSO THE CIA'S COVERT OPERATIONS AGAINST THE SANDINISTA GOVERNMENT PURSUE EXACTLY THESE GOALS. SHE DESCRIBED THE SO-CALLED INSTRUCTIONAL "MANUAL" OF THE CIA FOR THE ANTI-SANDINIST COUNTER-REVOLUTIONARY GROUPINGS DEALING WITH TERRORIST ACTIONS ON THE TERRITORY OF SOVEREIGN NICARAGUA AS FRESH PROOF OF SUCH A COURSE OF WASHINGTON.

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SOFIA RADIO SAYS REAGAN SEEKING TO AVOID BLAME FOR CIA ACTIONS

[redacted] SOFIA DOMESTIC SERVICE IN BULGARIAN 0700 GMT 19 OCT 84

(TEXT) THE DISCLOSURES REGARDING THE SPECIAL REFERENCE BOOK PREPARED BY THE CIA FOR NICARAGUA'S COUNTERREVOLUTIONARIES HAS AROUSED ALARM IN THE CIRCLES AROUND PRESIDENT REAGAN ONLY DAYS BEFORE THE PRESIDENTIAL ELECTIONS.

IN A SPECIALLY ISSUED STATEMENT, THE WHITE HOUSE IS TRYING IN AN UNCONVINCING WAY TO DENY ALL RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE CIA'S ACTIONS.

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TASS REPORTS REAGAN'S ORDER TO INVESTIGATE CIA MANUAL

25X1 [redacted] MOSCOW TASS INTERNATIONAL SERVICE IN RUSSIAN 0435 GMT 19 OCT

(TEXT) WASHINGTON, 19 OCT (TASS) -- PRESIDENT REAGAN HAS ORDERED AN INVESTIGATION INTO THE U.S. PRESS' PUBLICATION OF A SECRET "HANDBOOK," PREPARED BY CIA EXPERTS FOR BANDS OF FORMER SOMOZISTS PERPETRATING TERRORIST ACTS ON NICARAGUAN TERRITORY. THE AUTHORS OF THE "HANDBOOK" CALL ON THE BUTCHERS TO "NEUTRALIZE" NICARAGUAN STATE FIGURES.

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TASS REPORTS REAGAN'S ORDER TO INVESTIGATE CIA MANUAL

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AUSTRIAN COMMUNIST PARTY PAPER CONDEMNS CIA MANUAL

25X1 [redacted] VIENNA VOLKSSTIMME IN GERMAN 17 OCT 84 P 4

(COMMENTARY BY "P.S.": "GANGSTERS RECOMMEND....")

(TEXT) WASHINGTON -- GANGSTERS RECOMMEND GANGSTERS TO HIRE MORE GANGSTERS: WE ARE TALKING ABOUT THE LATEST CIA CONCOCTION IN WHICH FORMER NATIONAL GUARDSMEN FROM THE SOMOZA DICTATORSHIP ARE RECOMMENDED TO USE EVEN PROFESSIONAL CRIMINALS AGAINST REVOLUTIONARY NICARAGUA. ACTUALLY, IT IS AN ABSURD RECOMMENDATION, SINCE THOSE NATIONAL GUARDSMEN WHO PENETRATE NICARAGUA FROM HONDURAS AND ASSASSINATE PEASANTS, TEACHERS, AND NURSES ALREADY MADE THEIR LIVING AS PROFESSIONAL CRIMINALS UNDER SOMOZA.

THE SPANISH-LANGUAGE MANUAL IS 90 PAGES LONG, AND IN IT THE U.S. SECRET SERVICE DOCUMENTS ITS -- AND, THEREFORE, WASHINGTON'S -- MISANTHROPIC ATTITUDE. PROFESSIONAL KILLERS ARE TO BE HIRED TO MURDER JUDGES, POLICEMEN, AND MEMBERS OF THE SECURITY FORCES. THE MANUAL DOES NOT SPECIFY WHETHER THIS TERM MEANS MEMBERS OF THE CIA OR MEMBERS OF THE MAFIA.

AND ANOTHER PIECE OF ADVICE TO THE CONTRAS: THE COUNTERREVOLUTIONARIES ARE ADVISED TO HUNT DOWN AND KILL MEMBERS OF THEIR OWN ORGANIZATION SO AS TO HAVE "MARTYRS" TO SHOW THE WORLD. HOW ARE THEY TO GO ABOUT IT? WELL, THE LEADERS OF THE CONTRAS SHOULD STAGE SOME "OPERATION" THAT "ENTAILS THE DEATH OF A MEMBER."

"STRUGGLE FOR HUMAN RIGHTS," AS CONCEIVED BY REAGAN AND CO....

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25X1 BELGRADE SAYS CIA MANUAL MAY PROVE EXTENT OF U.S. COVERT ACTION

[redacted] BELGRADE DOMESTIC SERVICE IN SERBO-CROATIAN 0900 GMT 19 OCT 84

(TEXT) U.S. CONGRESSMEN HAVE DEMANDED THAT AN INVESTIGATION BE MADE OF THE MANUAL WHICH THE CIA COMPILED FOR THE NICARAGUAN COUNTERREVOLUTIONARIES. THE MANUAL CONTAINS INSTRUCTIONS RANGING FROM DIRECTIONS FOR DESTROYING PUBLIC ESTABLISHMENTS TO TIPS ON HIRING PROFESSIONAL KILLERS TO LIQUIDATE POLITICAL OPPONENTS. HOUSE SPEAKER TIP O'NEILL SAID IN CONNECTION WITH THE NEWS OF THE MANUAL'S PUBLICATION THAT THIS IS YET ANOTHER FAILURE OF OUR FOREIGN POLICY.

ACCORDING TO TANJUG, IF THE INVESTIGATION SHOWS THAT THE CIA IS THE MANUAL'S REAL AUTHOR, THIS IS YET ONE MORE PROOF OF THE EXTENT TO WHICH THE CURRENT AMERICAN ADMINISTRATION IS INVOLVED IN WAGING THE COVERT WAR AGAINST THE SANDINIST GOVERNMENT IN MANAGUA.

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25X1 WARSAW RADIO REPORTS CIA INVESTIGATION OF MANUAL

[redacted] WARSAW DOMESTIC SERVICE IN POLISH 0600 GMT 19 OCT 84

(TEXT) THE PUBLICATION OF DOCUMENTS TESTIFYING TO THE CIA'S CONDUCT OF PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE AGAINST NICARAGUA HAS TRIGGERED SHARP CRITICISM IN THE UNITED STATES. THE DOCUMENTS CALLED FOR THE USE OF VIOLENT MEANS TO NEUTRALIZE MEMBERS OF THAT COUNTRY'S GOVERNMENT. ALARMED BY THIS CRITICISM, PRESIDENT REAGAN HAS INSTRUCTED THE CIA TO INVESTIGATE THE LEAKING OF THIS INFORMATION.

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NICARAGUA'S ORTEGA COMMENTS ON CIA MANUAL, U.S. POLICIES

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TAKE 1 OF 2 -- ORTEGA ON MANUAL

[redacted] MANAGUA RADIO SANDINO NETWORK IN SPANISH 1215 GMT 24 OCT 84

(TEXT) INSTRUCTIONS TO UNLEASH A PSYCHOLOGICAL WAR, PROVOKE FIGHTING AMONG THE POPULATION, AND CREATE A SERIOUS CONFLICT FOR THE REVOLUTION ARE SOME OF THE GUIDELINES IN THE CIA TERRORIST MANUAL, SEVERAL COPIES OF WHICH WERE DISTRIBUTED YESTERDAY BY COMMANDER DANIEL ORTEGA SAAVEDRA.

THE FSLN'S PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE SAID THOSE POLITICAL PARTIES THAT HAVE WITHDRAWN FROM THE ELECTORAL PROCESS ARE CONSULTING THE CIA MANUAL ON TERRORIST ACTIONS, WHICH INCLUDES PLANS TO MURDER SANDINIST LEADERS. ORTEGA NOTED THAT SOME POLITICAL PARTIES HAVE BEEN USING SLOGANS RELATED TO THE PROBLEM OF SUPPLYING NECESSITIES TO THE PEOPLE, WHICH IS AMONG THE INSTRUCTIONS CONTAINED IN THE MANUAL.

DANIEL URGED THE NICARAGUAN PEOPLE TO BE VIGILANT AND REPORT THOSE WHO COLLABORATE WITH THE CIA.

(BEGIN ORTEGA RECORDING) THE U.S. GOVERNMENT, THROUGH THE CIA, WROTE THIS LITTLE MANUAL ON TERRORISM AND CRIME AGAINST THE NICARAGUAN PEOPLE. DON'T THE PHRASES WE HAVE JUST READ REMIND YOU OF THOSE FREQUENTLY USED BY CERTAIN NEWSPAPERS? (CROWD YELLS: YES,! YES!) DON'T THEY ALSO REMIND YOU OF THE SERMONS DELIVERED BY CERTAIN PRIESTS AND BISHOPS? (AFFIRMATIVE SHOUTS FROM THE CROWD) DON'T THEY REMIND YOU OF THE SPEECHES BY CERTAIN POLITICAL LEADERS? (MORE SHOUTS). IN OTHER WORDS, WHAT WE HAVE JUST READ FROM THIS LITTLE MANUAL OF CRIME AND TERRORISM IS WHAT HAS STIRRED UP A SCANDAL IN THE UNITED STATES, AS IT SHOWS THAT THE U.S. GOVERNMENT IS INVOLVED IN A POLICY OF TERRORISM AGAINST THE NICARAGUAN PEOPLE. ANYONE WHO DOES NOT WANT TO ADMIT THAT THIS IS HAPPENING IN NICARAGUA IS BETRAYING HIS HOMELAND. ANYONE WHO DOES NOT CONDEMN THIS IN NICARAGUA IS ALSO BETRAYING HIS HOMELAND, SINCE EVEN IN THE UNITED STATES THE SCANDAL HAS REACHED SUCH PROPORTIONS THAT THE PRESIDENT HAS BEEN FORCED TO ADMIT THAT AN INVESTIGATION IS REQUIRED, AND THAT HE HAS ORDERED AN INVESTIGATION. THE SUBJECT WAS RAISED DURING THE DEBATE BETWEEN PRESIDENT REAGAN AND PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE MONDALE. AT THAT TIME, PRESIDENT REAGAN SAID THAT THE CIA AGENT IN THIS AREA WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS. WE KNOW THAT THERE ARE

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SEVERAL -- AND NOT ONLY ONE -- CIA AGENT HERE. IS THERE ANYTHING FOR THE U.S. GOVERNMENT TO INVESTIGATE? (SHOUTS FROM THE CROWD) THERE IS NOTHING TO INVESTIGATE; AS THEY ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS POLICY. SOME MEMBERS OF THE U.S. CONGRESS AND OTHER PARTIES HAVE BEEN DEMANDING THE REMOVAL OF CIA DIRECTOR CASEY; BUT CASEY ONLY FOLLOWS INSTRUCTIONS AND ACTS ACCORDING TO U.S. GOVERNMENT POLICIES. HE IS NOT ACTING AT WILL; OR ON HIS OWN; HE IS IMPLEMENTING A POLICY. THEREFORE; WHEN HE WRITES THIS MANUAL OF TERROR; OF CRIME; WHICH CALLS FOR THE MURDER OF DEMONSTRATORS; WE POINT OUT THAT SOME SHADY CHARACTERS WHO HAVE BEEN ARRESTED HAVE LITERALLY SAID THE SAME THING: DEMONSTRATIONS SHOULD BE PROVOKED IN WHICH ONE OF THE DEMONSTRATORS WILL DIE; SO THAT THE PEOPLE WILL TURN AGAINST SANDINISM. THAT THERE IS NO BREAD; NO FREEDOM; AND THAT THERE IS FEAR OF COMMUNISM -- THESE ARE SOME OF THE SLOGANS USED BY CERTAIN MEDIA HERE; BY THE REACTIONARIES. THESE ARE THE SLOGANS THAT THE RIGHTISTS; TRAITORS TO THEIR HOMELAND; HAVE BEEN REPEATING; WITHOUT KNOWING THAT IN SO DOING; THEY ARE SHOWING THEIR TRUE SELVES TO THE NICARAGUAN PEOPLE. (END RECORDING)

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///PEOPLE (END RECORDING).

(TEXT) ELECTIONS WILL BE HELD ON 4 NOVEMBER, EVEN IF THE PEOPLE AND THE FSLN ARE THE SOLE PARTICIPANTS. COMMANDER OF THE REVOLUTION DANIEL ORTEGA REITERATED THIS BEFORE THOUSANDS OF TEACHERS WHO ONCE AGAIN DECLARED THEIR FIRM SUPPORT FOR THE REVOLUTIONARY VANGUARD. DANIEL ORTEGA SAID THERE IS A STRONG FORCE IN NICARAGUA, THE PEOPLE'S FORCE, WHICH WILL NOT BE BLACKMAILED BY PRESSURE.

(BEGIN ORTEGA RECORDING) THIS REVOLUTION IS SOMEWHAT EXCEPTIONAL; IT HAS BEEN FLEXIBLE AND GENEROUS. THROUGH THE REVOLUTION WE SAY: WELL, YOU WHO ARE OUR ENEMIES WILL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO PARTICIPATE HERE, WITHIN THE PLURALISTIC FRAMEWORK OFFERED BY THE REVOLUTION. HOWEVER, YOU WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO ATTACK THE REVOLUTION. DESPITE THIS, OUR ENEMIES HAVE TRIED TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE POLITICAL RIGHT TO CARRY OUT COUNTERREVOLUTIONARY ACTIVITIES, FOLLOWING THE GUIDELINES OF U.S. IMPERIALISM, AND THEY HAVE BECOME THE INSTRUMENTS OF U.S. IMPERIALISM. WE ARE NOT THE ONLY ONES WHO HAVE SAID THIS. THIS IS KNOWN IN THE UNITED STATES, AND THE U.S. MEDIA HAVE SAID IT AS WELL. THE U.S. MEDIA HAVE REVEALED THE ROLE OF THE U.S. GOVERNMENT AND THE CIA IN THE DESTABILIZATION POLICY AGAINST NICARAGUA. THIS ROLE IS NOT RESTRICTED TO MILITARY ATTACKS, BUT ALSO TAKES THE FORM OF PREVENTING FREE ELECTIONS IN NICARAGUA. THIS IS LOGICAL, BECAUSE IF IMPERIALISM HAD ANY HOPES THAT ONE OF THE COUNTERREVOLUTIONARY POLITICAL PARTIES COULD HAVE ANY INFLUENCE OVER THE PEOPLE, THEY WOULD HAVE SURELY TOLD THEM TO TAKE PART IN THE ELECTIONS. HOWEVER, BECAUSE THEY KNOW THAT OUR PEOPLE STRONGLY SUPPORT THE FSLN, THEY DO NOT WANT TO EXPOSE THEMSELVES TO THIS DEFEAT (SHOUTS, APPLAUSE), THEY DO NOT WANT TO TAKE THE RISK, THEY DO NOT WANT TO ACCEPT THE CHALLENGE. THEY PREFER TO COLLABORATE WITH THE ATTACKERS BECAUSE, LOGICALLY, IMPERIALISM WANTS TO DISCREDIT THE ELECTIONS. WHY? IN ORDER TO JUSTIFY ITS POLICY OF MURDER AND TERROR AGAINST THE NICARAGUAN PEOPLE. WHY DOES IMPERIALISM WANT TO DISCREDIT THE ELECTIONS? IN ORDER TO IMPLEMENT THE CRIMINAL MANUAL AGAINST THE NICARAGUAN PEOPLE AND TO CONTINUE IMPLEMENTING, IMPOSING, AND ENFORCING IT IN AN ATTEMPT TO DESTROY THE REVOLUTION. THIS IS WHAT IMPERIALISM WANTS. WHAT'S WORSE IS THAT THERE ARE SOME PEOPLE IN THIS COUNTRY WHO IDENTIFY WITH IMPERIALISM'S POSITION. HOWEVER,

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THERE IS A STRONG FORCE HERE, THE PEOPLE'S FORCE. WE HAVE SAID THAT THE PEOPLE WILL NOT LET THEMSELVES BE BLACKMAILED AND THAT -- WHETHER SIX PARTIES, FIVE, FOUR, THREE, TWO, OR ONLY THE FSLN PARTICIPATES IN THE ELECTIONS -- THE PEOPLE WILL GO TO THE POLLS ON 4 NOVEMBER. THE 4 NOVEMBER ELECTIONS WILL REALLY BE CONTESTED BY THOSE PARTIES THAT WANT TO PARTICIPATE TOGETHER WITH THE FSLN; IN OTHER WORDS, TO REPRESENT NICARAGUA AS A WHOLE. AGAINST WHOM? AGAINST THE UNITED STATES, AGAINST THE U.S. GOVERNMENT, AGAINST THE OTHER CANDIDATE IN NICARAGUA, WHICH IS THE CRIMINAL, TERRORIST U.S. POLICY. IN OTHER WORDS, ON 4 NOVEMBER WE WILL CHOOSE BETWEEN NICARAGUA AND LIFE AS U.S. SLAVES. (END RECORDING)

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NICARAGUA'S DANIEL ORTEGA ASSAILS CIA PAMPHLET

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(SPEECH BY COMMANDER OF THE REVOLUTION DANIEL ORTEGA SAAVEDRA, COORDINATOR OF THE JUNTA OF THE GOVERNMENT OF NATIONAL RECONSTRUCTION AND FSLN PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE, AT THE ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION OF THE NATIONAL UNION OF FARMERS AND CATTLEMEN AT THE PLAZA OF THE REVOLUTION IN MANAGUA -- LIVE)

(EXCERPTS) WE ARE A FEW WEEKS AWAY FROM THE ELECTIONS HERE IN NICARAGUA. SEVEN PARTIES ARE PARTICIPATING IN THESE ELECTIONS. THIS MEANS THAT THE PEOPLE CAN CHOOSE FROM SEVEN PARTIES. THEY CAN VOTE FOR ANY OF THESE SEVEN PARTIES. (CROWD CHANTS SLOGAN: "WE WILL VOTE FOR DANIEL")

WE ARE CERTAIN THAT THE PEASANTS AND PRODUCERS WILL KNOW WHO TO VOTE FOR. THEY WILL VOTE FOR THE INTERESTS OF THE PEASANTS AND PRODUCERS. IN OTHER WORDS, THEY WILL VOTE FOR THE FSLN AND ITS CANDIDATES.

YOU, WHO KNOW WHAT PLAGUES ARE LIKE BECAUSE YOU ARE FIGHTING THEM CONSTANTLY IN YOUR PRODUCTION, MUST KNOW THAT THERE IS AN EVEN WORSE PLAGUE WHICH WE ELIMINATED FROM NICARAGUA. WE ERADICATED THIS PEST ON 19 JULY. IT WAS THE PLAGUE OF EXPLOITATION, IMPERIALIST DOMINATION, AND INSECURITY FOR PRODUCERS.

BACK THEN, THE SMALL PRODUCERS WERE THE VICTIMS OF A FEW MILLIONAIRE PRODUCERS WHO WERE SOMOZA'S FRIENDS. THEY WERE ALSO THE VICTIMS OF THE BANKS. THESE WERE THE PRODUCERS' ENEMIES. THESE PESTS DID NOT EAT UP THE CROPS BUT THE LANDS. THEY WOULD TAKE THE LAND AND LEAVE THE SMALL PRODUCERS WITH NONE. BUT THE NICARAGUAN PEOPLE, LED BY THE FSLN, PUT AN END TO THIS PLAGUE ON 19 JULY 1979. (CROWD CHANTS: "PEOPLE'S POWER!")

THE U.S. GOVERNMENT REFUSES TO HELP THE NICARAGUAN PEOPLE. IT ONLY WANTS TO GIVE THEM TERROR AND MURDER. WHAT IS THAT GOVERNMENT DOING? IT IS LAUNCHING THAT PLAGUE ONCE AGAIN AGAINST NICARAGUA. IT IS LAUNCHING IT THROUGH THE COUNTERREVOLUTIONARY AND MERCENARY FORCES. THESE PLAGUES OF COUNTERREVOLUTION AND CRIME, WHICH ARE THREATS TO THE NICARAGUAN PEASANTS AND PRODUCERS, ARE A THREAT TO PRODUCTION IN OUR COUNTRY. YOU, BETTER THAN ANYONE, ARE FAMILIAR WITH THIS PLAGUE. (CRIES OF: "THEY SHALL NOT PASS!")

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TO SHOW HOW FAR THE U.S. GOVERNMENT'S POLICY HAS GONE IN ITS DESPERATE [redacted] AND CRIMINAL [redacted] NICARAGUAN PEOPLE: THEY HAVE ISSUED A PAMPHLET TEACHING THOSE CRIMINALS HOW TO WAGE TERRORISM AGAINST THE NICARAGUAN PEOPLE! THE PAMPHLET IS SO SCANDALOUS THAT IT HAS ELICITED PROTESTS IN THE UNITED STATES, WHERE THEY ARE ATTACKING THE U.S. GOVERNMENT FOR PREPARING THIS KIND OF PAMPHLET, AN IMMORAL PAMPHLET THAT IS BEING CONDEMNED BY U.S. REPRESENTATIVES THEMSELVES. THE U.S. PRESIDENT HIMSELF HAS HAD TO STAGE A FARCE AND CALL FOR AN INVESTIGATION TO DETERMINE WHO WROTE THE PAMPHLET, EVEN THOUGH EVERYONE ALREADY KNOWS THAT THE CIA WROTE THIS PAMPHLET AND THAT THE CIA IS THE U.S. GOVERNMENT'S INSTRUMENT FOR MURDERING THE NICARAGUAN PEOPLE. BUT IN THE UNITED STATES THERE IS A GROWING MAJORITY OPPOSED TO THE U.S. GOVERNMENT'S POLICY AGAINST NICARAGUA. WE HEARD THIS OPINION TODAY WHEN THE U.S. PRODUCERS' REPRESENTATIVE ADDRESSED THE NICARAGUAN PEOPLE. (APPLAUSE)

THE U.S. AND NICARAGUAN PEOPLES HAVE NEVER BEEN AND SHALL NEVER BE ENEMIES! (APPLAUSE) WE ARE FRATERNAL PEOPLES, (APPLAUSE) PEOPLES WHO SHARE SOLIDARITY, (APPLAUSE) AND WE SHALL NOT FALL INTO THE TRAP OF CONFRONTATION, WHICH IS WHAT THE U.S. GOVERNMENT WANTS.

WE ARE SURE THAT THIS PLAGUE THAT THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION IS LAUNCHING AGAINST US IN THE FORM OF CIA ATTACKS, CIA DOCUMENTS, AND MERCENARY FORCES WILL CONTINUE TO BE DEFEATED BY THE NICARAGUAN PEOPLE. WE WILL ALSO DEFEAT IT WITH OUR VOTES ON 4 NOVEMBER (APPLAUSE) BECAUSE BY VOTING ON 4 NOVEMBER WE ARE ALSO DEFEATING AGGRESSION! (APPLAUSE, SHOUTS)

IF YOU AGREE WITH THE DEFENSE OF THE REVOLUTION, IF YOU AGREE WITH EDUCATION FOR PEASANTS, (CROWD SHOUTS: "YES!") IF YOU AGREE WITH SCHOOLS AND HEALTH CENTERS FOR THE RURAL AREAS, (CROWD SHOUTS: "YES!") IF YOU AGREE WITH THOSE POLICIES, WHERE WILL YOU VOTE ON 4 NOVEMBER? (CROWD ANSWERS: "IN VOTING BOOTH NO. 4!") WHO WILL YOU VOTE FOR ON 4 NOVEMBER? (CROWD ANSWERS: "FOR DANIEL AND SERGIO" AND "FOR THE SANDINIST FRONT!)

ON 4 NOVEMBER YOU WILL HAVE THE CHANCE TO VOTE EITHER FOR THE FUTURE OR FOR THE PAST. (SHOUTS OF: "FOR THE FUTURE!") THE PEOPLE NEVER MAKE MISTAKES. ON 4 NOVEMBER WE WILL VOTE FOR THE FUTURE, (SHOUTS OF: "FOR THE FUTURE!") EVEN IF THIS FUTURE CALLS FOR MORE SACRIFICES! (APPLAUSE) WE WILL VOTE ON 4 NOVEMBER! (APPLAUSE, SHOUTS) EVEN IF WE HAVE TO CONTINUE CONFRONTING THE IMPERIALIST AGGRESSION, WE WILL VOTE FOR THE FUTURE ON 4 NOVEMBER! (SHOUTS OF: "YES!") EVEN IF WE HAVE TO RISK OUR LIVES BEFORE THE AGGRESSORS, EVEN IF WE RUN THE RISK OF A DIRECT U.S. MILITARY INTERVENTION, WHAT WILL WE VOTE FOR ON 4 NOVEMBER; WHOM WILL WE VOTE FOR ON 4 NOVEMBER? (CROWD ANSWERS: "FSLN, FSLN!")

ON 4 NOVEMBER WE WILL VOTE FOR THE HISTORICAL CRY OF THAT LEADER OF NICARAGUAN PEASANTS IN THE STRUGGLE AGAINST YANKEE INTERVENTION. WE WILL VOTE FOR THE CRY OF THE LEADER OF NICARAGUAN PEASANTS, AUGUSTO CESAR SANDINO! WE WILL VOTE FOR THE CRY FREE FATHERLAND... (SHOUTS OF: "OR DEATH!" "FATHERLAND OR DEATH, WE WILL WIN!")

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25X1 NICARAGUA: STATION ON CIA MANUAL, U.S. LEADERS' 'MADNESS'

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("BEYOND THE NEWS REPORTS" FEATURE: "THE CIA ASSASSINS' MANUAL")

(TEXT) MANUALS USUALLY SERVE TO TEACH HOW TO USE A PIECE OF EQUIPMENT OR PROVIDE INSTRUCTIONS ON SOMETHING USEFUL. (WORD INDISTINCT) A KIND OF CATECHISM OR LAYMEN'S MANUAL ON SOME SPECIFIC SUBJECT. HOWEVER, THE LATEST MANUAL PUBLISHED BY THE CIA IS TRULY IN A CLASS BY ITSELF AND LEAVES THE ITALIAN RENAISSANCE'S MACHIAVELLI FAR BEHIND. THE MANUAL TEACHES CIA AGENTS HOW TO KILL CIVILIANS, CARRY OUT SABOTAGE ACTIVITIES, ETC, THUS REVEALING THE LEVEL OF CRIMINAL MADNESS OF THE CURRENT U.S. LEADERS.

NATURALLY THIS IS NO JOKE, BECAUSE BY ADMITTING CRIME AS A NORMAL DEVELOPMENT A GOVERNMENT PRACTICALLY UNDERMINES THE BASES OF ITS OWN AUTHORITY, WHICH IS ALWAYS OF A MORAL NATURE, AND WORSE YET, IT TEACHES AS GOOD THAT WHICH IS BAD, TEACHING AND CONDONING CRIME AS AN ETHICAL RULE FOR RESPECTABLE HUMAN BEHAVIOR. IT IS AS IF THEY WERE SAYING THAT CRIME DOES PAY.

NOW, WHAT EFFECTS CAN THIS HAVE IN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA? THAT IS HARD TO PREDICT, BUT IT WILL PROBABLY LEAD TO AN EVENTUAL DESTRUCTION OF ITS SOCIETY. IF A GOVERNMENT OFFICIALLY TEACHES ITS CITIZENS TO KILL, WHAT CAN BE EXPECTED OF THAT SOCIETY? THAT COUNTRY WOULD SOON BE CONTROLLED BY GANGSTERS AND CRIMINALS WHO WOULD IMPOSE THEIR LAW ON THE REST OF THE CITIZENS. THOSE WHO DID NOT SUBMIT TO THE RULE OF CRIME WOULD BE PUNISHED AS ANTISOCIALS. IN OTHER WORDS, THE COMMANDMENTS WILL BE REVERSED.

THE HORRID VISION OF SUCH A SATANICAL SOCIETY FRANKLY MAKES ONE'S HAIR STAND ON END AND INDICATES TO US THE LEVEL OF MORAL PERVERSITY TO WHICH THE CURRENT U.S. REGIME IS LEADING THAT COUNTRY. IN THE FACE OF SUCH A HORRIFYING REALITY, ONLY UNIVERSAL REPUDIATION AND CONDEMNATION ARE FITTING. OUR STRUGGLE, THEREFORE, GAINS EVEN GREATER STRENGTH TO WITHSTAND WITH ALL ITS FORCE THOSE WHO WANT TO CAST US INTO THE HELL THEY HAVE CREATED FOR THEMSELVES.

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NICARAGUA REPORTS REAGAN CALL FOR INVESTIGATION OF CIA MANUAL

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(TEXT) WITH AN ALLEGED UNAWARENESS OF THE CIA'S ACTIVITIES, PRESIDENT REAGAN HAS ORDERED AN INVESTIGATION INTO THE MANUAL ON TERRORIST TACTICS DRAFTED ESPECIALLY FOR THE FDN (NICARAGUAN DEMOCRATIC FORCE) COUNTERREVOLUTIONARY BAND. THE U.S. PRESIDENT'S OBJECTIVE IS TO REDUCE THE CONVULSIVE SITUATION THE MANUAL HAS CREATED IN THE U.S. CONGRESS AND TO PREVENT THE SUBJECT BEING USED BY HIS OPPONENT, WALTER MONDALE, DURING THE TELEVISED DEBATE ON SUNDAY.

THOMAS O'NEILL, SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE, BELIEVES THAT WILLIAM CASEY SHOULD BE REMOVED IMMEDIATELY AS CIA DIRECTOR. HOWEVER, HE PREDICTED THAT FOLLOWING THE INVESTIGATIONS ORDERED BY PRESIDENT REAGAN, EVERYONE WILL BE DECLARED INNOCENT.

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25X1 HAVANA RADIO ON WHITE HOUSE STATEMENT ON CIA MANUAL

[redacted] HAVANA DOMESTIC SERVICE IN SPANISH 0000 GMT 20 OCT 84

(ALBERTO RABILOTTA, PRENSA LATINA CORRESPONDENT IN MONTREAL, CANADA DATE NOT GIVEN -- RECORDED)

(RECORDING IN PROGRESS) IF THE CIA ACTED INCORRECTLY IN ELABORATING A TERRORIST INSTRUCTION MANUAL FOR THE NICARAGUAN CONTRAS, IS AN ATTEMPT TO EVADE THE RESPONSIBILITY WHICH FALLS ON THE WHITE HOUSE.

THE CIA MANUAL ENTITLED PSYCHOLOGICAL OPERATIONS FOR GUERRILLA WARFARE TEACHES THE ASSASSINATION OF SANDINIST LEADERS, AND EVEN RECOMMENDS CONTRACTING PROFESSIONAL ASSASSINS FOR THIS, BESIDES SUGGESTING VARIOUS TYPES OF TERRORIST ACTS AGAINST THE NICARAGUAN CIVILIAN POPULATION.

THE REVELATION THAT IT WAS THE CIA THAT ELABORATED THE MANUAL, THE PROTESTS IN CONGRESS, AND THE CALL FOR LEGISLATIVE INVESTIGATION FORCED THE WHITE HOUSE TO ISSUE A STATEMENT YESTERDAY, AFTER 2 DAYS OF SILENCE AND "NO COMMENTS" (STATED IN ENGLISH). THAT THE CIA PRODUCED AND DISTRIBUTED THIS AND OTHER SIMILAR MANUALS TO GROUPS OF FORMER SOMOZISTS, WHICH IT FINANCES AND DIRECTS, IS NOT DOUBTED.

ACCORDING TO A U.S. EXPERT, WHAT IS MOST IMPORTANT NOW IS TO ELUCIDATE AT WHAT LEVEL AND WHEN DID THE WHITE HOUSE AUTHORIZE THE GENERAL OUTLINE FOR THIS CIA OPERATION.

ON ORDERING A CIA INTERNAL INVESTIGATION AND ANOTHER ONE BY THE INTELLIGENCE OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, WHICH OVERSEES THIS AGENCY OF ESPIONAGE AND SUBVERSION, REAGAN IS ONLY TRYING TO GAIN TIME, EVADE HIS EXECUTIVE RESPONSIBILITY, AND AVOID THE SITUATION BECOMING A FOCAL POINT IN THE DEBATE WITH DEMOCRAT CANDIDATE WALTER MONDALE ON SUNDAY IN KANSAS CITY. (END RECORDING)

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NICARAGUA: NUEZ COMMENTS ON MANUAL, ELECTIONS

[redacted] MANAGUA INTERNATIONAL SERVICE IN SPANISH 2300 GMT 19 OCT 84

(TEXT) DURING A BREAKFAST WITH THE INTERNATIONAL PRESS CLUB OF NICARAGUA, COMMANDER OF THE REVOLUTION CARLOS NUNEZ, PRESIDENT OF THE NICARAGUAN STATE COUNCIL, CHARGED THAT AGGRESSION AGAINST NICARAGUA IS INCREASING AS THE ELECTION DATE DRAWS CLOSER. THE SANDINIST LEADER SAID THAT THE CIA WILL TRY TO CARRY OUT WHAT IT CALLS THE WAR OF THE PACIFIC WITH THE USE OF JET PLANES TO DESTROY MILITARY AND ECONOMIC TARGETS IN THAT REGION.

REGARDING THE MANUAL ON PSYCHOLOGICAL AND TERRORIST OPERATIONS DRAFTED BY THE CIA FOR THE MERCENARIES, NUNEZ SAID THAT IT IS SADISTIC AND MASOCHISTIC BECAUSE IT ATTACKS THE NICARAGUAN PEOPLE WITH REFINED METHODS OF VIOLENCE.

DURING THE BREAKFAST WITH THE FOREIGN CORRESPONDENTS, NUNEZ ALSO DISCUSSED THE ELECTIONS. HE SAID THAT BUILDING A DEMOCRACY IN THE COUNTRY DOES NOT DEPEND ON THE PARTICIPATION OF THE RIGHTIST RAMIRO SACASA GUERRERO DEMOCRATIC COORDINATING BOARD.

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HAVANA TV COMMENTARY SCORES CIA 'MANUAL ON TERRORISM'

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[redacted] HAVANA TELEVISION SERVICE IN SPANISH 1237 GMT 19 OCT 84

(FRANCISCO RAMIREZ AND JAVIER RODRIGUEZ COMMENTARY)

(TEXT) (RAMIREZ) APPARENTLY, THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY, CIA, HAS AGAIN PLACED U.S. PRESIDENT RONALD REAGAN IN A COMPLICATED SITUATION.

INFORMATION ON A MANUAL ON TERRORISM -- PREPARED BY THE CIA AND GIVEN TO THE COUNTERREVOLUTIONARY BANDS WHICH HAVE BEEN ATTACKING NICARAGUA FROM BASES IN HONDURAS -- WAS FIRST HEARD OF ABOUT 1 WEEK AGO. THIS MANUAL CONTAINS FULL INFORMATION ON TERRORIST ACTIONS, SUCH AS PLANS TO ASSASSINATE SANDINIST LEADERS, MASS TERRORISM, BLACKMAIL, AND EVEN INCLUDES PLANS TO HIRE PROFESSIONAL CRIMINALS TO PROVOKE INCIDENTS AND CONFRONTATIONS IN DEMONSTRATIONS.

PUBLIC KNOWLEDGE OF THIS MANUAL HAS GENERATED A POLITICAL STORM IN WASHINGTON. IN CONGRESS, SEVERAL REPUBLICAN AND DEMOCRATIC REPRESENTATIVES HAVE VOICED GREAT CONCERN OVER THE FACT THAT THE UNITED STATES MIGHT APPEAR AS IF ONE OF ITS AGENCIES WERE PREPARING A MANUAL DIRECTED AT UNLEASHING TERRORISM AGAINST A COUNTRY WITH WHICH IT HAS DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS.

IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION HAS IN RECENT TIMES MADE FIGHTING WHAT THEY CALL INTERNATIONAL TERRORISM A PILLAR OF ITS FOREIGN POLICY PROPAGANDA. THEY IDENTIFY INTERNATIONAL TERRORISM WITH THE JUST CAUSE OF THE PEOPLES' NATIONAL LIBERATION MOVEMENTS, AND THEY ALSO MAKE IT A PILLAR OF THE ATTACKS AGAINST THE SOVIET UNION, CUBA, AND NICARAGUA, WHICH THEY BLAME FOR ENCOURAGING SUCH A TYPE OF TERRORISM.

(RODRIGUEZ) I BELIEVE THIS SCANDAL TAKING PLACE IN THE UNITED STATES TODAY IS ONE OF THE WORST ACTIONS CARRIED OUT BY THE CIA AS WELL AS ONE OF THE MOST DEMONSTRATIVE OF THIS AGENCY'S NATURE. ONE MUST BEAR IN MIND THAT THE EXISTENCE OF THIS MANUAL ON TERRORISM WAS NOT REPORTED BY THE SANDINISTS, OR A POLITICIAN FAVORING THE NICARAGUAN CAUSE, BUT BY A U.S. CONGRESSMAN AND THE ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWS AGENCY. NEITHER ONE OF THESE TWO SOURCES CAN BE CALLED ARDENT SUPPORTERS OF SANDINISM.

THIS IS THE CIA'S MAIN LINE OF WORK, THAT IS POLITICAL ASSASSINATION, DESTABILIZATION OF GOVERNMENTS, AND TERRORISM. IT IS A LINE OF WORK WHICH THE CIA HAS CONDUCTED SINCE ITS CREATION. THE MANUAL IS IN GREAT DETAIL. ALL THE INFORMATION WE HAVE READ REPORTS THAT THE INSTRUCTIONS CONTAINED IN THE MANUAL ARE IN GREAT DETAIL. THE MANUAL WAS FOR THE NICARAGUAN COUNTERREVOLUTIONARY BANDS. THE MANUAL EXPLAINS THE MANY WAYS IN WHICH TO CARRY OUT ASSASSINATIONS AGAINST SANDINIST LEADERS, SABOTAGES AGAINST SOCIAL PROPERTY, AGAINST THE NICARAGUAN ECONOMY, AND METHODS TO BLACKMAIL PERSONS TO FORCE THEM TO WORK FOR THE CIA.

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THIS IS NOT A MANUAL WITH WHICH THE UNITED STATES GIVES INFORMATION ON HOW TO HELP A NATION IN ITS ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT. IT IS A MANUAL TO CARRY OUT ASSASSINATIONS AND DESTRUCTION. IN REALITY, THIS IS THE CIA PRESCRIPTION IN CASES OF GOVERNMENTS AND PEOPLES THAT DO NOT FOLLOW THE AMERICAN VIEWS, AND INSTEAD ADOPT AN INDEPENDENT LINE IN DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN POLICIES. THIS IS ONE MORE CASE IN WHICH THIS TYPE OF FORMULA IS APPLIED TO MAINTAIN U.S. DOMINATION OVER A COUNTRY, TO FRUSTRATE ANY TYPE OF DEMOCRATIC, PROGRESSIVE, AND REVOLUTIONARY MOVEMENT IN ANY COUNTRY.

(RAMIREZ) AS YOU SAID, THE MANUAL CONTAINS DETAILED INFORMATION ON HOW TO MURDER AND CARRY OUT ACTS OF TERRORISM. REAGAN WAS FORCED TO ORDER AN INVESTIGATION INTO THE ORIGIN OF THIS MANUAL IN ORDER TO AVOID ONE MORE DISASTER IN FOREIGN POLICY. IN REQUESTING THE INVESTIGATION, REAGAN REQUESTED THE VERIFICATION OF THE POSSIBILITY OF AN INCORRECT BEHAVIOR ON THE PART OF CIA OFFICIALS. HE IS VERY LENIENT. THE REPORT ADDS THAT THE INVESTIGATION WILL REVEAL IF THERE WERE ERRORS IN MANAGMENT. THIS IS THE MANNER IN WHICH THE AMERICAN HEAD OF STATE TERMS THE CIA'S CRIMINAL ACTIONS. BUT, U.S. CONGRESSMEN, SOME OF WHOM HAVE ANOTHER OPINION ON IT, HAVE DECLARED THEY WERE HORRIFIED BECAUSE THE UNITED STATES MIGHT APPEAR AS THE SPONSOR OF SUCH AN ACT.

DEMOCRATIC SENATOR EDWARD KENNEDY HAS REQUESTED AN INVESTIGATGION INTO THE DEGREE OF INVOLVEMENT OF THE PRESIDENT HIMSELF IN THE PREPARATION AND DISTRIBUTION OF THIS MANUAL.

(RODRIGUEZ) NO ONE CAN BELIEVE THAT SUCH AN OPERATION COULD BE FOREIGN TO THE U.S. PRESIDENT. THIS IS TAKING PLACE AT A TIME WHEN PRESIDENT REAGAN IS ATTEMPTING TO MAKE INTERNATIONAL PUBLIC OPINION BELIEVE THAT HE FAVORS PEACEFUL SOLUTIONS IN CENTRAL AMERICA, IN THE DIFFERENCES WITH NICARAGUA, IN GENERAL THAT HE FAVORS PEACEFUL SOLUTIONS WORLDWIDE. ALL THIS IS PART OF THE U.S. ELECTORAL CAMPAIGN WHICH COMES TO AN END ON 6 NOVEMBER. THAT IS WHY HE HAS SAID PUBLICLY THAT HE HAS ORDERED AN INVESTIGATION, AN INVESTIGATION WHICH WILL HAVE REMAIN INCOMPLETE AS IN OTHER CASES.

THIS INCIDENT WILL HAVE AN IMPACT ON THE ELECTORAL CAMPAIGN. AS HAS BEEN SAID, THIS WILL BE ONE OF THE MAIN TOPICS OF THE DEBATE BETWEEN THE U.S. PRESIDENT AND HIS OPPONENT IN THE ELECTION, DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE WALTER MONDALE, NEXT SUNDAY.

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///MONDALE, NEXT SUNDAY.

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(TEXT) (RAMIREZ) THIS IS TAKING PLACE AT A TIME WHEN THE POLLS ARE SHOWING THAT THE GAP BETWEEN THEM IS NARROWING. BUT, RETURNING TO THE CIA MANUAL TOPIC, WE MUST MENTION THAT THIS IS NOT THE FIRST TIME THAT THE CIA HAS BEEN INVOLVED IN THIS TYPE OF CRIMINAL ACT. YOU WILL RECALL THAT DURING THE SEVENTIES THE SENATE REVEALED THAT THE CIA HAD BEEN INVOLVED IN ASSASSINATION PLANS AGAINST FOREIGN LEADERS.

THE APPEARANCE OF THIS MANUAL DEMONSTRATES THAT U.S. FOREIGN POLICY CONTINUES TO BE BASED ON A POSITION OF STRENGTH, A MILITARY SUPERIORITY. THEY DO NOT HAVE ANY OTHER FORMULAS. THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION'S POSITION IS HYPOCRITICAL, THAT IS ORDERING AN INVESTIGATION WHEN IT IS WELL KNOWN IT WILL NOT GO BEYOND A POINT THAT IS NOT CONVENIENT TO THE U.S. HEAD OF STATE.

(RODRIGUEZ) IT MUST ALSO BE STATED THAT THIS MANUAL, THIS OPERATION -- ONE MORE IN THE LONG LIST OF CIA DIRTY TRICKS -- WAS EVEN CONDUCTED WITHOUT THE KNOWLEDGE OF THE U.S. CONGRESS. THE ESTABLISHED PROCEDURE OF INFORMING THE CORRESPONDING U.S. CONGRESS COMMITTEE WAS SIDESTEPPED. THAT IS WHY THE SCANDAL HAS REACHED SUCH PROPORTIONS AMONG U.S. CONGRESSMEN, WHO ARE ASKING THAT CIA DIRECTOR WILLIAM CASEY RESIGN HIS POST BECAUSE THEY FEEL THIS ACTION HAS MADE A MOCKERY OF CONGRESS. WE COULD ADD THAT THIS IS ALSO A MOCKERY OF THE HOPES FOR PEACE OF THE INTERNAIONAL COMMUNITY, OF THE RIGHTS OF THE PEOPLES, AND OF THE HUMAN RIGHTS WHICH THE UNITED STATES BOASTS OF DEFENDING.

SUMMING UP, THIS MANUAL DEMONSTRATES THAT THE CIA IS A TOOL OF DESTRUCTION, A MEANS OF MEDDLING IN THE DOMESTIC AFFAIRS OF OTHER COUNTRIES, AND ALSO DEMONSTRATES TO THE U.S. AND INTERNAITONAL PUBLIC OPINION THE PURPOSE OF THIS AGENCY OPERATED BY A GOVERNMENT WHICH DOES NOT RESPECT OTHER PEOPLES OR COUNTRIES.

(RAMIREZ) CAUGHT RED-HANDED ONCE AGAIN, THE PUBLIC OPINION WILL LEARN WHAT IS BEHIND U.S. CAMPAIGNS ON INTERNAITONAL TERRORISM, WHAT ARE CONCRETE TERRORIST ACTS SPONSORED BY THE UNITED STATES, SUCH AS THE GRENADA INVASION AND OTHER ACTS. THIS MANUAL DEMONSTRATES THAT THE U.S. OBJECTIVE IS TO OVERTHROW NICARAGUA'S SANDINIST GOVERNMENT AND NOTHING ELSE.

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25X1 MANAGUA RADIO CITES U.S .REPRESENTATIVE ON CIA MANUAL

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(TEXT) DEMOCRATIC REPRESENTATIVE EDWARD BOLAND, CHAIRMAN OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVE'S PERMANENT SELECT COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE, SAID THAT THE FINAL OBJECTIVE OF THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION IS TO OVERTHROW THE NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT. AS PROOF OF HIS STATEMENT HE MENTIONED THE MANUAL THAT THE CIA PREPARED ESPECIALLY FOR THE SOMOZIST COUNTERREVOLUTIONARIES. THIS MANUAL EXPLAINS TO THE COUNTERREVOLUTIONARIES HOW TO CARRY OUT THEIR CRIMES AGAINST THE NICARAGUAN PEOPLE.

THE COVER OF THE MANUAL SHOWS THREE ROWS OF HEADS, EACH WITH A BULLET WOUND. THE MANUAL WAS EDITED AND PROVIDED TO THE SOMOZIST MERCENARIES IN 1983. BOLAND SAID THAT THE SECRET WAR DIRECTED TO PREVENT THE ALLEGED SHIPMENT OF WEAPONS TO THE SALVADORAN REBELS IS NOTHING MORE THAN AN EXCUSE TO COVER UP THE FINAL OBJECTIVE, WHICH IS THE DESTRUCTION OF THE NICARAGUAN PROCESS.

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25X1 HAVANA RADIO REPORTS ON CIA MANUAL FOR NICARAGUAN REBELS

[redacted] HAVANA DOMESTIC SERVICE IN SPANISH 1100 GMT 19 OCT 84

(TEXT) FROM WASHINGTON IT HAS BEEN REPORTED THAT PRESIDENT REAGAN, FEARING A NEW FOREIGN POLICY SCANDAL, HAS ORDERED AN INVESTIGATION INTO THE ORIGIN OF A TERRORISM MANUAL SUPPLIED BY THE CIA TO ANTI-SANDINIST TROOPS. A NOTE ISSUED BY THE WHITE HOUSE SAYS THE PRESIDENT HAS ORDERED THAT THE ALLEGED CIA VIOLATION OF ETHICAL STANDARDS BE CONFIRMED.

THE MANUAL, GIVEN BY THE CIA TO NICARAGUAN CONTRAS, GIVES INSTRUCTIONS ON ASSASSINATING SANDINIST GOVERNMENT LEADERS AND ON THE USE OF TERRORIST TACTICS, BLACKMAIL, MASS VIOLENCE, AND CRIMINAL ACTIVITY.

THE REVELATION OF THE PAMPHLET'S EXISTENCE CAUSED A WAVE OF PROTEST IN THE U.S. CONGRESS BECAUSE IT COMES JUST A FEW DAYS BEFORE THE DEBATE BETWEEN REAGAN AND DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE WALTER MONDALE ON FOREIGN POLICY AND DEFENSE.

DEMOCRATIC VICE-PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE GERALDINE FERRARO COMMENTED THAT THE SO-CALLED SECRET WAR OF THE UNITED STATES AGAINST NICARAGUA IS NOT A SECRET; IT IS PROBABLY NOT LEGAL, AND IT IS NOT SUPPORTED BY THE AMERICAN PEOPLE. FERRARO ACCUSED THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION OF MILITARIZING THE CENTRAL AMERICAN CONFLICT, ADDING THAT THE SITUATION SHOULD BE RESOLVED BY PEACEFUL MEANS.

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