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REQUEST FOR THE INCLUSION OF AN ADDITIONAL ITEM
IN THE AGENDA OF THE THIRTY-FOURTH SESSION

ASSISTANCE FOR THE RECONSTRUCTION OF NICARAGUA

Letter dated 4 September 1979 from the Acting Permanent Representative of Panama to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

As you know, as a result of a bloody civil war, the fraternal Republic of Nicaragua is facing a very serious human, economic and social situation which calls for decisive and urgent measures of solidarity on the part of the international community.

The extent of the tragedy has been described in your report dated 21 August 1979.

In support of the efforts which you are making, the Latin American Group has decided to raise before the United Nations General Assembly itself the question of the need for immediate and effective assistance for the reconstruction of the Republic of Nicaragua.

In this connexion, as representative of the Latin American Group, I formally request, in accordance with rule 15 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly, the inclusion of an item of an important and urgent character entitled "Assistance for the reconstruction of Nicaragua" for consideration at the thirty-fourth session.

I should be grateful if you would regard this note as the explanatory memorandum referred to in rule 20 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly and would arrange for it to be circulated as an official document of the General Assembly.

(Signed) Dídimo RIOS
Ambassador
Acting Permanent Representative