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SUBJECT: MEETING WITH PAZ BARNICA ON CONTADORA

1. ~~SECRET~~ - ENTIRE TEXT.
2. AMBASSADOR MET WITH GOH FOREIGN MINISTER PAZ BARNICA JULY 3 TO REVIEW STATUS OF CONTADORA, FOLLOW-UP ON AMBASSADOR SHLAUDEMAN'S VISIT AND SO FORTH.
3. AS FIRST TOPIC OF BUSINESS PAZ BARNICA PROVIDED AMBASSADOR WITH COPY OF GRN COMMUNIQUE ON MANZANILLO TALKS WHICH HAD BEEN SENT TO THE GOH BY NICARAGUAN EMBASSY IN TEGUCIGALPA. PAZ SAID THAT PRESIDENT SUAZO HAD ASKED EXPLICITLY THAT THE COMMUNIQUE BE BROUGHT TO AMBASSADOR'S ATTENTION.
4. NEXT, PAZ BARNICA PROVIDED AMBASSADOR COPY OF JULY 27 TELEX FROM VENEZUELAN FOREIGN MINISTER IN WHICH LATTER REJECTS HONDURAN AND SALVADORAN PROPOSALS FOR RENEWED NEGOTIATIONS ON THE CONTADORA DRAFT AT VICE MINISTERIAL LEVEL. (SEE CARACAS 5734). PAZ CHARACTERIZED MORALES PAUL'S REACTION AS ONE OF DISREGARD FOR CENTRAL AMERICAN VIEWS.
5. FINALLY, PAZ PROVIDED AMBASSADOR WITH A DRAFT CONTAINING PRELIMINARY GOH COMMENTS ON THE DRAFT CONTADORA TREATY. TEXT OF DRAFT WILL BE TRANSMITTED SEPTEL.

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