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On June 1, Ecuadoran President Rodrigo Borja ordered bus and taxi drivers to return to work or face jail sentences of up to three years, and confiscation of their vehicles. Independent transport workers union members had staged the strike to protest rising living costs. On Thursday, police arrested about 50 people. (Basic data from Xinhua, 06/02/89)

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