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ONE MIGHT CALL ADVENTURES ABROAD, RATHER THAN DEFENSIVE PURPOSES, THEN THAT WOULD CERTAINLY BE A MATTER THAT WOULD HAVE TO BE CONSIDERED VERY CAREFULLY. I KNOW ONE COUNTRY WHERE WE DID REDUCE AND FINALLY TERMINATE AN AID RELATIONSHIP BECAUSE IT WAS FINANCING, WHAT WE THOUGHT, WERE FORCES ABROAD.

Q: WHAT WOULD BE CDAS POSITION IF THE USA CARRIED OUT AN INTERVENTION IN NICARAGUA SUCH AS THE ONE CARRIED OUT IN GRENADA?

DPM: WELL LET ME TELL YOU WHAT CDAS ATTITUDE WAS ON THE INVASION OF GRENADA. WE THOUGHT IT WAS UNJUSTIFIED AND IT HAD NO BASIS ON INNATL LAW, AND WE SAID SO.

Q: HAS THE CDN GOVT TAKEN A DECISION ABOUT THE MINING OF THE HARBOURS IN NICARAGUA?

DPM: WELL, IVE ALREADY SAID THAT WE OPPOSE IT, OF COURSE. WE DONT LIKE WHATS HAPPENING, WE DISAPPROVE OF IT, WE THINK ITS A VIOLATION OF INNATL LAW, AND WE MADE THOSE VIEW, OUR CONCERN KNOWN TWO WEEKS AGO, AT LEAST.

Q: ABOUT THE REFUGEES—HONDURAS IS FACING A DIFFICULT PROBLEM OF REFUGEES AND APPARENTLY CDA HAD OFFERED TO DO SOMETHING TO HELP, AND THIS HAS NOT/NOT BEEN CLARIFIED, APPARENTLY THERE WAS A PROGRAM OF PERHAPS TAKING A THOUSAND REFUGEES A YEAR, ARE THERE ANY PROJECTS, IS CDA THINKING OF DOING SOMETHING ABOUT THIS TO HELP HONDURAS?

DPM: WE ARE AWARE OF THE ADDITIONAL BURDEN THAT HONDURAS IS CARRYING
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