

DISPATCH

SECRET

SYNOPSIS

Chief, WJ

MEMO/Revizante 30 de Noviembre, Anti-Castro

ACTION REQUIRED REFERENCES

Action Required: See Para 1.

Reference: WFOA-2058, 3 August 1961

1. If Reference para. 7b information confirmed, Headquarters is interested in the identity of MONTIEL (fma). Is he possibly identical with Mial MONTIEL Lorense, subject of BIR 47004, 23 July 1961, and is he a member of the Revizante 30 Noviembre?

2. According to Headquarters records, Mial (or Mial) MONTIEL Lorense was a former Rebel Army officer who later rebelled against Castro and became an anti-Castro leader in guerrilla warfare in the Escambray, at one time having 300 men under his command. According to WAVE 6862, 25 June 1961, Evalio DUNQUE Miyar claims he made MONTIEL a leader of a band of 35 guerrillas and, in a tight spot during the ensuing fighting, MONTIEL deserted his command, resulting in ten of his men being captured or killed. (MONTIEL has also been referred to as "Comandante MONTIEL".) Headquarters has no record of MONTIEL being associated with, nor a member of, 30 de Noviembre.

End of Dispatch

RETURN TO CIA
Background Use Only
Do Not Reproduce

Distribution:
2 - CIA, WAVE

2 - RJD

1 - WH/4/Registry

1 - WH/4/PA-FHCP

DATE TYPED 29 Aug. 61		DATE DISPATCHED
DISPATCH SYMBOL AND NUMBER WFOA-542		
HEADQUARTERS FILE NUMBER 101-342004		
CLASSIFICATION SECRET		
OFFICE SYMBOL WH/4/PA-FHCP		DATE 23 Aug 61
OFFICER'S NAME A.P. Ryan		INITIALS 03
CORRECTING		
OFFICE SYMBOL	DATE	OFFICER'S NAME
0/WH/4/CI	21 Aug 61	R. S. ...
0/WH/4/PA-FHCP		
OFFICE SYMBOL	DATE	INITIALS
AD/WH/4	1 Sept	03

2/870