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## **Rebels Turn Over Murder Weapon Used In Assassination Of U.S. Military Advisors**

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On April 8 in Chinameca, Judge Dinora Andrade told reporters that the Farabundo Marti National Liberation Front (FMLN) had turned over the presumed murder weapons in the case of two US military advisers killed by rebel combatants in January 1991 in San Miguel department. The FMLN also provided court officials with weapons, maps, flight plans and other objects taken from the helicopter downed by rebel fire. In addition, Andrade said she received cassette tapes and transcripts compiled by the FMLN which contain testimony of persons present during the incident. The two rebels accused of committing the assassinations, Severiano Fuentes (Aparicio) and Ferman Hernandez (Porfirio) turned themselves over to Salvadoran judicial authorities March 17. [See CAU 03/20/92 for previous coverage.] (Basic data from Agence France-Presse, Agencia Centroamericana de Noticias-Spanish news service EFE, 04/08/92)

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