

EX-COSTA RICA CHIEF

DEPLORES SCANDAL

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SAN JOSE, Costa Rica, May 24 (UPI) — Former President Otilio Ulate said today that Costa Rica had been "compromised" by the Watergate scandal and that he had sent a personal letter to President Nixon about Robert L. Vesco's activities in this country.

Mr. Ulate said he would disclose the contents of the letter on Monday after its receipt by Mr. Nixon.

Mr. Ulate, a political foe of President Jose Figueres, made known the existence of the letter in an announcement issued through his National Union party.

DETROIT (AP) — A man identifying himself as Donald A. Nixon, a nephew of the President, picked up copies of the birth certificate of financier Robert L. Vesco here, a city official told The Detroit Free Press yesterday.

Irene Rendy, director of the Office of Vital Statistics, said the man carried a letter authorizing the release of the records last month. 8

Donald A. Nixon, 28 years old, is the son of President Nixon's brother F. Donald Nixon, and he has been identified as an aide of Mr. Vesco.