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On 14 Feb 65 [EVENING] confirmed that de Morsenghiatt had sold his stockpile of acid to the Police Commercial Dept.

John Laporte (FBI) notified early of this 26 Feb 65

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8 February 1965

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SOURCE

A Haitian (C) in contact with the Polish Commercial Delegation in Port-au-Prince, who saw the draft.
Appraisal: It is probable that the draft was written as reported.

A draft of a letter to Joseph Etienne Charles, Director General of the Haitian Bank of Commerce was seen in the office of Vladimir Gellert, Polish Commercial Representative in Port-au-Prince in mid-January 1965. The draft indicated that George De Mornochville had agreed to the sale of 60 tons of grade 2 and 7 steel, the former at 9.4 U.S. cents per pound FOB, the latter at a slightly different price. The draft referred to some sales conditions already agreed upon and stated that if there were no review of objections to the sale terms within three days, it would be assumed that the conditions of sale were acceptable.

Field Comment: Mr. George De Mornochville is an American geologist under contract to the Haitian government to make a geological survey of Haiti. According to De Mornochville's contract with the Haitian government dated 13 May 1963, De Mornochville was to be paid \$30,000 cash and the balance of \$665,360 in steel at the rate of 35 cents per month. The value of the steel was to be determined by the market price less 5%. De Mornochville is also associated with General Joseph Charles in a company to explore steel production in the Lake Mary, Haiti area.

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