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According to CIA, subject reportedly is the Number Two Man in Cuban G-2. (S) (X)

Recipients have previously been furnished data on Cuban agent who has been given code name of "Divide." Data sent to "Divide" from Cuba has been signed "Petronio." (S)

On 10-8-63 CIA advised by liaison that it has come to the tentative conclusion that subject is "Petronio." CIA has advised that data sent to a Cuban agent from Cuba indicated that he was located in a small town in Colombia near the Venezuelan border. CIA developed a suspect and instituted coverage. The suspect transmitted a letter to Havana which was intercepted by CIA. Suspect apparently violated instructions by including some sensitive data in the letter. Cuban Government then sent a message which castigated the Cuban agent in Colombia. CIA advised that an examination of this message and the letter which was intercepted by CIA, has led CIA to believe that the subject is, in fact, "Petronio." (S)

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