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RE CIA MESSAGE JUNE 9 LAST ENTITLED "RECRUITMENT OF CUBA
EXILES IN MIAMI, FLORIDA TO ASSIST GENERAL ANTONIO IMBERT
BARRERAS, HEAD OF THE LOYALIST FORCES IN THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

[Redacted] A CUBAN REFUGEE IN MIAMI, WHO HAS FURNISHED
RELIABLE INFO IN THE PAST, AND WHO REQUESTED HIS IDENTITY BE
PROTECTED, ON JUNE 10 INSTANT FURNISHED THE FOLLOWING.

CONSTANZO AND HEMMING IN MIAMI ARE RECRUITING CUBAN REFUGEES
AND AMERICAN ADVENTURERS TO GO TO THE DR AS COMMANDOS.

AFTER THE TOTAL OF 49 CUBANS AND 11 AMERICANS ARE RECRUITED
THEY WILL BE ARMED WITH FAL AND AR 15 RIFLES AND SENT TO DR BY
PRIVATE PLANE. THEY WILL HAVE VISAS TO ENTER DR. EACH COMMANDO
WILL RECEIVE 200 TO 250 DOLLARS ON DEPARTURE FROM USA AND WILL
RECEIVE \$50 A DAY COMBAT PAY. CONSTANZO CLAIMS THEY WILL LEAVE
ON JUNE 12 NEXT; PLACE OF DEPARTURE UNKNOWN. THE RECRUITS HAVE
NO ARMS AS YET. THE SOURCE OF THE ARMS AND MONEY IS UNKNOWN.
CONSTANZO CLAIMS THE SOURCE IS GENERAL IMBERT AND THE COMMANDOS
WILL FIGHT WITH HIS FORCES. HEMMING CLAIMS THE SOURCE OF MONEY
IS AMERICAN BUSINESS MEN WHO ARE EMPLOYING THESE COMMANDOS TO
GUARD THEIR FACTORIES AND BUSINESSES IN *[Redacted]* SAID
HIS SOURCE IS RAMON ESCARDA RUBIO WHO IS IN CONSTANT CONTACT WITH
CONSTANZO AND HEMMING. *[Redacted]* SAYS CONSTANZO IS UNRELIABLE,
IRRESPONSIBLE, AND ADVENTURER WHO EVERYDAY HAS A NEW PLAN FOR

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PAGE TWO FROM MIAMI 110300

REVOLUTIONARY ACTIVITY. [] THINKS THIS EXPEDITION IS HIGHLY UNLIKELY TO HAPPEN. CONSTANZO AND HEMMING USE AN APPLICATION FORM FOR RECRUITS TO COMPLETE. OF THE THOUSANDS OF YOUNG UNEMPLOYED CUBAN REFUGEES IN MIAMI, RECRUITMENT IS EASY.

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U.S. CUSTOMS MIAMI SAID THEY HAVE NOT RECEIVED RE [CIA] (u) MESSAGE AND WILL DETERMINE LATER IF THEY WILL ACTIVELY INVESTIGATE THIS MATTER.

MIAMI OFFICE IS MAINTAINING CONSTANT CONTACT WITH [] AND WILL KEEP THE BUREAU ADVISED. BUREAU IS REQUESTED TO PRESENT THIS MATTER TO DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE TO ASCERTAIN IF A N.M. NEUTRALITY MATTER INVESTIGATION IS REQUESTED. MIAMI WILL SUBMIT THIS INFO IN FORM SUITABLE FOR DISSEMINATION LOCALLY. LHM FOLLOWING.

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