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MANY PROBLEMS WHICH DEFY SOLUTION BUT WHAT WORKIES AMTHUG MOST IS HE UNABLE SEE WAY OUT OF AND SOLUTION TO CRISIS. ALL ECONOMIC PLANS END IN FAILURE. ANTHUG BLAMES PERSONALITITIES INVCLVED AND PUBLICLY CASTIGATES THEM BUT REFUSES BELIEVE SYSTEM IS WRONG. RESULT IS ANTHUG ASSUMES PERSONAL RESPONSIBILITY FOR MORE PROGRAMS AND FEVER PEOPLE ARE VILLING TAKE RESPONSIBILITY FOR PLACNING. "EVEN ANTHUG," ACCORDING TO AMLASH ONE, IS UNABLE TO DIRECT ALL PROGRAMS HE HAS ASSUMED. CUSA REALIZES SOVIET UNION CANNOT CARE FOR ALL HER NEEDS UNDER EXISTING CONDITIONS. THEREFORE, CUBA'S CHANGE IN FOREIGN COMMERCIAL POLICY PLACING INCREASED EMPHASIS ON TRADE WITH NON-BLOC COUNTRIES. IN BEGINNING WHEN CUBA HAD FOREIGN EXCHANGE THIS POLICY SHOVED SOME PROMISE BUT WITH EXCHANGE LACKING CUBA UNABLE MEET TERMS PRESENT COMMERCIAL AGREEMENTS AND IS FINDING IT DIFFICULT NEGOTIATE NEW AGREEMENTS. WHICH HAVE BEEN NEGOTIATED CONTAIN TERMS UNFAVORABLE TO CUBA. THE ECONOMIC COMMERCIAL DILEMMA IS PRIMARY REASON FOR AMBASSADOR CARRIL

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HETURA TO HAVARA. PIERRE NIETO, FRENCH BUSINESMAN, WHO IS IN HAVARA IS PROPOSING A SIXTY MILLION DOLLAR TRADE PACKAGE FOR WHICH NIETO CLAIMS HE CAN ARRANGE FRENCH FINANCING. THIS IS ONE OF THE SPECIFICS WHICH CARRILLO IS DISCUSSING WITH AMTHUG AND CHE GUEVARA. (COMMENT: CARRILLO DOES NOT LIKE AND DOES NOT GET ALONG WITH NIETO). AMLASH ONE STATES THAT IN FEW WEEKS BEFORE HE LEFT HAVANA NOVEMBER 64 THERE WAS DISTINCT CHANGE IN ATTITUDES HIGH CUBAN OFFICIALS WITH RESPECT TO UNITED STATES. BASED ON CONVERSATIONS 4 WITH OFFICIALS CLOSE TO AMTHUG, AMLASH ONE IS CONVINCED AMTHUG IS WILLING AND SEARCHING FOR OPENINGS TO TRY ENTER INTO COMMERCIAL DIALOGUE WITH UNITED STATES.

S. BECAUSE ANTHUG IS TAKING PERSONAL RESPONSIBILITY FOR MANY
OF THE ECONOMIC PROGRAMS AND ALSO FAILING, MORE PEOPLE ARE BEGINNING
TO CRITICIZE ANTHUG, BUT STILL NOT TO DEGREE PERMITTING THEMSELVES
DISCUSS POSSIBILITY OF GETTING RID OF HIM. IN THIS RESPECT,
AMLASH ONE IS MORE CONVINCED THAN EVER THAT ANTHUG IS ONLY KEY TO
THE CUBAN PROBLEM AND WHILE IN PLACE NO ONE DARES ATTEMPT GREANIZE
COUP AGAINST HIS REGIME. THIS INCLUDES INDIVIDUALS SUCH AS CALTE
EFIGENIO AMEIJEIRAS DELGADO AND JOSE NARANJO MORALES WHO ALTHOUGH
CPPOSED TO WHAT IS HAPPENING IN CUBA ARE AFRAID TO WORK OR EVEN
PLAN A MOVE AGAINST ANTHUG. AMLASH ONE STATES THEY ACT THIS WAY
WITH GOOD REASON. ONCE THEY DECLARE FRANCE WEST AFRAIST. AMTHUG

TO ANYBODY INSIDE CUBA THEY RN VERY HIGH RISK OF BEING COMPROMISED.

OTHER INDIVIDUALS WHO REACH POINT OF TOTAL FRUSTRATION EITHER LEAVE

CUBA, IF THEY CAN, OR RESIGN THEIR POSITIONS AS DID JOSE ASSEF YARA.

ASSEF HELD SECOND POSITION IN HAVANA, AND HAD BEEN OFFERED JOB AS

CHIEF JUCEI MARIANAD. ASSEF WAS CONVINCED EVERY HIGH OFFICIAL IN THE

MUNICIPALITY MUST BE REPLACED AND BECAME CONVINCED THAT IF HE DID

REAGVE THEM HE WOULD NT RECEIVE THE BACKING OF THE REGIME. ASSET
PRESENTLY ATTENDING CLASSES AT THE UNIVERSITY HOPING TO CONTINUE HIS
MEDICAL STUDIES. AMENDA ONE RECENTLY TALKED TO JUAN NUIRY SANCHEZ
ABOUT THE DISASTROUS SITUATION IN THEIR COUNTRY. IN SIMPLY
LISTENING TO AMENDA ONE TALK, MUIRY TURNED PALE. SO CONTINUES THE
SITUATION BUT AMENDA ONE BELIEVES THAT WITHOUT ITS BEING ADMITTED,
MORE OFFICIALS IN REGIME ARE REACHING THE SAME CONCLUSION HE REACHED
THREE YEARS AGO "THE ONLY CURE FOR RADIES IS GET RID OF THE DOG."

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4. AMLASH ONE ALTHOUGH UNHAPPY BECAUSE UNABLE PROCEED WITH HIS
PLANS, STILL FEELS THIS ONLY SOLUTION AND HE MUST CONTINUE TRYING.

AMLASH ONE STATED HE WAS GLAD BE ABLE GET OUT OF CUBA AS SAFETY

VALVE FOR RELIEVING PRESSURES WHICH DEVELOP AND WHICH PERSON UNABLE
EVEN TALK ABOUT WITHOUT COMPROMISING HIMSELF INSIDE CUBA. AMLASH

ONE REPORTS HE HAD FEW SCARES IN PAST YEAR BUT NOTHING SERIOUS

ENOUGH PREVENT HIS RETURN. THE INCIDENT WITH THE PROCEGUM WHICH CHAPTER

THE PROCESS IN PAST YEAR BUT NOTHING SERIOUS

ENOUGH PREVENT HIS RETURN. THE INCIDENT WITH THE PROCESSION WHICH CHAPTERS

THE PROCESSION AS SERIOUS AS REPORTED. IN AUGUST 1994

AMLASH ONE RENTED A HOUSE NEXT TO THAT OF ANTHUG AT VARADERO BUT BEFORE HE WAS ABLE TO MOVE IN THE SECURITY SERVICE CONFISCATED THE HOUSE. QUESTIONS ABOUT AMLASH ONE WERE ASKED OF SEVERAL PEOPLE IN VARADERO BUT AS FAR AS AMLASH ONE CAN ASCERTAIN NOTHING MORE DEVELOPED. THIS FRUSTRATED AMLASH ONE AUGUST PLAN.

- 5. AMLASH ONE HAS NOT RAISED SUBJECT OF AMBIDDAY 1. FEEL THIS

 SUBJECT WILL BE RAISED AFTER AMBHIP/1 RETURNS FROM SPAIN AS SUSPECT

 THIS PROBABLY REASON FOR TRIP.
- 6. AMLASH ONE TRAVELING ON DIPLOTIC PASSPORT, RANK CF.

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