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On Nov. 19 daily newspaper La Prensa reported that recompa and recontra leaders signed a non-aggression pact Nov. 18 at a former army base in Jinotega department. The agreement specifies an end to attacks on agricultural cooperatives, collaboration with the army to recover weapons from civilians, pursuit of interests and demands via legal procedures and dialogue, and termination of illegal activities. The pact came after several days of clashes between the two sides in northern Nicaragua, resulting in the deaths of 15 people. Recompa leader signatories included "Bronson," "Charlie," "Camilo," "Miguel Angel," "Fiera del Norte," "Johny," "Negrito" and "Panama." The recontras were represented by "Culebron," "Tigrillo," "Campeon," "Dimas," "Bigote de Oro," "Bolivar" and "Jackson." Recontra leader "Indomable" was not present. (Basic data from Agence France-Presse, ACAN-EFE, 11/19/91)

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