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COUNTRY Haiti
SUBJECT C Sale of Sisal By George De Moreschildt
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SOURCE A Haitian (C) in contact with the Polish Commercial Delegation in Port-au-Prince, who saw the draft.
Appraisal: It is probable that the draft was written as reported.

A draft of a letter to Joseph Clezard Charles, Director General of the Haitian Bank of Commerce was seen in the office of Wladyslaw Galicki, Polish Commercial Representative in Port-au-Prince in mid-January 1965. The draft indicated that George De Moreschildt had agreed to the sale of 60 tons of grade x and y sisal, the former at 9.4 U.S. cents per pound FOB, the latter at a slightly different price. The draft referred to some sale conditions already agreed upon and stated that if there were no notice of objection to the sale terms within three days, it would be assumed that the conditions of sale were acceptable.

Field Comment. Mr. George De Moreschildt is an American geologist under contract to the Haitian government to make a geological survey of Haiti. According to De Moreschildt's contract with the Haitian government dated 13 May 1961, De Moreschildt was to be paid \$20,000 cash and the balance of \$265,130 in sisal at the rate of 30 tons per month. The value of the sisal was to be determined by the market price less 5%. De Moreschildt is also associated with Clezard Joseph Charles in a company to exploit sisal production in the Saint Marc, Haiti area.

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