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On July 28, spokespersons for human rights groups told reporters that a campesino who had been disappeared in early July was found dead over the weekend near Santo Domingo, Intibuca department. According to the spokespersons, Juan Humberto Sanchez was tortured and then "executed" by his captors. His body was found floating in a well, hands and feet bound, with clear signs of torture, and a bullet shot in the head. In mid-July, the Committee of Relatives of the Disappeared (COFADEH) denounced that Sanchez had been abducted by armed men in military uniforms. According to relatives, Sanchez was picked up by military personnel stationed at the local army barracks. Several independent human rights groups have demanded that the administration of President Rafael Callejas conduct an investigation into the Sanchez murder. (Source: Agencia Centroamericana de Noticias-Spanish news service EFE, 07/28/92)

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