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SUBJECT: BOLIVIA INVITED TO ATTEND JUNE, 1974 OPEC CONFERENCE

1. MIN ENERGY AND HYDROCARBONS STATED TO PRESS ON MAY 30,  
BOLIVIA IS INVITED TO ATTEND AS OBSERVER CONFERENCE OF OPEC  
SCHEDEDULE FOR MID JUNE AT QUITO, ECUADOR.

2. SAID VENEZUELA AND ECUADOR ARE ONLY LATIN AMERICAN COUNTRIES  
WHO ARE MEMBERS OF OPEC AND THIS IS FIRST STEP FOR BOLIVIA TO  
GAIN FULL MEMBERSHIP. ADDED OPEC PRODUCES 53 PERCENT OF  
WORLD'S PETROLEUM PRODUCTION, MANAGES 90 PERCENT OF PETROLEUM  
EXPORTS AND HAVE 74 PERCENT OF CRUDE WORLD RESERVES.

2. COMMENTED THAT IF BOLIVIA HAD BELONGED TO ORGANIZATION OF  
THIS TYPE REGARDING TIN PRODUCTION, BOLIVIA'S ECONOMIC  
CONDITION WOULD HAVE BEEN QUITE DIFFERENT.

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