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TO Chief, WE

DATE 6 August 1956

FROM Chief of Station, Managua

SUBJECT { GENERAL Miscellaneous  
          SPECIFIC Arms Purchasing in Dominican Republic

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Enclosed herewith is copy of a letter to Ambassador WHELAN from Irving DAVIDSON, from which reference information was extracted. In reporting the contents of this letter to ODACID, ODACID here did not include anything on the "commission" mentioned on page 2 - it was considered not pertinent.

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was signed by the British representative  
and in a paper of the British representative  
that is why in London they - the committee considered  
this as a signed paper.

The price was quite inflated then & was the  
Government was down quite a bit. My purpose in  
the note is to tell you that I learned that the  
Government are being offered arms by the  
other side at a much cheaper price. I naturally  
told Mr. Suk - that they would be better off  
paying double for anything or any arms from the  
Government than to be "sucked in" by a bargain  
from the other side.

I feel sure Mr. Suk will agree with me  
on this point. The Government are being  
sucked in by the other side.

14-00009  
I have been thinking of you  
and wondering how you are  
getting on. I hope you are  
well and happy. I have been  
thinking of you a lot lately.

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Yours sincerely  
John Doe