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CONDOR"

COUNTRY: LATIN AMERICA/EUROPE

SUBJECT: VISIT OF REPRESENTATIVES OF WEST GERMAN, FRENCH AND BRITISH  
INTELLIGENCE SERVICES TO ARGENTINA TO DISCUSS METHODS FOR  
ESTABLISHMENT OF AN ANTI-SUBVERSIVE ORGANIZATION SIMILAR TO  
"CONDOR"

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COMMENT: OPERATION CONDOR

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IS (A COOPERATIVE EFFORT BY THE INTELLIGENCE SERVICES OF ARGENTINA,  
PARAGUAY, URUGUAY, CHILE, BOLIVIA, PERU AND ECUADOR TO COUNTER TERRORISM  
AND SUBVERSION.) [REDACTED]

REPRESENTATIVES OF [REDACTED] WEST GERMAN, FRENCH AND BRITISH INTELLIGENCE  
SERVICES HAD VISITED THE CONDOR ORGANIZATION SECRETARIAT IN BUENOS AIRES  
DURING THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1977 IN ORDER TO DISCUSS METHODS FOR ES-  
TABLISHMENT OF AN ANTI-SUBVERSIVE ORGANIZATION SIMILAR TO CONDOR. THEY  
WERE ALSO INTERESTED IN ALL THE MANAGEMENT, ADMINISTRATIVE AND TECHNICAL  
ASPECTS RELATED TO CONDOR. [REDACTED] THE INTELLIGENCE SERVICE  
REPRESENTATIVES HAD EXPLAINED [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] THAT THE TERRORIST/  
SUBVERSIVE THREAT HAD REACHED SUCH DANGEROUS LEVELS IN EUROPE THAT THEY  
BELIEVED IT BEST IF THEY POOLED THEIR INTELLIGENCE RESOURCES IN A  
COOPERATIVE ORGANIZATION SUCH AS CONDOR. THEY EMPHASIZED, HOWEVER, THAT  
IF SUCH AN ORGANIZATION WERE ESTABLISHED, ALL THEIR OPERATIONS AGAINST  
SUBVERSIVES WOULD BE CLOSELY COORDINATED SO THAT THE SERVICE OF ONE  
COUNTRY WOULD NOT OPERATE UNILATERALLY IN ANOTHER COUNTRY. [REDACTED]

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COMMENT:

THERE IS NO INFORMATION AVAILABLE TO CONFIRM THE REPORTED  
VISIT OF THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE FRENCH INTELLIGENCE SERVICE TO  
ARGENTINA, AND THERE IS NO KNOWLEDGE OF ANY FRENCH INTENTION TO FORM  
A CONDOR-TYPE ORGANIZATION WITH THE BRITISH OR WEST GERMANS. IT IS  
POSSIBLE, HOWEVER, INASMUCH AS THIS TYPE OF ORGANIZATION WOULD BE OF  
INTEREST TO THE FRENCH EXTERNAL INTELLIGENCE SERVICE (SDECE).)

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