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**18 DEC 1967**

**TO : Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Attention: Mr. S.J. Papich**

**FROM : Deputy Director for Plans**

**SUBJECT: Alleged Plot to Invade Haiti**

1. Reference is made to this Agency's CSCI-316/05378-67, subject as above.

2. The following additional information on the alleged plot to invade Haiti was received from a usually reliable source on 13 December 1967:

George TAVRIDAKIS of Cogswell and Harrison, Ltd., 168 Piccadilly W.1, London, England, informed John PETERS, well-known British mercenary residing in London, that he, TAVRIDAKIS, had received an advance of U.S. \$200,000 as "good faith money for the Haitian mercenary scheme."

3. According to source, PETERS could not provide any information regarding the source of the funds referred to above nor the date that TAVRIDAKIS received them; however, PETERS informed source that "he was certain that TAVRIDAKIS has the money." PETERS also informed source that he plans to travel to the United States around the Christmas holidays. PETERS did not identify his destination in the United States nor the exact date he plans to travel.

4. Any additional information received by this Agency will be forwarded promptly.

**CSCI-316/05459-67**

**ccs: Department of State  
Defense Intelligence Agency  
Department of the Army  
Department of the Navy  
Bureau of Customs  
Immigration and Naturalization Service**

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