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TO DIRECTOR, FBI /10/ AND SAC, MIAMI

FROM SAC, NEW YORK 105- NEW 1 P.
INTERNAL SECURITY-CUBA

RE.. EL PIRATA COFRESI, IS DASH CUBA. RE BU TELETYPE, FIVE THREE,
SIXTY ONE, AND MIAMI TELETYPE, FIVE FOUR, SIXTY ONE. NY PSI

POTENTIAL SECURITY INFORMANT

[REDACTED] ADVISED FIVE ONE AND FIVE FOUR,

SIXTY ONE THAT HE HAD NO INFORMATION CONCERNING THE HIJACKING
OF NATIONAL AIRLINES PLANE AND COULD NOT IDENTIFY SUBJECT

OTHER 4

BY DESCRIPTION FURNISHED IN REFERENCED MIAMI TEL. [REDACTED]

SAID COFRESI WAS THE NAME OF OLD TIME BUCCANEER WHO OPERATED
BETWEEN PUERTO RICO AND THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC, AND THEREFORE WAS

OF THE OPINION THAT SUBJECT WAS POSSIBLY EITHER PUERTO RICAN OR
DOMINICAN RATHER THAN CUBAN BECAUSE OF THE USE OF THIS NAME. [REDACTED]

WAS ALSO OF THE OPINION THAT COFRESI-S STATEMENT WITH REFERENCE

TO ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS OFFERED BY TRUJILLO TO KILL
CASTRO WAS THE TRUTH BECAUSE THIS WAS THE AMOUNT [REDACTED] KNEW

TRUJILLO HAD SET FOR CASTRO-S HEAD. IT IS NOTED BY DASH LINE
IN QUOTE "NEW YORK JOURNAL AMERICAN CLOSE QUOTE MAY TWO, SIXTY

ONE, REGARDING ABOVE MATTER WAS CARRIED AS DAN BRIGHAM RATHER

THAT DAN BRITTON. NYO WILL AWAIT FURTHER BUREAU INSTRUCTIONS
RELATIVE TO POSSIBLE CONTACT WITH BRIGHAM.

MAY 9 1961

END AND ACK JUN 8 1961

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cc: Mr. Belmont and
Mr. Danahoe

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