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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MILI BL

SUBJECT: NEW COMMANDER, U.S. MILITARY GROUP, BOLIVIA

REF: STATE 51854

1. I CONCUR ASSIGNMENT COL. JAMES H. SHAHA AS NEW COMMANDER  
U.S. MILITARY GROUP, BOLIVIA. HIS BACKGROUND, PROFESSIONAL  
SKILLS, AREA KNOWLEDGE AND LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY MEET THE  
REQUIREMENTS I BELIEVE ARE NECESSARY FOR NEW MILGP COMMANDER.

2. I APPRECIATE THE RESPONSIVENESS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF  
DEFENSE IN NOMINATING COL. SHAHA FOR THIS POSITION.  
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