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TO : Director, FBI (109-430) ~~SECRET~~
FROM : Legal Attache, Havana, Cuba (109-32)

DATE: September 3, 1954
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SUBJECT: CARLOS PRIO SOCARRAS, ET AL
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Re Havana cable [9-3-54] setting forth information concerning possible revolutionary activities in Cuba in the near future.

Attached are copies of a blind memorandum dated 9-3-54 and captioned "ANTI-BATISTA ACTIVITIES" which contains a summary of information received to date on this matter. Copies of this memorandum were disseminated locally to the Charge d'Affaires, [the CIA], and the Air, Army and Naval Attaches.

The sources as they appear in the memorandum are identified as follows:

ROBERTO VILA, former Cuban police officer and brother-in-law of MARIANO FAGET, head of the undercover organization of the Cuban Army SIM in Miami. VILA resides in Miami and called at the Havana office on 9-2-54 while visiting in Havana.

EARL COPELAND, reporter for the English language daily, "THE HAVANA POST."

EDWARD "TED" SCOTT, columnist of "THE HAVANA POST."

The Bureau will be advised of any new developments in this matter.

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7 corrected copies of page 1 of attached memo sent to Legat, Havana for further dissemination.

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