

Amwhip

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KEYWAY PBRUMEN AMWHIP

1. 3 FEB CUBAN EMBASSY PARIS RECEIVED FROM "PEPIN" SANCHEZ IN HAVANA CABLE WHICH ASKED TO HAVE IN 48 HOURS WORLD MARKET PRICE FOR WORKED SILVER ("PLATA ELABORADA") OF WHICH CUBANS HAVE 6000 KILOGS OF U.S., ENGLISH, FRENCH, SPANISH AND MEXICAN MANUFACTURE FOR IMMEDIATE SALE.
2. TELEPHONE CALL BY AMBASSADOR CARRILLO TO SANCHEZ 3 FEB TO CLARIFY SHOWED FIDEL CASTRO PERSONALLY PUSHING FAST SALE. IN EXCHANGE FOR IMMEDIATE DEPOSIT 100,000 DOLLARS, SANCHEZ SAID CUBANS WOULD PROVIDE SILVER BARS AT MARKET PRICE LESS 10 PER CENT PENDING COMPLETION SALE OTHER ITEMS. SILVER BARS APPARENTLY TO BE PRODUCED BY MELTING DOWN LESS VALUABLE WORKED SILVER ITEMS.
3. SOURCE ABOVE AMWHIP ONE FEB 4. PARA ONE BASED ON CLEAR TEXT COPY CABLE WHICH HE GAVE (STATION) ¹⁵⁻⁴ PARA TWO PERSONAL CONTACT. FROM INNUENDO AND INFERENCES OF CARRILLO AND SANCHEZ.

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