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On July 23, the German Christian Community of Berlin, in a paid ad directed at "death squads and the authorities," offered a \$1000 reward for information on the whereabouts of Luis Miguel Pajarito, director of the Guatemalan National Council of Displaced Persons. A reward for the same amount was also offered for information on Diego Velasquez, a leader of the University of San Carlos employees' union. Pajarito and Velasquez were abducted in May and June, respectively, by unidentified armed men. The Mutual Support Group of Families of the Disappeared (GAM) alleges that death squads are responsible for Pajarito's disappearance. (Basic data from AFP 07/23/90; Guatemala Human Rights Commission, 07/16/90 report)

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