## STATEMENT OF U.S. PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE AMBASSADOR LUIGI R. EINAUDI

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Assistant Secretary Bernard Aronson is traveling to Lima today. He will meet Saturday with President Fujimori and other Peruvian officials. The purpose of Assistant Secretary Aronson's visit is to convey in clear and detailed direct discussion the position of the United States and its full support for the OAS resolution and the OAS Mission.

Mr. Aronson will urge Peruvians to work with the OAS Mission to develop a solution that all democratic parties in Peru can accept, in accordance with the OAS Resolution. He will also point out that a democratic solution is necessary before the international community can resume its support for Peru.

Mr. Aronson is not going to Peru to mediate -- that is the task of the OAS Mission.

Mr. Aronson will hold a press conference in Lima to report on his meetings. He will return to Washington on Sunday.