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TO : DIRECTOR

FROM : MEXICO CITY

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REF: DIR 67341

1. (LITAMIL-7) REPORTED 11 SEP AZCUE RETURNING PBRUMEN 4 OCT. IN RECENT CONVERSATION SHE ADVISED HIM NOT TO LEAVE.

(L-7), LITAMIL-3, AND AZCUE HAVE LONG STANDING CLOSE PERSONAL RELATIONSHIP, AZCUE HAS TOLD (L-7) DESPITE FACT WIFE AND DAUGHTER WISH REMAIN MEXI HIS DUTY IS RETURN PBRUMEN. (L-7) REPORTS AZCUE SAD TO LEAVE MEXI AFTER 19 YEARS.

2. (L-7) FEELS AZCUE WILL RETURN DESPITE FEELINGS OF WIFE AND DAUGHTER.

3. L-3 INTENDS SEE AZCUE AGAIN SOON TO FOLLOW UP EARLIER APPROACHES MADE AT HIS OWN INITIATIVE, WILL DELVE MORE INTO AZCUE'S FEELINGS BUT HOLD OFF MAKING RECRUITMENT PITCH. L-3 ACKNOWLEDGES THAT AZCUE ALWAYS HAD COMMUNISTIC IDEAS BUT SAYS HE IS GOOD PERSON, CHARITABLE AND HUMANIZ.

L-3 DOES NOT THINK AZCUE WOULD AGREE TO RECRUITMENT IN PLACE.

4. OF INTEREST IS AMSAIL-1 APPRAISAL OF AZCUE WHICH COINCIDES WITH L-3 TO EFFECT SUBJECT CHARITABLE. ACCORDING TO A-1 AZCUE HAS BEEN VERY HELPFUL BY GRANTING PASSPORTS AND OTHER FAVORS TO KNOWN ANTI-CASTRO CUBANS.

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5. STATION WOULD BE INTERESTED SEE (CASAS)⁰⁴ IN MEXI ASAP BUT BELIEVE DECISION AS TO WHO SHOULD MAKE APPROACH, (CASAS)⁰⁴ OR L-3, MUST BE MADE LOCALLY AFTER CLARIFICATION OF EXTEND (CASAS)⁰⁴ AZCUE FRIENDSHIP BALANCED AGAINST AZCUE LONG STANDING FRIENDSHIP WITH AND HIGH RESPECT FOR L-3 MIGHT USE BOTH IN COMPARTMENTED ONE-TWO PUNCH.

6. STATION IS NATURALLY HOPING AND PLANNING FOR RECRUITMENT IN PLACE BUT WE FEEL MUST HAVE SOMETHING TO FALL BACK ON AND MUST REALISTICALLY CONSIDER ACCEPTABLE ALTERNATIVE OF OUTRIGHT DEFECTION. AGAIN REQUEST GUIDANCE ON FINANCIAL INDUCEMENTS WHICH MIGHT BE OFFERED

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C/S COMMENT: *STATED HQS OBJECTIVE IS RECRUITMENT IN PLACE AND NOT DEFECTION . REQUESTED MEXI PLAN OPS THIS REGARD

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