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1. MEXI STATION ARRANGING KUCAGE LA TOUR FOR MANUEL FRANCIS ARTINE BUESA, FORMER INRA (ALSO RECD ICRA) OFFICIAL CASTRO GOVT AND LEADER CUBAN CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY GROUP, WHO BROKE TIES CASTRO PRO-COMMIE GOVT IN LATE 59. ARTINE DEFECTION SURFACED MEXI JANUARY 60 WITH PRESS, MAGAZINE AND TV COVERAGE. IT NOW PLANNED FURTHER EXPLOIT A'S DEFECTION AND STRONG ATTACKS PRESENT CASTRO REGIME (SEE 1 FEBRUARY ISSUES TIME AND U.S. NEWS AND WORLD REPORT, AND MEXI CLIPS ALREADY SENT BY A. MAKING C A AND SA FOLLOW UP PUBLICITY TOUR. REQUEST ALL ADDRESSEES USE KUCAGE ASSETS TO PROVIDE MAXIMUM COVERAGE DURING A VISIT EACH COUNTRY.
2. TOUR SCHEDULED BEGIN 21 FEBRUARY FROM MEXI WITH 3 TO 5 DAY STOPS LA COUNTRIES IN FOLL ORDER: GUAT, SALY, SAXJ, PACY, CARA, LIMA, SAGO, BUEN, MONT AND RIOO. A TOUR UNDER LOOSE CATHOLIC CHURCH COVER, BUT HAS ENTREES AND LETTERS OF INTRO TO POLITICAL LEADERS, ANTI-COMMIE ORGS, AND CUBAN EXILE FRIENDS IN RESPECTIVE COUNTRIES. A WILL ATTEMPT STIMULATE INDEPENDENT PUBLICITY, HOLD PRESS CONFERENCES, AND PRIVATE INTERVIEWS EACH COUNTRY, BUT STAS REQUESTED USE APPROPRIATE KUCAGE ASSETS, ALERT LOCAL NEWS FACILITIES AND CONTACTS OF A VISIT TO FURTHER INSURE MAXIMUM PUBLICITY.

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3. A INFORMED THAT CONTACT WITH HIM DURING TOUR MAY BE ESTABLISHED EACH COUNTRY FOR PURPOSES CHANNELING SPECIFIC GUIDANCES, DEBRIEFING, OR OTHER EMERGENCIES. POSSIBLE CONTACTS EACH CITY TO BE INITIATED BY PHONE CALL TO A AT HIS HOTEL BY INDIVIDUAL USING NAME "JOSE ADALBERTO (ALSO RECD AJALBERTO) RODRIGUEZ".

4. MEXI STA WILL CABLE SCHEDULED DATES, HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS, AND POSSIBLE A OVERT CONTACTS EACH COUNTRY WHEN ITINERARY FIRMED UP; MEXI ALSO MAILING LATEST A PRESS CLIP. AS TOUR PROCEEDS, EACH STA REQUESTED MAIL CLIPS LOCAL A PUBLICITY TO MEXI AND ADVANCE STAS, AND ADVISE ANY POSSIBLE CHANGES A TOUR ITINERARY AS DEVELOPED.

5. FYI: A TRAVELING WITH CARLOS HERNANDEZ, CUBAN EXILE OF SAME ANTI-CASTRO/ANTI-COMMIE POLITICAL ORIENTATION, WHO WILL ACT AS A AIDE AND BODYGUARD. WHILE MEXI DEFRAYING EXPENSES OF TOUR, BOTH UNWITTING OFFICIAL PPRIME SUPPORT. A AWARE HOWEVER PPRIME INTERESTS AND AID HIS DEFECTION CASE AND PROBABLY SUSPECTS PPRIME AS SOURCE OF TOUR FUNDS. (MEXI STA MAINTAINS OP CONTACT A THRU DEEP COVER AGENT.)

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