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1. FROM DATA PROVIDED REF, REINALDO PICO IS SUBJECT OF 201-284658. FOLLOWING OBTAINED FROM 201 FILE: DPOB 21 JULY 1933 IN REGLA HAVANA, CUBA, WIFE'S NAME CARMEN, FATHER'S NAME REGINO, MOTHER'S NAME MARIA DE LA PAZ. PER UFGA-964, 27 FEB 1961, HE WAS YOUNG UNION LEADER WHO FOUGHT BATISTA FROM RANKS OF 26TH OF JULY MOVEMENT. WAS MEMBER BRIGADE 2506 AND MEMBER PRISONERS EXCHANGE COMMISSION. SUBJECT REFUSED RETURN ~~TO~~ CUBA AFTER NEGOTIATIONS FAILED.

2. SUBJECT GRANTED POA 14 OCT 1960 FOR USE ~~BY~~ CUBAN PM ACTIVITIES, AND RECEIVED REINSTATEMENT POA ON 15 JUNE 1964 FOR CA OPERATIONS. OA GRANTED 16 FEB 1965 FOR USE IN INTERNATIONAL LABOR MATTERS. 8 OCT 64 SGSWIRL ASSESSMENT FAVORABLE.

3. SUBJECT'S PRQ PART II SHOWS HE AWARE OF WCFIRM RELATIONSHIP. WAS ALWAYS CLOSELY CONNECTED WITH CLASC AND CONSIDERS EMILIO MASPERO A PERSONAL FRIEND. HE PRESIDENT IN 1966 OF ORGANIZACION REGIONAL DE

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TRANSPORTE, A CLASC AFFILIATE. SUBJECT MAINLY INTERESTED IN STRONG ANTI-CASTRO POSITION.

4. SUBJECT PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION FOLLOWS: BROWN EYES, BLACK HAIR, HEIGHT 5'7", SOLID BUILD, LIGHT SALLOW COMPLEXION, EVEN FEATURES, WEIGHT 155 POUNDS (IN 1966). PHOTO AVAILABLE IF NEEDED. NO AGENT SERVICE RECORD IN 201.

5. UFGA-24874, 29 MARCH 66, GAVE ASSESSMENT OF SUBJECT WHO CHARACTERIZED AS SOMETIMES IMPULSIVE AND PUTS HIS FOOT IN MOUTH, AGGRESSIVE, BETTER-EDUCATED THAN AVERAGE CUBAN LABOR LEADER WHO MAY BE INFLUENCED OR AWED BY MASPERO. [REDACTED] TO NO FIRM ~~WILL HAVE TO BE TAKEN~~ <sup>WILL HAVE TO BE TAKEN</sup> ~~IF WE HAVE TO TAKE HIS~~ <sup>AT</sup> ~~RESIDENCE~~ WITH GRAIN OF SALT. G

6. FOR WH/MIAMI: IF YOU HAVE SUBJECT'S 201 MAY BE MORE EFFICIENT POUCH TO CARACAS IF HE TO REMAIN VENEZUELA FOR ANY TIME.

7. FILE 201-284658 AND <sup>23</sup>364-17.

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\* Pico reported joining Pierre Rigaud's Haiti invasion group. 1107  
 interested in establishing contact with Pico and requested traces,  
 extent and assessment WOFIRM relationship with him.

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