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ANTONIO CONSTANZO PALAU; GERALD PATRICK HEMMING, ETAL, NM,
 (S-DR.)

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RE CIA MESSAGE JUNE 9 INST ENTITLED "RECRUITMENT OF CUBA
 EXILES IN MIAMI, FLORIDA TO ASSIST GENERAL ANTONIO IMBERT
 BARRERAS, HEAD OF THE LOYALIST FORCES IN THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC"

[REDACTED] A CUBAN REFUGEE IN MIAMI, WHO HAS FURNISHED
 RELIABLE INFO IN THE PAST, AND WHO REQUESTED HIS IDENTITY BE
 PROTECTED, ON JUNE 10 INSTANT FURNISHED THE FOLLOWING.

CONSTANZO AND HEMMING IN MIAMI ARE RECRUITING CUBAN REFUGEES
 AND AMERICAN ADVENTURERS TO GO TO THE DR AS COMMANDOS.

AFTER THE TOTAL OF 49 CUBANS AND 11 AMERICANS ARE RECRUITED
 THEY WILL BE ARMED WITH FAL AND AR 15 RIFLES AND SENT TO DR BY
 PRIVATE PLANE. THEY WILL HAVE VISAS TO ENTER DR. EACH COMMANDO
 WILL RECEIVE 200 TO 250 DOLLARS ON DEPARTURE FROM USA AND WILL
 RECEIVE \$50 A DAY COMBAT PAY. CONSTANZO CLAIMS THEY WILL LEAVE
 ON JUNE 12 NEXT; PLACE OF DEPARTURE UNKNOWN. THE RECRUITS HAVE
 NO ARMS AS YET. THE SOURCE OF THE ARMS AND MONEY IS UNKNOWN.
 CONSTANZO CLAIMS THE SOURCE IS GENERAL IMBERT AND THE COMMANDOS
 WILL FIGHT WITH HIS FORCES. HEMMING CLAIMS THE SOURCE OF MONEY
 IS AMERICAN BUSINESS MEN WHO ARE EMPLOYING THESE COMMANDOS TO
 GUARD THEIR FACTORIES AND BUSINESSES IN [REDACTED] SAID
 HIS SOURCE IS RAMON ESCARDA RUBIO WHO IS IN CONSTANT CONTACT WITH
 CONSTANZO AND HEMMING. [REDACTED] SAYS CONSTANZO IS UNRELIABLE,
 IRRESPONSIBLE, AND ADVENTURER WHO EVERYDAY HAS A NEW PLAN FOR

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REVOLUTIONARY ACTIVITY. [] THINKS THIS EXPEDITION IS HIGHLY UNLIKELY TO HAPPEN. CONSTANZO AND HEMMING USE AN APPLICATION FORM FOR RECRUITS TO COMPLETE. OF THE THOUSANDS OF YOUNG UNEMPLOYED CUBAN REFUGEES IN MIAMI, RECRUITMENT IS EASY.

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U.S. CUSTOMS MIAMI SAID THEY HAVE NOT RECEIVED RE [CIA] (S) (U) MESSAGE AND WILL DETERMINE LATER IF THEY WILL ACTIVELY INVESTIGATE THIS MATTER.

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MIAMI OFFICE IS MAINTAINING CONSTANT CONTACT WITH [] AND WILL KEEP THE BUREAU ADVISED. BUREAU IS REQUESTED TO PRESENT THIS MATTER TO DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE TO ASCERTAIN IF A N.M. NEUTRALITY MATTER INVESTIGATION IS REQUESTED. MIAMI WILL SUBMIT THIS INFO IN FORM SUITABLE FOR DISSEMINATION LOCALLY. LHM FOLLOWING.

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