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CONSPIRACY TO IMPORT AND POSSESS WITH INTENT TO DELIVER COCAINE; POSSESSION WITH INTENT TO DELIVER COCAINE; MONEY LAUNDERING; RACKETEERING INFLUENCED AND CORRUPT ORGANIZATIONS (RICO) - DRUG TRAFFICKING; CONSPIRACY TO MANUFACTURE OR DISTRIBUTE COCAINE ABROAD WITH KNOWLEDGE OR INTENT THAT IT BE IMPORTED INTO THE UNITED STATES

DIEGO LEON MONTOYA SANCHEZ

Aliases: Diego Montoya, Diego Sanchez-Montoya, "Don Diego", "El Señor de la Guerra", "El Ciclista"

DESCRIPTION

Dates of Birth:	January 11, 1958; January 11, 1961	**Hair:**	Black
		Eyes:	Brown
Place of Birth:	Trujillo, Colombia	**Complexion:**	Medium
Height:	6'0"	**Sex:**	Male
Weight:	230 pounds	**Race:**	White (Hispanic)
Build:	Heavy	**Nationality:**	Colombian
Occupation:	Rancher		

Scars and Marks: Montoya has surgical scars on his lower back and legs due to injuries sustained in an automobile accident.

Remarks: Montoya is presently protected by the Colombian paramilitary group, "Autodefensas Unidas de Colombia" (AUC).

CAUTION

DIEGO LEON MONTOYA SANCHEZ IS BEING SOUGHT IN CONNECTION WITH THE MANUFACTURE AND DISTRIBUTION OF MULTIPLE TONS OF COCAINE, KNOWING OR INTENDING THAT IT WILL BE IMPORTED INTO THE UNITED STATES. MONTOYA IS REPUTEDLY ONE OF THE PRINCIPAL LEADERS OF THE COLOMBIAN NORTH VALLEY DRUG CARTEL. THE NORTH VALLEY CARTEL IS BELIEVED TO BE THE MOST POWERFUL AND VIOLENT DRUG TRAFFICKING ORGANIZATION IN COLOMBIA. THE CARTEL REPORTEDLY RELIES HEAVILY FOR PROTECTION ON ILLEGAL ARMED GROUPS, TAKING HELP FROM RIGHT-WING PARAMILITARIES AS WELL AS LEFTIST REBELS.

CONSIDERED ARMED AND EXTREMELY DANGEROUS

IF YOU HAVE ANY INFORMATION CONCERNING THIS PERSON, PLEASE CONTACT YOUR LOCAL FBI OFFICE OR THE NEAREST U.S. EMBASSY OR CONSULATE.

REWARD

The United States Department of State is offering a reward of up to $5 million for information leading to the arrest and/or conviction of Diego Leon Montoya Sanchez.

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