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2. Probable Future Plan of Action for Carlos Rafael Rodriguez

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An educated Cuban whose reliability has not yet been established, source is a veteran Communist, well versed in economics, and employed by the Cuban Government. Within both Communist and Government circles source has numerous acquaintances, a few of whom are influential. The information in paragraph 1 was obtained from the brother of [redacted] during the course of a conversation between the brothers, that in paragraph 2 from Carlos Rafael Rodriguez Rodriguez.

1. ^{FR 201-097456} Fidel Castro Ruz was highly critical of the note which Raul Roa y Garcia sent on 26 November 1963 to the Mexican Embassy in Habana protesting the arrest by Mexican police of a Cuban Consulate employee in Mexico. ²⁰¹⁻¹⁷⁰⁴⁶⁶ Despite the fact that the employee, Silvia Duran, was a Mexican citizen, Fidel Castro felt that the note was worded too strongly and would not contribute to harmonious Cuban-Mexican relations.

2. As of 30 November, ^{FR 201-020483} Carlos Rafael Rodriguez Rodriguez expressed the opinion that he would not remain for too much longer in the Instituto Nacional de la Reforma Agraria (INRA, National Institute of Agrarian Reform), but would leave his present assignment and devote himself entirely to working with the Commission for the Economic Directorate of the Partido Unido de la Revolucion Socialista (PURS, United Party of the Socialist Revolution). Rodriguez has been having difficulties with various officials of INRA, and has met little cooperation. Rodriguez is also of the opinion that present Cuban politics seem to indicate an intention by Fidel Castro to remove Communists from executive positions in the Cuban Government.

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