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Ambassador Leonor Zalabata is the, Permanent Representative of Colombia to the U.N, Born in the Arhuaco indigenous village:

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