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REF: PACY 0411 (IN 95799) (NOT TO MUNI)

1. FOLLOWING SUMMARY RECENT TRAFFIC ON ERNEST MOSSACK OF  
 FRAN MUNI. ACCORDING ODTEST MOSSACK HAS PERSISTENTLY SOUGHT CONTACT  
 WITH U.S. MIL INTELL PERSONNEL IN PANAMA SINCE 1961. CLAIMS  
 NUMEROUS CONTACTS CUBA AND AMONG CUBAN EXILES CENTRAL AMERICA AND  
 MEXI. RECENTLY INFORMED ODTEST HE HAS SOURCE HE HOPES SEND CUBA  
 WITHIN FOUR TO SIX MONTHS. ACCORDING MOSSACK SOURCE IS CARLOS  
 ALBERTO ECHAGUE NICKLAS BORN 20 JAN 42 SANTIAGO, CHILE. EDUCATED  
 COLEGIO ALEMAN, SANTIAGO CHILE. CURRENTLY PANAMA ON TOURIST CARD.  
 MOSSACK SENT ECHAGUE MEXICO 11 AUG 63 TO ESTABLISH CONTACT WITH  
 CUBANS WITH VIEW GETTING INVITATION VISIT CUBA. RESULTS NOT YET  
 KNOWN BUT ODTEST PLANS INTERVIEW ECHAGUE AND IF HE PROVES VALUABLE  
 ODTEST PREPARED TURN OVER KODAK. MEANWHILE ODTEST DESIRES  
 INVESTIGATE CI IMPLICATIONS AND DETERMINE MOSSACK MOTIVES FOR

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PERSISTENT INTEREST PURSUING CONTACTS WITH U.S. MIL. INTELL. PERSONNEL. SAGO LIAISON TRACES INDICATE ECHAGUE TRAVELLED AMERICA NOV 62, THEN TO PERU, ECUADOR, COLOMBIA ON PASSPORT 6315. REVALIDATED EECOTA FEB 63 WHEN FOREIGN OFFICE SO APPROVED AFTER FBIAR CHECK REVEALED NO CRIMINAL RECORD AND NO KNOWN POL AFFILIATION. 18 MARCH 63 COLOMBIAN GOVERNMENT REPORTED TO CHILEAN FOREIGN OFFICE THAT ECHAGUE AMONG GROUP DELEGATES AND OBSERVERS TO COMMUNIST FRONT EECOTA, THAT HE HAD APPLIED FOR PERMANENT COLOMBIA VISA, THAT HE WAS ON COLOMBIAN WATCH LIST.

2. HEADQUARTERS TRACES REVEAL FOLLOWING INFO MOST LIKELY PERTAINING ECHAGUE:

A. CARLOS ECHAGUE, SECRETARY WORLD FEDERATION DEMOCRATIC YOUTH, KNOWN COMMUNIST FRONT, ATTENDED YOUTH CONGRESS FOR NATIONAL LIBERATION NOV 61 ARGENTINA (VIA 19112) 7 NOV 61

B. CARLOS ECHAGUE LED YOUTH DELEGATION TO 74th CONGRESS BOLIVIAN REVOLUTIONARY YOUTH LEAGUE ELAF BATOR MARCH 62 (VIA 19112 28 MARCH 62).

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C. CARLOS ECHAGUE, SECRETARY SPDY VISITED SEVERAL  
LATIN AMERICAN COUNTRIES NOV 62 TO JAN 63 IN REQUEST OF NOV  
TO 5 DEC 62. (WZY NEWS FEB 63)

D. CARLOS ECHAGUE ATTENDED DINNER FOR VISITING SOVIET  
DELEGATIONS HAVANA JAN 63. EXPRESSED UNANIMOUS SUPPORT FIDEL  
CASTRO. (FEIS JAN 63).

3. REQUEST BUREAU AND PACY VIEWS ON DESIRABILITY TERMINATING  
BOSSACK THROUGHOUTS FRENCHLING AND INSECURE INTELL ACTIVITY BY  
ATTEMPTING HAVE CATIDE RECALL AND FIRE HIM. UNLIKELY HE WILL  
PRODUCE ANYTHING WORTHWHILE, AND ANY VALUE ACQUIRING KUBARK AND  
COTEST THEM. ABILITY MONITOR HIS ACTIVITIES OUTWAGED BY GENERAL  
SECURITY AND DISEASE FACTORS. ALSO SEE POTENTIAL DEBARASSMENT  
IN FACT BOSSACK'S CATIDE AFFILIATION UNDOUBTEDLY WELL KNOWN TO  
OPPOSITION WHO ALSO PROBABLY AWARE HIS US BACKGROUND. THEREFORE  
FEEL IT WOULD GIVE ANY IMPRESSION AMERICAN SPIONAGE BOSSACK

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ACTIVITIES UNLESS THERE GOOD REASON BELIEVE BE OTHER THAN GOOD COMMUNIST HE APPEARS.

1 BASIS ABOVE INFO WHAT IS MUNI BEST ESTIMATE PROBABILITY OBTAINING CATED CONCURRENCE RECALL AND TERMINATION MESSAGE IN BEST INTERESTS WESTERN INTELL EFFORT IF MUNI COMMENT FAVORABLE REQUEST PACY ATTEMPT OBTAIN OUTST AGREEMENT

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