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On Nov. 8, a spokesperson for the attorney general's office (Procuraderia General de la Republica, PGR) reported that in the past 11 months federal and local police have recovered more than 4,300 prehispanic artifacts stolen from southeastern archeological sites. According to the spokesperson, the archeological pieces, including jewels, were recovered just before they were to be sold to foreign collectors for large sums of money. The artifacts had been taken principally from sites in Quintana Roo, Chiapas, Tabasco and Campeche states. (Source: Spanish news service EFE, 11/08/92)

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