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# THE PRESIDENT'S INTELLIGENCE CHECKLIST

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2. Laos

a. There has been no let-up in the systematic Pathet Lao - Viet Cong campaign to suppress Meo resistance.

b. The Meos are pressuring our people in Vientiane for permission to launch retaliatory attacks. They are being told to resist the temptation, but we cannot be sure that the order will be obeyed by all hands.

3. Cuba

a. A study of Cuban naval communications shows the navy reacted quickly enough to last Friday night's raid on Havana, but that subsequent search operations were badly handled, permitting the raiders to slip away. We have no further word about Wednesday night's affair off Cuba's north central coast, but it seems to have followed much the same pattern.

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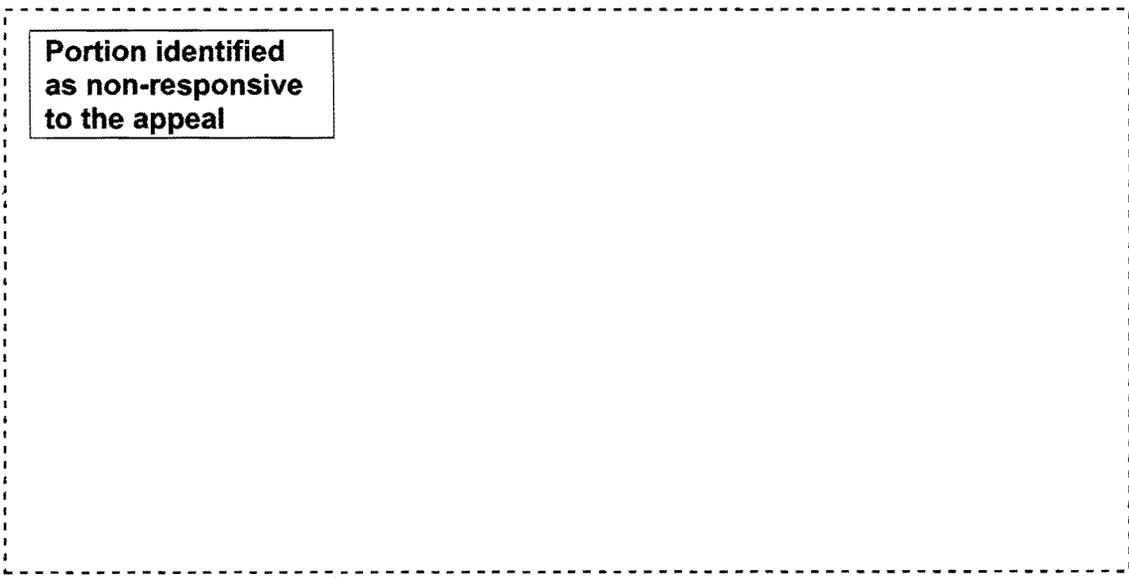
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b. These incidents have given Havana the jitters. The army, as well as the navy, has been alerted.

c. One of our naval aircraft, on a routine mission, was fired on yesterday afternoon by Cuban patrol vessels at a point twelve miles off Cuba's northern coast.

4. Nationalist  
China

a. Chiang Ching-kuo has told us that Nationalist agents were responsible for the recent bombing incidents on the Macao and Hong Kong borders with Communist China. He indicated that five more are planned, beginning next week.



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D. East Germany Ulbricht left Moscow for home this morning after more than a month in the USSR.

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