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COUNTRY El Salvador

DATE DISTR. 20 January 1973

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SUBJECT

Creation of the Communist-Controlled Student Society of San Salvador

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SOURCE

1. A meeting held in an auditorium of the Municipal Government of San Salvador on 21 January 1973 was sponsored by the University Action Front (FAU), an organization controlled by the Communist Party of El Salvador (PCES), and was attended by approximately 500 young people who expect to be admitted as students in the University of El Salvador (UES) when the latter finally reopens. The purpose of the FAU-sponsored meeting was to permit the PCES to seize the initiative in organizing UES students through the creation of a FAU-controlled united student front. In its efforts to achieve a dominating role among UES students, FAU has already formed small student groups in seven of the fourteen departments of El Salvador and, with the 21 January 1973 meeting in San Salvador, initiated an effort to tie its departmental organizations together in a single UES student society.

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2. The 21 January 1973 meeting, which was not attended by elements of the militant left, approved under FAU direction the formation of the Student Society of San Salvador. The new Society's leadership is as follows:

Secretary General - Dagoberto Gutierrez, EL SALVADOR  
Secretary General of FAU, UNIVERSITY ACTION FRONT

Secretary of Organization - Julia Mercedes Alvarenga

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Secretary for Public Relations - Manuel Ramirez Franco (normally known as Manuel Franco)

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Secretary of Organization of FAU

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Secretary for Propaganda - Jose Arias

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Secretary for Education - Jose Adan Marquina

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Secretary of Finance - Salvador Calderon

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3. The leadership of the Student Society of San Salvador set for itself the following tasks for the immediate future:

a. To send an open letter to the UES Normalization Commission with copies to the public media. (Source Comment: This has already been done.)

b. To prepare and distribute a Society bulletin. (Source Comment: This has already been done.)

c. To expand its present organizational structure.

d. To organize political discussions.

4. [redacted] Comment: [redacted]

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since the above-mentioned 21 January 1973 meeting, UES student groups have been formed in several of the suburban areas of San Salvador. [redacted] the objective of the new student society is to achieve general public recognition and acceptance as the representative of the UES student body.)

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5. [redacted] Comment: Through careful recruiting and procedural reform, the GOES may be able to overhaul the University structure - its success in overhauling the students and their traditionally anti-government leanings is less than assured.)

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