

DRAFT MEMORANDUM

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To: Barry Harrleson, CIA/HRG

From: Manuel E. Legaspi, ARRB Staff

Subject: Operational Reports, Cuban Exile Groups

In recent weeks members of the ARRB staff have attempted to locate and/or ascertain the disposition of monthly operational reports for certain Cuban exile groups which (in some cases, allegedly) worked with the Central Intelligence Agency during the years 1963 and 1964.

Our initial survey of the JFK Segregated Collection and the Microfilm reels indicates that monthly operational reports do exist for one group in particular (the Directorio Revolucionario Estudiantil (DRE)), but that reports for the time frame immediately surrounding the assassination of President Kennedy are not present in the collection.

To the extent that it is possible, could you and your staff please assist us in identifying, if they should exist, monthly operational reports for the time frame March 1963 - March 1964 for the following exile groups:

- The Directorio Revolucionario Estudiantil (DRE)
- Cuban Revolutionary Council (CRC)
- Movimiento Recuperacion Revolucionario (MRR)

Thanks for your help.