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COUNTRY: (U) **ARGENTINA (AR)**

SUBJECT:

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2. ~~(C)~~ IN CLOSING, THE LATEST ACCOUNTING OF OFFICERS/  
NCO'S IN MAGDALENA PRISON, BY MOST DAILIES ON 3 FEB 88,  
IS AS FOLLOWS - 52 OFFICERS (LTC AND BELOW) AND 72  
NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS (NCO'S) ARE STILL IN. 130  
NCO'S HAVE BEEN RELEASED AND SENT BACK TO RESPECTIVE  
PARENT UNITS. THE ARMY HAS ALSO ISSUED A COMMUNIQUE  
DECLARING LTC ARTURO ((GONZALEZ NAYA)) IN REBELLION,  
AND IT IS EXPECTED THE MINISTER OF DEFENSE WILL ORDER  
DROPPING HIM FROM ARMY ROLLS. GONZALEZ NAYA IS STILL  
A FUGITIVE. ANOTHER DAILY REPORTS THAT MILITARY  
PERSONNEL RESPONSIBLE FOR THE REBELLION IN THE 161ST  
AIR DEFENSE ARTILLERY BATTALION IN SAN LUIS, ARE BEING  
TRIED AND THAT SOME OF THEM HAVE BEEN PLACED UNDER  
RIGOROUS PREVENTIVE ARREST.  
EMBASSY COMMENT

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DELAY IN JUDGING RICO FOR EASTER WEEK WAS DUE TO JURISDICTIONAL DISPUTE BETWEEN CIVILIAN AND MILITARY JUSTICE. FACT THAT NEW MILITARY JUDGE WAS MOVING ON RICO CASE AND PLANNED TO RETURN HIM TO STRICT PREVENTIVE DETENTION WAS CATALYST FOR JANUARY REVOLT. THERE SEEMS LITTLE DOUBT THAT STRICT SENTENCES WILL BE HANDED DOWN TO THOSE WHO WERE LEADING PARTICIPANTS IN JANUARY EVENTS. RICO SYMPATHIZERS WHO LAID LOW DURING THOSE DAYS MAY ESCAPE SEVERE PUNISHMENT SIMPLY BECAUSE THERE ARE NO SERIOUS CHARGES WHICH CAN BE BROUGHT AGAINST THEM.  
END EMBASSY COMMENT

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COUNTRY: (U) **ARGENTINA (AR)**

SUBJECT: IIR (b)(3):10 USC 424 ARGARM CRISIS WILL LIKELY LEAD

- TO A SHOOT OUT BETWEEN ARMY UNITS (U)

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2. ~~(C)~~ THE REVOLT BY SOME UNITS OF THE ARGENTINE ARMY BEGAN WITH THE REFUSAL OF MAJOR **ERNESTO ((BARREIRO))** OF THE 14TH AIRBORNE BRIGADE (CORDOBA) TO STAND TRIAL FOR HUMAN RIGHTS ABUSES. OTHER UNITS AROUND THE COUNTRY TOOK A STAND IN SUPPORT OF MAJ BARREIRO, BUT MOST BACKED DOWN WITHIN A DAY. THE ESCUELA DE INFANTERIA OF CAMPO DE MAYO HAS HELD OUT AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT AS OF 1300

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