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Chief, Alien Affairs Staff

LANS, Pedro Nias - (302792)

1. On this date in response to my request to Mr. [redacted] of [redacted] Division, Mr. Bernard Reichardt, the MI representative in Miami, Florida, temporarily in Washington, telephonically contacted the writer. In response to the queries of the undersigned, Mr. Reichardt provided the following information:

The Immigration status of the subject at the present time is that of a lawfully admitted permanent resident alien. He is not under contract to CIA and he is not of operational use. He presently resides with his wife and other members of his family.

2. Mr. Reichardt also pointed out that since his earlier appearances before the Senate Sub-Committee on Internal Security, he has had no further contact with Congressional Committees. Mr. Reichardt further advised that with regard to the subject's activities which were publicized over the past weeks, CIA had no foreknowledge of those activities. He stated further that he was not contacted by the FBI concerning the recent activities of the subject.

3. From the above, although this Agency evidenced an interest in the subject in the past to the Immigration and Naturalization Service, it is apparent that CIA has no responsibilities with regard to him.

3. During this telephone conversation Mr. Reichardt also provided the following information concerning the subject's brother, Marcos Diaz LANE (302793):

Although this Agency interceded with the Immigration and Naturalization Service with regard to Marcos Diaz LANE's coming into the United States in the recent past, this individual has been paroled on his own recognizance and this Agency consequently has no responsibilities for his custody or other activities. Marcos resides in Florida with

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his wife, who recently arrived from Mexico. Mr. Balchardt
declared that he is not being operationally used by the
IN Division other than as a contact. He is not under con-
tract. From the above, it is apparent as in the case of
Johnnie Blue LANE, CIA has no responsibility for the good
conduct of Johnnie Blue LANE in the United States.

/SI

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