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Chavez returns to power two days after arrest

CARACAS, Venezuela (AP) — Triumphant yet chastened, President Hugo Chavez returned to office on the wings of a popular uprising two days after he was ousted and arrested by Venezuela's military, saying he has reflected on his mistakes and was prepared to "make corrections."

"I do not come with hate or rancor in my heart, but we must make decisions and adjust things," Chavez said at dawn, moments after pushing past tens of thousands of supporters to reclaim the presidential palace in Venezuela, the third-biggest supplier of oil to the United States.

Opposition leaders stayed clear of public light on Sunday. Venezuelans struggled to make sense of the dizzying, bloody sequence of events that led to Chavez's brief ouster and stunning return.

Chavez was ousted by his military high command, which claimed he had resigned under pressure after gunmen opened fire on opposition protesters. At least 16 people were killed.

Economist Pedro Carmona was sworn in Friday, only to resign a day later amid widespread street protests, looting and rebellions by several military officers who refused to go along with the plan. Chavez's vice president said Saturday that Carmona and his supporters would be tried.

"I'm sorry, but the pain I feel doesn't let me talk," said one old man, his eyes welling as he stared at his scorched shoestore in a western Caracas slum.

Chavez appealed for calm, and the looting that

went on through the night died down. By Sunday, streets in the capital were empty.

A caravan of Chavez supporters interrupted the silence, speeding through the city in motorcycles and cars, honking horns and shouting "He's back! He's back!"

The Bush administration, which showed remorse when the Venezuelan military overthrew the country's elected president last week, advised Chavez on Sunday to make good on his second chance.



CHAVEZ

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"We do hope that the world is watching and he takes advantage of opportunity to right himself, frankly, in the direction for quite a time," said Condoleezza Rice, President Bush's national security adviser.

In his strongest conciliatory gesture, Chavez announced that a board of directors opposed executives at state-owned oil monopoly

swelled last week into a popular rebellion by opposition, triggering a general national strike huge demonstration that ended in bloodshed Chavez's short-lived ouster.

Chavez had repeatedly refused to negotiate the appointments even as PDVSA managers staged a five-week work slowdown that crippled oil exports and production. His intransigence infuriated the upper classes, which long resented a regime they considered autocratic.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Six-figure speeding ticket tests Finland's egalitarian

HELSINKI, Finland (AP) — Looking at Anssi Vanjoki's speeding ticket, many Finns are wondering whether their egalitarian spirit has taken them over the edge.

True, Vanjoki was doing 46.5 mph in a 30-mph zone. But \$103,000?

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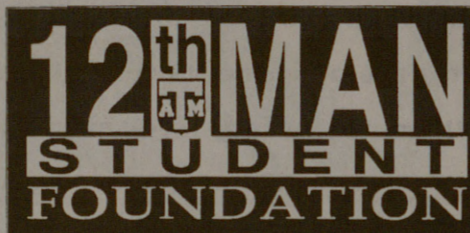
the offense, but on the offender's income. Vanjoki is a senior executive of Nokia, the world's largest phone maker, and his fine was assessed on a 1999 income of \$5.2 million.

A court later slashed it to \$5,245, but not before Finns flew into a rage.

"There is something rotten in our fining system and it needs changing," says Leena Harkimo, one of 70 lawmakers in the 200-member Parliament who want the law amended. "People are equal before the law whatever their color, age, sex, and so they should be when it comes to wealth."

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