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REF: A. WASH 1282 (IN 31628)*

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B. WASH 8993 (IN 24440)

1. SINCE REF A SENT, CRESPI AND ALBERTO FERNANDEZ (REF B) HAVE AGREED COOPERATE AND CASE OFFICER HAS CONTINUED HELP ORGANIZE THEIR EFFORTS FOR OP WEST ORIENTE. BOTH MEN CONSIDER IMMEDIATE ACTION THEIR PART IMPERATIVE AND HAVE ALREADY ENTERED THE PRELIMINARY PLANNING STAGE. THEY ANXIOUS RECEIVE INDICATION CASE OFFICER READY SUPPORT THEIR EFFORTS.

2. CRESPI SENT [REDACTED] 06 [REDACTED] 1954 AT GIBARA ORIENTE CUBA TO HAVA AS TOURIST ON 27 OCTOBER. PURPOSE OF TRIP IS TO ARRANGE MEETING TO BE HELD AT SEA BETWEEN CRESPI AND ALBERTO AND FOLL PERSONS.

A. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WAS LARGE LAND OWNER UNTIL PROPERTY SEIZED BY INRA.

B. [REDACTED]

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C. [REDACTED] PRESENTLY A
CAPTAIN IN REVOLUTIONARY POLICE. REPORTEDLY HAS LARGE FOLLOWINGS
AND HAS BEEN WORKING AGAINST CASTRO SINCE MID 1959.

3. ROJAS HAS BEEN INSTRUCTED ATTEMPT LOCATE A RADIO OPERATOR
THRU THE ABOVE PERSONS. AFTER MEETING ARRANGED ROJAS WILL RETURN
MASH. ALBERTO WILL USE ONE OF HIS BOATS (MASH 8775) FROM MASH
FOR RENDEZVOUS MEETING. IF RADIO AVAILABLE HE WILL RETURN MASH AFTER
RENDEZVOUS WITH ALBERTO FOR TRAINING AND RETURN BLACK WITH CRESPI
TEAM.

4. PURPOSE OF ABOVE RENDEZVOUS MEETING IS TO OBTAIN FIRST HAND
DISSEMINATING SITUATION, ASSETS, SUGGESTED OPERATIONAL PROCEDURES,
TEACH INFIL AREAS, ETC. AND MAKE PRELIMINARY ARRANGEMENTS
FOR BLACK INFIL OF CRESPI AND FIVE INDIVIDUALS:

A. [REDACTED] OF PARA 2 ABOVE.

B. ANTONIO CUESTA VALLE BORN 13 JUNE 26 AT SANTIAGO DE CUBA.

C. PEDRO PENARANDA MACHADO BORN 14 SEPTEMBER 1944 AT MORON
CAMAGUEY.

D. CLYDE M. JEWETT BORN 15 AUGUST 1943 AT HOLGUIN ORIENTE.

E. RADIO - IF ONE EXFIL FROM CUBA RE PARA 2 ABOVE WILL
RETURN HIM. IF NOT WILL ATTEMPT OBTAIN SERVICES AMRASP NAVAL OP
8345 NOW BEING TRAINED MASH.

5. PROVIDED RENDEZVOUS PARA 2 ABOVE SUCCESSFUL AND MEETING
SATISFACTORY TO CRESPI IT IS PLANNED TO ORGANIZE TEAM AND COMMENCE
TRAINING FOR INFIL, SUBSEQUENT ARMS DELIVERY, OPERATIONS, ETC.

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1. THE INTELLIGENCE/TRAINING OFFICER WASH ASSIST READY CRESPI TEAM FOR INFIL.
2. WASH PROVIDE FUNDS ASSIST ARRANGE REVENUES PARA 2 AND SUBSISTENCE
FOR FAMILIES SUBJECTS PARA 3 AS OF 1 NOVEMBER IF OP APPROVED.

7. AFTER APPROVAL OP, POA'S WILL BE REQUESTED FOR CRESPI AND
SUBJECTS PARA 3, BUT REQUEST IMMEDIATE NAME CHECK FOR DEROGATORY
INFO.

END OF MESSAGE

C/S COMMENT: WASH NOW IN CONTACT WITH ANTONIO CRESPI LARRALDE. CRESPI WAS
SUGGESTED BY AMNORM/1 AS LEADER OF GROUP NOW IN WASH TO BE INFILTRATED INTO
ORIENTE AFTER AMNORM TEAM COULD GET CONTROL OF BEACH AREA.

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