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REPORT CLASS SECRET CONTROLLED DISSEM NO FOREIGN DISSEM COUNTRY: CUBA/SOVIET UNION SUBJ: FEARS BY FIDEL CASTRO RELATIVE TO AN INTERNAL MILITARY

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UNCLASSIFIED INFORMATION. SOURCE GRADINGS ARE DEFINITIVE. APPRAISAL OF CONTENT IS TENTATIVE.

1. DURING THE EARLY PART OF NOVEMBER 1963, FIDEL CASTRO RUIZ, DURING THE COURSE OF A PRIVATE CONVERSATION, STATED THAT MILITARY LOSSES IN ORIENTE PROVINCE CAUSED BY HURRICANE FLORA AMOUNTED TO 200 MILLIONS OF DOLLARS. CASTRO ALSO EXPRESSED HIS FEAR OF THE POSSIBILITY OF "COMMANDO INSURRECTIONS" WHICH MIGHT TAKE PLACE IN LARGE SCALE IN CUBA, AS THE CUBAN ECONOMY WAS SUCH THAT HE COULD NOT MAINTAIN A STATE OF MILITARY ALERT FOR A LONG TIME.

2. CASTRO INDICATED THAT ANY PROLONGED PERIOD OF MILITARY ALERT MIGHT CAUSE DISCONTENT AMONG THE TROOPS; A SITUATION WHICH WOULD BE DANGEROUS AND CREATE IRREPARABLE CONSEQUENCES, SO AS TO

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NEGATE THIS POSSIBILITY, CASTRO WAS UNDERTAKING AN INTENSIVE PROPAGANDA CAMPAIGN TO GIVE CONFIDENCE TO HIS TROOPS AND TO LIMIT THE OCCURRENCE OF ANY INTERNAL UPRISING.

3. FIDEL CASTRO ADMITTED TO "SOME DIFFERENCES" BETWEEN CUBA AND THE SOVIET UNION, BUT EXPLAINED THAT THE TWO COUNTRIES HAD ENTERED INTO AN AGREEMENT FOR A CONTROLLED RELEASE OF NEWS RELATIVE TO SUCH DIFFERENCES AND THEREBY WIN SOME TIME.

4. CASTRO INDICATED THAT ONE OF THE AIMS OF THIS CONTROLLED RELEASE OF NEWS WAS TO LET THE IMPERIALISTS BELIEVE THAT THE SOVIETS WERE TAKING THEIR TROOPS OUT OF CUBA AND DISMANTLING SOME OF THEIR BASES.

5. ACCORDING TO FIDEL CASTRO, DESPITE THE FACT THAT IN EARLY NOVEMBER, THE BULK OF THE SOVIET EQUIPMENT WAS STILL UNDER SOVIET CONTROL AND WOULD BE USED (BY THE SOVIETS?) IF NECESSARY, THE MAIN PURPOSE OF KEEPING THE ARMS IN CUBA WAS TO RE-EXPORT THEM TO THIRD COUNTRIES, WITHOUT THE SOVIET UNION APPEARING AS A PARTICIPANT IN THIS ADDITIONAL ARMS EXPORT.

6. FIELD DISSEM: NONE.

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REVOL. 2. CUBAN-SOVIET TACTICS TO PLAY UP IDEOLOGICAL AND POLITICAL DIFFERENCES. 3. ROLE OF CUBA IN EXPORTING SOVIET ARMS TO THIRD COUNTRIES.

DATE: EARLY NOV 63

FROM: UNITED STATES, MIAMI (2 DEC 63)

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SOURCE: CUBAN WHO WAS CLOSELY ASSOCIATED WITH THE 26 OF JULY MOVEMENT UNTIL 1959. BECAUSE OF HIS PREVIOUS HIGH MILITARY RANK HE STILL MAINTAINS CONTACTS WITH VARIOUS OFFICERS IN THE PRESENT CUBAN MILITARY. SOURCE HAS RECEIVED SOME BASIC TRAINING IN INTELLIGENCE COLLECTION, HOWEVER HE HAS NOT SUBMITTED SUFFICIENT REPORTS TO PERMIT AN EVALUATION OF HIS RELIABILITY. THIS INFORMATION WAS OBTAINED FROM A DOCTOR ON THE STAFF OF A LEADING MILITARY

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HOSPITAL IN HABANA, WHO IN TURN OBTAINED THE INFORMATION FROM ANOTHER MEDICAL DOCTOR WHO HAS BEEN CHARGED WITH A CONFIDENTIAL REPORTING ASSIGNMENT BY FIDEL CASTRO, AND AS A RESULT OF WHICH HE HAS READY ACCESS TO FIDEL CASTRO.

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