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	J-3	NWSB	ISA	LA	W/H	CMC	
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1. AR (b)(3):10 USC 424
2. TERRORISM (U)
3. N/A (b)(3):10 USC 424
4. 1975 SEP 17
5. 1975 SEP 17-18 BUENOS AIRES
6. (b)(3):10 USC 424
7. A. PRESS (b)(3):10 USC 424
8. (b)(3):10 USC 424
8. 1975 SEP 18
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11. (b)(3):10 USC 424
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15. (U) A RETIRED AIR FORCE LIEUTENANT COLONEL ROLANDO SEGUENDO SILEONI WAS SHOT DEAD BY TERRORISTS YESTERDAY WHILE

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SHOPPING NEAR HIS HOME. ACCORDING TO THE PRESS, THREE MEN ENTERED A FRUIT STORE AND SINGLED OUT SILEONI FROM THE OTHER CUSTOMERS. THE GUNMEN FIRED A VOLLEY OF SHOTS IN THE SHOP, KILLING THE VICTIM AND WOUNDING SEVERAL BYSTANDERS. SEVERAL NEWSPAPERS IN BUENOS AIRES WERE NOTIFIED BY ANONYMOUS CALLERS THAT THE MURDER WAS COMMITTED BY THE AUGUST 22 LIBERATION ARMY, A GROUP THAT REPORTEDLY SPLINTERED FROM THE ERP IN 1973.

2. ~~(S)~~ ACCORDING TO ONE SOURCE, SILEONI WAS A PROFESSIONAL INTELLIGENCE OFFICER WHO HAD SERVED IN THAT CAPACITY IN VARIOUS POSITIONS, TO INCLUDE ONE IN THE CASA PRESIDENCIAL. AT THE TIME OF HIS DEATH HE WAS WORKING WITH THE DEFENSE MINISTRY. THE SOURCE ADDED THAT SILEONI'S LOSS WILL BE TRAGIC IN THAT HE WAS A VERY BRIGHT AND CAPABLE INDIVIDUAL.

3. ~~(S)~~ CMT: SILEONI'S DENISE IS PROBABLY NOT THE RESULT OF HIS ASSOCIATION WITH THE AIR FORCE. IT IS BELIEVED THAT HE WAS THE DIRECTOR GENERAL OF COUNTER-INTELLIGENCE FOR THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT, WHICH WOULD MAKE HIM A MORE PLAUSIBLE TARGET FOR THE TERRORISTS.

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