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TO: PRIORITY DIRECTOR INFO LA/MIAMI.

REFS: A. (IN 937052)

B. (NOT SENT LA/MIAMI) (IN 890367)

1. PASSED STATION WRITTEN REPORT AND MADE VERBAL REPORT IN DETAIL, ALL WITH KNOWLEDGE OF PRESIDENT LAUGERUD, IN REF A CASE AND RESULTS. ACCORDING REPORT AND NATIONAL LIBERATION MOVEMENT (MLN) WAS INVOLVED WITH JORGE ANTONIO "COKIE" ZIMERI SAFIE, WHO HAS BEEN LIVING MIAMI SINCE AUGUST 75. IN PLOT TO ASSASSINATE LAUGERUD. PLOT WAS TO HAVE BEEN CARRIED OUT 15 SEPTEMBER 75 BUT ZIMERI WAS VICTIM OF ATTACK ON HIS LIFE LATE AUGUST AND AS RESULT WENT TO MIAMI FOR MEDICAL TREATMENT. REPORT AND CLAIM THAT TWO AMERICANS, BROTHERS ROBERT AND ERALD PATRICK H E M M I N G (NO STATION TRACES), WERE ALSO INVOLVED WITH ZIMERI IN PLOT AND THAT THEY ASSISTED HIM IN ACQUIRING ARMS, AMONG OTHER THINGS, WHICH FLOWN TO GUATEMALA ILLEGALLY IN SMALL AIRCRAFT. REPORT ENDS WITH FIVE (5) REQUESTS BY LAUGERUD FOR INFO AS FOLLOWS:

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- A. IS ZIMERI STILL IN THE UNITED STATES.
- B. DOES HE RECEIVE ANY KIND OF P^REFERENTIAL TREATMENT BY AUTHORITIES THERE WHICH PERMITS HIM TO CARRY FIREARMS, AS WELL AS PURCHASE ARMS AND AMMUNITION FOR SHIPMENT TO GUATEMALA. THEY CLAIM HE HAS CLOSE RELATIONS WITH POLICE OFFICIALS IN NEW ORLEANS AND MIAMI.
- C. IS HE RECRUITING MERCENARIES THERE FOR POSSIBLE USE IN GUATEMALA.
- D. REQUEST FOR INFO ON ROBERT AND GERALD HEMMING.
- E. IN EVENT ZIMERI NOT IN STATES LEGALLY, THEY REQUEST HE BE DEPORTED TO GUATEMALA. E-68 SAYS HE LEFT GUATEMALA ILLEGALLY BUT ARRIVED IN STATES LEGALLY, BUT GOG THINKS HIS VISA HAS EXPIRED AND HE THERE ILLEGALLY.

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Recommendations for dissemination

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