SECRET OCT 78 CITE SANTIAGO
IMMEDIATE

1. FOLL IS CHRONOLOGY OF EVENTS ON 12 OCTOBER.
2. PICKED UP AT HOURS WHERE AND WERE WAITING.
   RETURNED OVER 2 PACKAGES (TEAR GAS AND GAS MASKS) TO
   JOINED OTHER TWO CHILEANS IN THEIR VEHICLE AND
   LEFT SITE. RETURNED TO WHERE GENERAL
   CAMILO VALANZUELA HAD IN MEANWHILE CALLED TO SAY THAT HE WOULD
   BE VISITING AT 2230 HOURS.
3. VALANZUELA ARRIVED PUNCTUALLY. REMINDED OF LAST
   TALK WHEN HE HAD PROMISED TO ALERT WHEN ARMY READY TO
   ACT. THIS NOW THE CASE. FOLL WAS PLAN:
   A. GENERAL SCHNEIDER INVITED TO STAG PARTY AT ARMY VIP
      HOUSE EVENING 19 OCTOBER AT 2130 HOURS.
   B. WHEN ARRIVING AT VIP HOUSE, SCHNEIDER WILL BE ABDUCTED.
   C. SCHNEIDER WILL BE TAKEN TO WAITING AIRPLANE AND FLOWN
D. Valenzuela will announce to assembled generals that Schneider had disappeared and that General Carlos Prats to succeed Schneider as CINC Proteo.

E. [Redacted] to keep Carabineros away from VIP house area to insure that abduction will not be interfered with.

F. On 20 October Cabinet will resign. Only Zaldivar (Finance) and Figueroa (Economy) will stay.

G. All other Cabinet posters will be given to members of Armed Forces and Police.

H. General Schaffhauser, Chief of Staff of Army, will be appointed Minister of Public Works.

I. General Urbina [Redacted] will be relieved of command of Second Division in Santiago and appointed Chief of Staff vice Schaffhauser.

J. On 21 October, Frei will renounce presidency and leave Chile [Redacted]

K. On 22 October, Military Junta headed by [Redacted]
L. Captain Raúl Lopez will be appointed CINC Navy which automatically results in retirement of all admirals.

M. Generals Huerta and Valenzuela will stay in their present positions.

N. General Joaquin Garcia will be appointed CINC Air Force.

M. Junta will dissolve Congress (Valenzuela commented that this would be military's only unconstitutional act).

4. General Viaux knowledgeable of above operation but not directly involved. He has been sent to Vina to stay with prominent physician. Will be seen in public places during 19 and 20 October to demonstrate fact that above operation not his doing. Will be allowed to return to Santiago at end of week.

5. Military will not admit involvement in Schneider's abduction which is to be blamed on leftists. Almost immediately, Carabineros will institute search for Schneider in all of
CHILE, USING THIS SEARCH AS PRETEXT TO RAID COMMUNIST
CONTROLLED POBLACIONES. EXTREME LEFTIST AND RIGHTIST
LEADERSHIP WILL BE PICKED UP AND DISPATCHED ACROSS BORDER.
ACCORDING VALENZUELA, ONLY FOLLOWING HAVE BEEN BRIEFED ON
PLAN: [REDACTED], [REDACTED] AND VALENZUELA. [REDACTED]
SURMISES THAT [REDACTED] AND [REDACTED] ALSO CLUED IN AND THAT
THEY IN TURN BRIEFED [REDACTED].

6. VALENZUELA DWELT AT LENGTH UPON JUNTA'S PROGRAM
(WHICH FAIRLY COMMONPLACE AND THEREFORE NOT REPORTED IN THIS
MESSAGE).

7. IF SCHNEIDER'S ABDUCTION SUCCESSFUL, VALENZUELA WILL
GET IN TOUCH WITH [REDACTED] MORNING 28 OCTOBER
TO BE PAID 259,888. PRICE AGREED UPON BETWEEN
PLOTTERS AND UNIDENTIFIED TEAM OF ABDUCTORS.

8. [REDACTED]

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