Council of Ministers Resolution No. 88 approving free military aid delivery to Nicaragua, 16 May 1980

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COUNCIL OF MINISTERS

RESOLUTION № 88 16 May 1980

REFERENCE: Rendering free aid to Nicaragua

THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS ORDERS:

1. To render Nicaragua free assistance – military-technical equipment at the amount of 1 572 000 leva, as per Enclosure.

The Ministry of defense and the Ministry of supplies and state reserves – Main Directorate of the state reserve, shall provide the equipment and deliver it in appropriate packing to the Ministry of foreign trade – "Kintex".

The Ministry of foreign trade – "Kintex" shall organize transportation of equipment to Nicaragua.

The Ministry of finance shall provide "Kintex" with funds in leva and foreign currency to cover transportation expenses.

The State planning committee and the Ministry of finance shall replenish the stocks of equipment of the Ministry of defense in 1980 and 1981.

2. The Ministry of people's defense shall sent three military doctors to Nicaragua for one year to render support to the medical service in the Nicaraguan

armed forces, and shall enroll nine doctors from Nicaragua in specialization

programs in our country - four doctors for 3 years and 5 - for one year. All

expenses shall be covered by our country.

The State planning committee and the Ministry of finance shall provide

necessary funds in leva and foreign currency to pay for the salaries, transportation

and other expenses of the Bulgarian and Nicaraguan military doctors.

The Ministry of foreign trade – "Technoimpex" shall be responsible for

sending and covering the allowance of the three Bulgarian military doctors, as per

Regulations for conditions for work of Bulgarian citizens abroad, approved by the

Council of Ministers in 1975. Payment shall be 10 % higher than payment to

civilian specialists.

Sofia, May 1980

PRIME MINISTER:

[Stanko Todorov]

CC BCP Secretariat Resolution No. B-10 from 18 April 1980

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