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GYROSE AMSPELL

- REF A. DIR 35785 (*aut 75881*)  
 B. CARA 6987 (*IN 51777*)\*

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1. FOLLOWING FROM ODACID OFFICER FROM CONVERSATION WITH  
 MANUEL BRANA, MEMBER OF CONSEJO REVOLUCIONARIO RECENTLY ARRIVED  
 VENE:

A. AMHINT-2 IN VENE AS RESULT REQUEST VENE GOVT. HAD  
 CONVERSATIONS WITH REAR ADMIRAL ARMANDO LOPEZ CONDE. AMHINT-2  
 ATTEMPTING NEGOTIATE USE OF ORCHILA ISLAND FOR TRAINING AND  
 OPERATIONS SITE FOR AMSPELLS. LOPEZ ASSISTED SIMILAR OPERATIONS  
 DURING LARRAZABAL REGIME FOR FIDEL IN 1958 AND PERSONALLY FAVORS  
 AMHINT-2 PROPOSAL, BUT LOPEZ NEEDS BETANCOURT APPROVAL. AMHINT-2  
 ASKED USE OTHER VENE BASE IF ORCHILA NOT AVAILABLE.

2. ACCORDING CIRAKE-2, AMHINT-2 AND THREE OTHER MEMBERS  
 (PORTION CARRIED - BEING SVCD)  
 (PARENT ORGANIZATION)  
 SPOKE AT PRIVATE MEETING OF 20 TO 30 VENEZUELAN,  
 CUBANS AND TWO AMERICANS 13 SEPT. PURPOSE MEETING URGE VENEZUELAN  
 FORM LOCAL ORGANIZATION TO PURCHASE BOATS FOR AMSPELLS. ONE PLEDGE

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OF TEN THOUSAND BOLIVARES RECEIVED.

3. CIRASH-6 TACITLY ADMITTED RESPONSIBILITY

PORTION CIRCLED - BEING SYCO  
(PORTION GBLD)  
AMHINT/2 VISIT VENEZUELA

SAID AMHINT-2 PLANNED DEPART VENE 14 SEPT ON LATIN  
AMERICAN TOUR.

END OF MESSAGE

CS COMMENT: \*NO EVIDENCE SUPPORT AMSPELL BY BETANCOURT; HOWEVER, CIARK-1 BELIEVES  
THAT AMSPELL VISIT VENE COORDINATED BY CIRASH-6 WHO CIRATAL-1 ADVISOR ON  
CUBAN MATTERS.

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