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yes, all were released unharmed. It appears that they were Sendero, although no one has really confirmed that because none were captured and there have been no reliable reports yet of the captive's stories. Sendero fled and the army moved in. The WSJ report was in error when they reported 30 were released, at that time. The army is pursuing the kidnappers. Army plans to increase security for this area of pipeline. TGA has not disclosed if any sort of ransom was paid; there are reports of that, but it may be that army closing in caused Sendero to flee. Please feel free to contact me if you have further questions. Hal, deskoff at 647-4177

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Denise--

I believe that info is dated. I think that info was correct at one time (i.e. the WSJ report of hostage release was premature), but the Peruvian authorities confirmed to the Embassy yesterday (June 11) that all hostages are now free and unharmed. Hal, anything to add? Alan

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The DOC Peru desk officer spoke with our staff in Peru Wed. and was told that the WSJ article about the hostages being released was wrong. They are still being held. Does anyone know differently?

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