

EIR Special Report

Mexico's PAN: Soviet asset sparks border violence

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Beginning on or about June 7, one month before the Mexican "mid-term" elections, violence will break out on the Mexican side of the Mexican-U.S. border. At first it will be sporadic, but as the date for the elections approaches, it will reach a fever pitch. The July 7 elections, besides choosing a new Federal Chamber of Deputies (the equivalent of the U.S. House of Representatives), will choose over a half-dozen governors; by this date, the violence and charges of election fraud will become a major international news story. In the aftermath of the elections, an upheaval will be deliberately created: Refugees will stream to the U.S. side, tourism in Mexico will be almost totally eliminated; capital flight will intensify, along with a financial panic that will aggravate the already devastating economic hardships and social turmoil.

The principal agent that is being used to carry out this scenario is the National Action Party (PAN) of Mexico. Through several fronts, the PAN, according to high-level law enforcement officials and intelligence sources on both sides of the border, has recruited a small army of 60,000 "shock troops." The major front group for the organization of the shock troops is DHIAC (Desarrollo Humano Integral, A.C.), which has acted on previous occasions as a paramilitary organization doing the PAN's dirty work. Furthermore, in addition to large-scale arms-trafficking to Mexico, during the last six months law enforcement agencies in the United States have noted a 500 to 600 per day flow of non-military-issue small arms, in large part destined for the PAN-linked shock troops and smaller allied parties.

Of course the "revolution" that is being planned has nothing to do with the myth about the supposedly pro-U.S. and pro-business PAN trying to get a fair shake from a supposedly corrupt, pro-socialist Mexican system that will simply not give up its dictatorial one-party rule. In fact, the PAN, which was Nazi at its inception and was as virulently anti-American then as it is now, is today one of the major Soviet assets in the Western Hemisphere. Like other key Soviet assets, the PAN is now an integral part of the Western Hemisphere's drug-running apparatus, whose goal is the destruction of the United States (see article, page 29).



The PAN is the party of Mexico's dope-pushers, and is allied with the communists to destabilize the nation. Here, PAN leaders from Sonora attend a 1984 dinner honoring notorious drug-runner Chato Antúnez (second from left). On the far left is the PAN mayor of Hermosillo, Casimiro Navarro; second from the right is PAN gubernatorial candidate Adalberto Rosas.

How strategically important the PAN is to the Soviets can be seen by investigating how the scenario is intended to unfold: The violence and destabilization on the Mexican border—magnified a thousand times by the Eastern Establishment's press sewers—will stampede the Congress and U.S. public opinion into forgetting the "Vietnam syndrome" and going hog-wild in Central America. Or as Cord Meyer, part of a group of friends of KGB agent Kim Philby still functioning within Western intelligence, wrote in the *Washington Times* on Feb. 22, 1985: "If Mexico itself becomes potentially unstable and its internal divisions susceptible to foreign exploitation, then an alarmed majority in Congress would be prepared to do whatever is necessary to ensure that our 2,000-mile common border with Mexico remains peaceful and secure. . . ." This, because the United States is supposed to be shaken to its roots by the specter of "hordes" (the word now in vogue in Washington) of non-Anglo refugees streaming across the Mexican border.

The Kissinger scenario

The United States is then supposed to find itself in agreement with Henry Kissinger, that Central America is *the* vital strategic area for the United States. Of course once direct U.S. military involvement in Central America occurs, the United States will essentially be pitted in a war against all of Ibero-America, and the Vietnam War will indeed look small by comparison. This, of course, will redefine the U.S. strategic posture and require the pull-out of most U.S. troops and military presence from Western Europe. At that point, the Soviets will have won Europe, and with that the political-

economic-military domination of the world!

The scenario is not new. In 1912, long before there was a Soviet Union, the Mexican foreign minister wrote:

[I] have received news from well-informed circles, according to which Germany is pushing the United States to intervene in Mexico, with the objective of committing the U.S. to a prolonged war, in that way making the U.S. the object of hate throughout Latin America. While the U.S. would be involved in that trap, Germany would try to present itself as the savior of the Latin American countries, and would try to initiate colonizations and annexations in Latin America.

Today, the same deadly plot is being scripted by the descendants of the same European oligarchical interests who were manipulating the United States against the Mexican nation before World War I.

Apart from the strategic setting, the on-the-ground reports of the current Mexican electoral campaign would prove even to a baboon that the PAN is a Soviet asset. Late reports from the state of Sonora show that the PRI (Revolutionary Institutional Party) and PAN candidates for governor have agreed to run a "clean campaign." Yet in the immediate aftermath of that agreement, the PAN deployed, as its dirty tricks apparatus, the communist party of Mexico, otherwise known as the PSUM (Unified Socialist Party of Mexico). From the state of Nuevo León, where the PAN is claiming that the race for governor is hotly contested, we have news that the PAN and PSUM have officially joined a pact for "democracy"! In the state of Sinaloa, PAN radio ads are

blaring continuous support for the historical hero of the ultra-left, Emiliano Zapata, and for "university autonomy." The latter plank is to provide the PSUM leader Liberato Teran with the necessary backing to win the rectorship of the University of Sinaloa. According to Mexican authorities and other law enforcement agencies, under PSUM tutelage the University of Sinaloa has been for many years the major factory in the Mexican northwest turning out terrorists and drug-runners.

PAN supporters in the U.S.A.

This magazine has, for the last several years, highlighted the U.S. support apparatus for the PAN, led by Kissinger. Now we will expose the latest moves by this treasonous grouping, which is simultaneously backing a Soviet asset and attacking an ally and neighbor of the United States:

State Department: In February of this year, the State Department "human rights" report on Mexico repeated the charge of human rights abuses by the government, citing as its sources the communist PSUM and a host of other organizations that are considered even more extremist than the PSUM! The State Department also has a standing policy of backing the PAN and pressuring for "pluralism" in Mexico. The officials who have stated this policy include, among others, George High. Nancy Mason of the Mexico Desk, at last report, was retailing the lie that the PAN gubernatorial candidate in Sonora is a shoo-in on July 7. Others, like Mary Anne Gustafson of the Human Rights Bureau, are busy spreading rumors about the massive "corruption" of Mexico's Presidents. These State Department rumors are usually embroidered by the U.S. press and then published by the PAN as "facts."

AFL-CIO: According to Cord Meyer, his good friends at the international office of the AFL-CIO are convinced that the PRI and the government of Mexico are "too corrupt," and so a revolutionary change is necessary. As late as February, a high-ranking AFL-CIO official visited Mexico and came back to Washington insisting on the correctness of the above "analysis." The AFL-CIO is theoretically the sister organization of the CTM (Mexican Workers' Confederation), the pillar of the PRI and the government—but under Kissinger-stooge Lane Kirkland, the AFL-CIO is now committed to the "PAN scenario."

FBI: As documented in the pages of this magazine earlier this year, the FBI was the agency responsible for the assassination of U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration agent Enrique Camarena (*EIR*, April 9, "Probe role of DEA's Mullen in coverup of Camarena murder"). The FBI's actions were necessitated by the need to cover up what has now become public: the FBI's connections to the PAN and drug-trafficking. In a statement on this case on May 28, the head of the Federal Judicial Police, Manuel Ibarra Herrera, declared: "These people have already reached certain economic levels and now figure as industrialists or bankers. They are

people that are apparently respectable—they are the famous white-collar criminals." Ibarra Herrera went on to note that even though these individuals are now completely known to the authorities, because of their "respectability," it is difficult to find legal evidence against them.

Manuel Caro Quintero, the hood responsible for carrying out the assassination of Camarena, has confessed that among his associates is banker Arcadio Valenzuela, former president of the Mexican Bankers' Association, and closely associated with the PSD (Social-Democratic Party). The PSD was founded by U.S. "businessman" Charles Henry Lee, who from World War II until his death a few years ago was the top man in Mexico of the FBI's Foreign Intelligence Division. The PSD is merely another front for the PAN! In many cities in Mexico, the PSD has its offices in the same buildings as top PAN operatives. Connected to the above grouping is a prominent FBI-run homosexual ring that includes a powerful under-secretary of state in the federal government. This network is provided by the FBI with doctored files—to blackmail parties and individuals into supporting the PAN, or at least not attacking it—and is counted on by the FBI as its major resource in the current "PAN border-violence" scenario.

Council on Inter-American Security: The Council serves as a major conduit for Kissinger-KGB operations against U.S. conservative and patriotic layers. We quote Lyn Bouchey, director of the Council: "The situation is getting very hot. . . . It has reached critical mass for the PAN. . . . They will definitely win Nuevo León. . . . The administration is expressing great indecision, so some of us are taking initiatives. . . . I've been talking to some people about setting up an Inter-American Commission on Mexican Civil and Political Rights. I've talked to the PAN about it. I think I have convinced the former foreign minister of Costa Rica to head it up, and I have a prominent Canadian lined up. The idea, basically, is a Mexico-bashing operation and PRI-bashing." Bouchey is working with U.S. "journalist" Sol Sanders (see article, page 33).

Heritage Foundation: Another Kissinger-KGB conduit into the Reagan administration. In a recent interview, Esther Wilson stated that the Heritage Foundation supported the PAN's efforts to take over the government of Mexico, but "the only problem is that President Reagan thinks he can still deal with the PRI." The Heritage Foundation is also working with Sol Sanders on the project.

Center for Strategic and International Studies: The CSIS, part of Washington, D.C.'s Jesuit-run Georgetown University, is sponsoring a year-long project on Mexico under the direction of Georges Fauriol. This will be highlighted by a conference on "Politics and Parties in Mexico" this summer. The CSIS operations, which involve Kissinger, Zbigniew Brzezinski, and Jeane Kirkpatrick, among others, are well-coordinated to promote the "PAN border-violence" scenario.