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Notes on El Salvador:

- 1) These NY Times reports point to a cover-up.
- 2) Unless something dramatic happens soon, justice will not be done in the Jesuit case.
- 3) President Cristiani needs to make it crystal clear to the <sup>Salvadoran</sup> military that they are not above the law. Every person who has any information or who is thought to have information on this case must be questioned. If the military is reluctant to cooperate, Cristiani must demand that they cooperate.
- 4) Col. Ponce, the chief of staff of the Army, told the Task Force that the military was cooperating fully with the investigation. Is this what he means by cooperating fully? Transferring key witness abroad so that they cannot testify? Ponce, as well, must demand that his men abide by the law/
- 5) The U.S. must make it clear to the Salvadoran army that its future military aid is on the verge of being cut substantially. It seems obvious that Congressional threats of cutting aid are not enough -- Congress must vote to cut it, so the military will know we are serious.

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