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SUBJECT TYPIC/QUWEB - Identification of Movimiento de Recuperacion (MRR) Members

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REFERENCE(S)
The following operational data were obtained from QUWEB interrogation of CC-2158, Jose Alcides PLA Fernandez, a Cuban refugee who left Cuba on 7 March 1964. He was an involuntary militiaman until July 1961 when he left the militia and was employed as a storekeeper by Lineas Mambisa until September 1962. From September 1962 until his departure from Cuba he helped his parents and worked as a self-employed brick mason and carpenter.

1. The MRR is described by source as being a fairly active counter-revolutionary organization.
2. The MRR leaders are unknown to source. He has knowledge of the following members:

a. Juan ⁰⁶ MOTOLONGO Rodriguez, ^{HR4} alias "El Guajiro," an itinerant lottery ticket vendor. He was the ⁰⁸ secretary of Hernan Santiesteban who was chief of the Policia Judicial in the Batista regime. His principal activity against the Castro regime consists in the collection of food, medicine, and clothing for the El Escambray counterrevolutionaries. He delivers the articles he has collected to "La Rubia" (see below). ⁰⁶ Motolongo lives on calle Maloia No. 4, Apt. 102, Habana. He is Caucasian, has dark hair, some 5' 9" tall, is stout (some 190 lbs.) and is approximately 50 years of age. He is single. ^{06, 08} The mother-in-law of source is Motolongo's concubine. Her name is Ester Caridad CABRERA Diaz.

b. "La Rubia." Her real name is not known to source. She is Caucasian, blonde, short, stout and approximately 26 years old. She works in a small, third class coffee sales establishment located on the corner of Monte and Aguila streets, Habana. The articles collected by Motolongo are taken by "La Rubia" to Sancti Spiritus, Las Villas, approximately every fifteen days.

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