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Jesus Romero retired after 37 years in U.S. government service, spanning military, intelligence, and diplomatic roles. Beginning his career in the Navy in 1984, he rose from an enlisted member to a Naval Intelligence Officer through the Navy's Enlisted Commissioning Program. A graduate of Norfolk State University with a BA in Political Science, Romero also completed the Naval Aviation Pre-Flight Indoctrination and served in various capacities, including onboard a nuclear missile cruiser and in attack squadrons. His deployments included Libya, Bosnia, Iraq, and Somalia.

Romero's intelligence career included key assignments with the Defense Intelligence Agency (DIA) in Panama, the Joint Intelligence Center Pacific in Hawaii, and leading U.S. efforts to account for missing personnel in Asia. He retired from active duty in 2006, adorned with numerous medals, such as the Defense Meritorious Service Medal and the Navy Commendation Medal.

After his military career, Romero was a BAE Systems and Booz Allen Hamilton defense contractor. He spent 15 years in civil service as an Intelligence Operations Specialist with the Department of the Army at the Joint Interagency Task Force South in Florida. His overseas diplomatic roles included stints in Perú, Ecuador, and Guatemala. Romero has been recognized extensively, including the Joint Chiefs Meritorious Civilian Service Medal, the Army's Superior Civilian Service Medal, and multiple international awards for his contributions to counter-narcotics missions.

Romero authored his latest book to honor his colleagues and illuminate the disruptive strategies against an international criminal organization, which, under his leadership, significantly hindered the cocaine trade impacting the United States. His efforts contributed to dismantling operations supporting Mexican Cartels and reducing the cocaine airbridge by over 120 tons annually.

