President Alfredo Cristiani
San Salvador, El Salvador
Central America

and
The High Command of the FMLN

Thursday, November 16, 1989

We have watched with grave concern news accounts of the death and
destruction that have engulfed El Salvador since Saturday. We
urgently appeal to both the F.M.L.N. and the Salvadoran Government to:

1) heed the appeal of the International Committee of the Red Cross
to allow for the evacuation of wounded from conflictive areas.

2) adhere to the principles of the Geneva Conventions and take every
measure possible to avoid civilian casualties. Specifically, we call
on the F.M.L.N. to allow civilians to leave areas where there is a
continuing guerrilla presence. We also urge the Government to refrain
from aerial attacks against civilian neighborhoods.

3) immediately resume negotiations, at the highest levels, to achieve a
cease-fire and bring about a political settlement to the 10 year old
civil war.

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