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FLOTTING BY JOHN ABEES GARCIA, FORMER DOMINICAN INTELLIGENCE OFFICIAL, AND ARISMENDI TRUJILLO AGAINST THE DOMINICAN GOVERNMENT/POSSIBLE SUPPORT OF THE TRUJILLOS TO ANTI-CASTRO CUBAN EXILES

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1. JOHN ABEES GARCIA IS INVOLVED IN PLANNING A COUP AGAINST THE DOMINICAN GOVERNMENT. IN THIS CONNECTION, HE IS "USING" ARISMENDI TRUJILLO MOLINA, BUT IS PERFECTLY WILLING TO SACRIFICE HIM IF NECESSARY. (HEADQUARTERS COMMENT: ABEES, WHO WAS CHIEF OF THE DOMINICAN SERVICIO DE INTELIGENCIA CENTRAL (SIC) UNDER THE LATE DOMINICAN DICTATOR, WAS LAST REPORTED TO BE LIVING IN A SUBURB OF PARIS. ARISMENDI TRUJILLO ARRIVED IN GUATEMALA FROM SPAIN IN LATE APRIL 1964 AND WAS REPORTED AT THAT TIME TO BE PLANNING TO STAY IN GUATEMALA INDEFINITELY.)

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2. ABEES WANTS SOMEONE TO ATTEMPT A COUP IN ORDER TO BRING ABOUT REACTION AMONG MEMBERS OF THE TRIUMVIRATE AND THEIR SUPPORTERS, AT WHICH TIME A GROUP OF SENIOR DOMINICAN ARMY OFFICERS WILL TAKE OVER KEY POINTS AND ARREST MEMBERS OF THE GOVERNMENT

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ARE ALL ARMED FORCES WHO REFUSE TO GO AHEAD WITH THE COUP.

THERE ARE SEVERAL HUNDRED MERCHANTS GATHERED IN GUATEMALA, NICARAGUA, AND
HEADQUARTERS COMMENT: IN EARLY MARCH 1964, [REDACTED] (S)
 IT IS NOT KNOWN THAT ARISMENDI TRUJILLO HAS REPORTEDLY PLANNING TO RECRUIT MERCHANTS
 ACROSS NICARAGUA, NICARAGUA, AND GUATEMALA AND TRANSPORT THEM TO HAITI FOR AN INVAS-
 ION OF THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC WHEN AN URGED SIGNAL FROM DOMINICAN MILITARY OFFICERS
 TO THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC WAS RECEIVED. A USUALLY RELIABLE SOURCE IN GUATEMALA REFER-
 RED IN MID-MAY 1964 THAT ARISMENDI TRUJILLO; PEDRO V. TRUJILLO MOLINA, BROTHER OF
 ARISMENDI; PEDRO TRUJILLO NICOLAS, SON OF PEDRO; AND PAULINO A. SIERRA MARTINEZ,
 A CUBAN EXILE NOW IN GUATEMALA, HAVE TALKED OF LEAVING GUATEMALA FOR NICARAGUA TO CON-
 TACT MARCEL ARTIME BURSA, LEADER OF THE CUBAN EXILE ORGANIZATION MOVIMIENTO DE RESURGEN-
 CION REVOLUCIONARIA (MRR - MOVEMENT FOR REVOLUTIONARY RECOVERY), TO DISCUSS THE CUBAN
 HELPERS; THE TRUJILLOS WOULD THEN TRY TO HAVE TO ORGANIZE 2,000 MEN WHO ARE
 WILLING TO JOIN THE CUBAN EXILES IN AN UPRISING AGAINST GUBA. SOURCE ADDED THAT
 ARTIME WAS ASKED ARISMENDI TRUJILLO SEVERAL TIMES TO GET IN TOUCH WITH HIM. ARISMENDI
 TO DATE. TRUJILLO HE IS SURE THAT HE CAN COUNT ON AT LEAST 2,000 MEN AND THAT PROBABLY
 HE CAN RECRUIT MORE.)

1. THE GUATEMALAN GOVERNMENT WILL SOON ASK ARISMENDI TO LEAVE GUATEMALA, AS A
 RESULT OF A REQUEST RECEIVED FROM THE DOMINICAN FOREIGN MINISTRY. ARISMENDI WILL THEN
 TRY TO ENTER NICARAGUA OR HAITI, NEITHER OF WHICH WILL GRANT HIM A VISA. ARISMENDI
 WILL THEN RETURN TO SPAIN. (HEADQUARTERS COMMENT: ON 2 APRIL 1964, THE NICARAGUE

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GOVERNMENT REFUSED TO GRANT ARISMENDI A RESIDENCE VISA. HOWEVER, [REDACTED]
 [REDACTED] (S) REPORTED IN TDCS-3/575,900 THAT HAITIAN PRESIDENT FRANCOIS DUVALIER WOULD EXCUSE
 HIS BIAS TO ANY PLOTTING BY ARISMENDI IN HAITI AND THAT HE WOULD EVEN SUPPLY HAITIAN
 MERCENARIES IN RETURN FOR TWO MILLION DOLLARS DEPOSITED IN A BANK OF HIS, DUVALIER'S,
 CHOICE.)

5. SEE TDCS-3/580,175 AND TDCS-3/575,900 FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON THE ACTIVITIES
 OF THE TRUJILLOS REGARDING AN OVERTHROW OF THE DOMINICAN GOVERNMENT.

6. FIELD DISSEM: STATE, ARMY, NAVY, AIR (SANTO DOMINGO, GUATEMALA CITY, MANAGUA,
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