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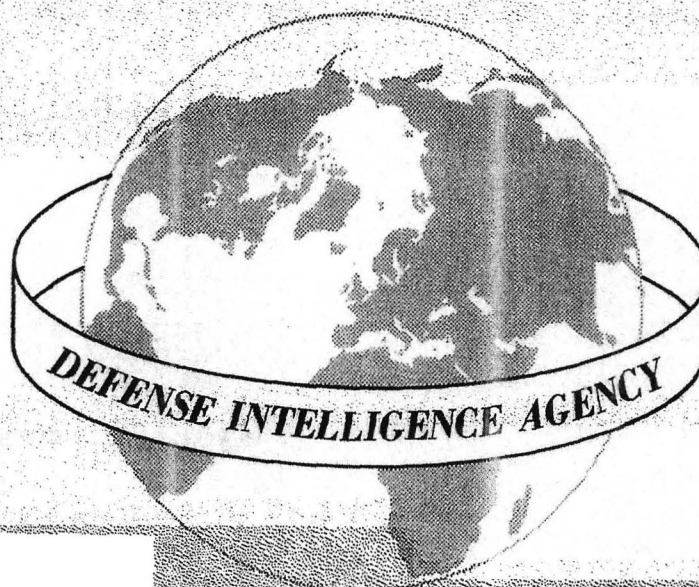
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ARGENTINA

TERRORIST CAMPAIGN.

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~~(S//NF, NDA, CD//INSIGHT)~~ A plan designed by leftist groups to seize a part of Argentina and to declare it a liberated zone has reportedly been uncovered  
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~~(S//NF, NDA, CD//INSIGHT)~~ The scheme, entitled "Argentinazo," which is to be carried out during the 15 to 25 August period, allegedly has been planned jointly by the country's principal terrorist organizations, the People's Revolutionary Army, the Revolutionary Armed Forces, and the Montoneros. Accordingly, these elements are believed to be prepared to commit all of their forces to the fulfillment of the plan.

~~(S//NF, NDA, CD//INSIGHT)~~ The terrorists have based their plot on the expectation that by mid-August economic conditions will be in such a deteriorated condition that a state of discontent among urban industrial workers will exist which they can exploit in order to achieve their goal. The country's worsening economic situation, stimulated by inflation and rising unemployment, has begun to take its toll. Some firms have been forced to cut back production and layoff workers, or cease operations because of their inability to pay wage increases recently won by labor. The deepening economic crisis is affecting the ability of labor leaders to control their rank and file, and discontent is likely to spread unless the government produces positive steps in correcting the conditions in the near future. If remedial action is not taken, the working classes could reflect their grievances in mass action or widespread strikes, which could be exploited by these leftist organizations.

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~~(S/NED)~~ The military claim that significant links exist between the leftists and certain high officials and political and trade union leaders. Recent Defense Attache reporting reveals that the primary concern of the commanders of the armed forces at this time is not the political situation but subversion. The Argentine military perceive a leftist menace to the government, and recent escalations in terrorist activities is increasing military sensitivity to the issue. They are currently considering intensifying their antisubversive effort.

~~(S/NED)~~ Although there is no firm evidence that these leftist terrorist organizations have collaborated in conducting their activities in the past, it is conceivable that they could do so now if they thought that their goal of overthrowing the government had some chance of success. Nonetheless, the military--having gained prior knowledge of the terrorist plot "Argentinazo" --appear determined to take firm action to crush it. ~~(NEDS-1-3-2)~~

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