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This is Lionel Martin in Havana...here is the service message

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Swedish prime minister Olof ~~Palme~~ Palme arrived ~~here~~ in Havana on a four day visit to Cuba at noon today...~~Palme is the first Western European head of government to visit Cuba.~~ He is the first Western European since the beginning of the Cuban revolution head of government to visit Cuba. Here is the story:

Swedish prime minister Olof Palme ~~arrived here with~~ was met at the airport by Prime Minister Fidel Castro; other Cuban leaders and by the entire diplomatic corp ~~stationed~~ here in Havana. Mr. Palme is accompanied by his wife; a child psychologist ~~by the Swedish Labor Minister; Anna-Greta Leijon; by other high government officials and by the Swedish actress; Bibi Anderson.~~

Swedish-Cuban relations have been ~~an~~ excellent ~~since the beginning of the Cuban revolution.~~ Like Canada, Sweden never became part of the economic blockade against this Caribbean island. Moreover; Prime Minister ~~Palme's~~ ^{strong} opposition to the war in Vietnam ^{has} won him great respect here in Cuba. ~~Palme will be met by Cuban government leaders.~~

Mr. Palme is the first western european prime minister to visit revolutionary Cuba; recently the French prime minister; Jacque Chirac made it know that he will visit Cuba early next year.

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Swedish Prime Minister Olof Palme
Makes a 4-day visit to Cuba

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Sweden PM, Olof Palme
in Cuba.
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