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consisting of [CIA report dated 3/2/65.] (S-1)(X)(U)

On 3/22/65, EVELIO ALPIZAR PEREZ, Key Source - Cuban,
was again interviewed concerning the 1/17/65 alleged MIRR
raid. ALPIZAR reiterated that he was not involved as pilot
or in any other capacity, and possessed no information concern-
ing this alleged raid. ALPIZAR pointed out, however, that
some of his Cuban friends, knowing of his past involvement
with the MIRR in such raids, had asked him if he had not been
the pilot on this raid. Even though ALPIZAR replied to them
in the negative, he got the impression that perhaps some of
these friends did not believe him. (S)(X)(U)

Also, ALPIZAR denied telling anyone that he himself
had said that CASTRO spoke the truth when CASTRO said that a
bomb had fallen on the house of some peasants in the area. (S)(X)(U)

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[ALPIZAR] possessed no information concerning the
[allegation attributed to ERLINDA PUIG NUNEZ, wife of
MARCELINO GARCIA JIMENEZ, to the effect that five young
men were in the aircraft during the raid, and that the
pilot was a Cuban exile [who had received training in
the U. S. Army. In this connection, it is to be noted
that ALPIZAR has never received training in the U. S.
Army.] ~~SECRET~~ (u)

[Also, ALPIZAR possessed no information concern-
ing any] plan of the MIRR to assassinate CASTRO. [It is
to be noted, however, that MARCELINO GARCIA JIMENEZ
himself fits the qualifications described in the CIA
memo, since GARCIA claims to have a heart condition
aggravated by asthma.] ~~SECRET~~ (u)

For the information of the Bureau, on 3/8/65
ALPIZAR reported that he has a personal friend, AMADO CANTILLO,
a Cuban exile, who resides in an apartment building
located on 36th Avenue between 11th and 9th Streets, N. W. in Miami. He drives an old Mercedes Benz car painted
black. He is the son of Major General EULOGIO CANTILLO,
former Chief of the Cuban Army in Oriente Province, who has
been imprisoned for the past six years in Cuba. ALPIZAR
learned from CANTILLO that about a week previously,
CANTILLO contacted ORLANDO BOSCH, head of the MIRR, and
offered to pilot a plane for BOSCH on an air raid against
Cuba. BOSCH told CANTILLO that on or shortly after
3/21/65, he would give CANTILLO \$300.00 for a pilot
training license and that he would utilize the services
of CANTILLO when he was sufficiently qualified to pilot
a plane. ~~SECRET~~ (u) FIA B.S-8-38 CUBA

ALPIZAR said that ten or eleven years ago,
CANTILLO had perhaps 20 hours flying time in a Piper
plane, and about eight months ago, he had one hour flying
time with ALPIZAR.

On 3/7/65, CANTILLO flew with JESUS SANCHEZ

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out of American Aviation Company, Tamiami Airport, Miami. CANTILLO has requested ALPIZAR to give him flying lessons, and ALPIZAR said he told CANTILLO he would be willing to give him lessons provided he could make appropriate arrangements at some local airport for obtaining a plane for this purpose.

ALPIZAR said that CANTILLO has been working with the ~~Movimiento Recuperacion Revolucionaria (MRR)~~ under the leadership of ~~MANUEL MARTINEZ~~. *FIA*

Miami files reflect that AMADO CANTILLO HUGUET was born 8/8/38 in Cuba, and INS memo dated 9/20/63 reflected that his name had been placed on a list of persons who had been served with "Notice of Prevention of Departure." This memo reflected that CANTILLO had 70 hours flying time, but no pilot's license. CANTILLO is a former purser on Cubana Airlines, and requested political asylum on 10/10/60.

On 3/22/65, ALPIZAR advised he had not yet heard from CANTILLO as to whether or not BOSCH provided him with the \$300.00.

It is to be noted that on 3/21/65, the MIRR held a rally in Dinner Key Auditorium. MM 635-S, who attended this rally, has advised that about 4,000 people were present, and it appeared that a considerable amount of money, possibly several thousands, were collected by BOSCH during the rally.

The above information pertaining to CANTILLO will not be reported in a form suitable for dissemination until more specific information is obtained concerning further developments.

In the event BOSCH does decide to utilize the services of CANTILLO, ALPIZAR feels that he is in an excellent position to provide information concerning BOSCH's plans through CANTILLO.

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