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INTEL GYROSE

SUPDATA: AMBUD-1 BASED ON A LETTER DATED 19 SEPT TO GORDO GARCIA
PROBABLY FROM FELICISIMO DE LA ARNAS, AMBUD-1'S PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE
IN CUBA. FILED 22/223/Z

REPORT CLASS SECRET CONTROLLED DISSEM CUBA SUBJ: CONSTRUCTION OF
A POSSIBLE SUBMARINE BASE IN CAYO FRANCIS DOI: 19 SEPT 62 PADA:
U.S. 18 OCT 62 APPR: 3 FOR PARA 1 AND 4 FOR PARA 2. UFG 1712.
SOURCE: LEADING OFFICIAL (C) OF AN ANTI-CASTRO GROUP IN EKILE, FROM
AN ASSOCIATE IN CORRESPONDENCE WITH A RESIDENT OF THE AREA.

1. AN OIL PIPELINE IS BEING CONSTRUCTED FROM CAIBARIEN ON
THE NORTH COAST OF LAS VILLAS PROVINCE TO CAYO FRANCIS.
2. ACCORDING TO AN ENGINEER WITH THE CUBAN INSTITUTE OF PETROLEUM
(ICP) AN UNDERGROUND SUBMARINE BASE IS BEING CONSTRUCTED ON CAYO
FRANCIS.
3. FIELD COMMENT: GEODETIC OR GEOLOGICAL SURVEY VESSELS HAVE
BEEN OPERATING IN THE WATERS AROUND THE AREA AND THERE HAVE BEEN
NUMEROUS REPORTS THAT UNDERGROUND BLASTING RELATED TO "OIL EXPLORATION"
HAS BEEN TAKING PLACE. IT IS POSSIBLE THAT AN UNDERGROUND STORAGE

GROUP 1 EXCLUDED FROM
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DEPOT FOR FUEL MAY BE UNDER CONSTRUCTION AT THIS SITE BECAUSE IT IS BELIEVED THAT THE TOPOGRAPHY IS SUCH THAT UNDERGROUND SUBMARINE PENS WOULD NOT BE FEASIBLE.

4. FIELD DISSEM: NONE.

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PL/Alice B. Capomong
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LLOYD W. STORBECK
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