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1. REQUEST TRACES RAFAEL GARCIA-BANGO DIRUBE, DPOB 22 APRIL 31 HABANA, LAWYER WHO ARRIVED FROM CUBA 15 MARCH. INTRODUCED TO STATION OFFICER BY QUGROWL/2 AFTER SUBJ CLAIMED HAD INFO OF URGENT INTEREST TO ODYOKE. Q/2 SAID SUBJ FROM GOOD FAMILY BUT SUBJ HIMSELF KNOWN AS CON MAN WHO HAS LIVED BY WITS AND FAST BUCK POLICY.

2. SUBJ CLAIMS CONTACT WITH GROUP CUBAN MILITARY LEADERS WHO PLANNING ELIMINATE FIDEL AND TAKE OVER GOVT. ALTHOUGH REFUSED REVEAL IDENTITIES SAID THEY NEEDED ASSURANCE ODYOKE ² WOULD PROVIDE MORAL SUPPORT. QUICKLY BECAME CLEAR HE REFERRING TO AMLASH/1 AFTER SUBJ MENTIONED HE IN TOUCH WITH AMLASH/2 HERE. SAID AMLASH/2 PRESENT SITUATION DIFFICULT SINCE MAINTAINING CONTACT WITH CUBAN EMB AND ODYOKE BUT A/2 UNCERTAIN HIS ACTUAL STATUS WITH LATTER. CO DENIED ANY KNOWLEDGE A/2 CONNECTION WITH ODYOKE. LATER QUGROWL/2 SAID SUBJ WAS

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IN AMLASH/2 HOME EARLIER SAME DAY WITH AMLASH/3 PRESENT AND

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PHONED UNUSUALLY IN PARIS. G/2 UN-AWARE WHAT DISCUSSED.

3. SUBJ SAID LAST SAW A³LASH/1 HABANA 9 APRCH. HAS ALWAYS BEEN PUBLICLY IDENTIFIED AS CLOSE FRIEND A³LASH/1.

4. SUBJ BROTHER IS JORGE GARCIA-BANCO, AIDE TO JOSE LLANUSA OF INDER WHO ARRANGED EXIT PERMIT DESCRIBED LLANUSA AS A "NO-GOOD OPPORTUNIST AND NOT AWARE ANY ABOVE PLANS.

5. SUBJ WAS LAWYER FOR CAPRI HOTEL IN HABANA. IN JULY 52 JAILED 75 DAYS IN LA CASANA ON CHARGES BEING KUBARK AGENT AND FOR DEFENDING (FNU) TRAFFICANTE, U.S. CIT EX-MANAGER CAPRI GAMBLING CASINO WHO KICKED OUT OF CUBA. SUBJ WOULD HAVE BEEN SENTENCED DURING STAY LA CASANA SUBJ APPROACHED BY G-2 ON BEHALF MANUEL PINEIRO ASKING HIM WORK AGAINST MIAMI EXILE GROUPS. CLAIMS HE REFUSED RE POLITICAL TYPE INFOREQ AND OFFERED SERVE G-2 IN ILLEGAL BUSINESS DEALS ABROAD, HOWEVER G-2 WOULD NOT TRUST HIM WITH MONEY AND MATTER DROPPED.

6. IN JULY 54 SUBJ AGAIN JAILED BRIEFLY FOR SELLING WITHOUT LICENSE AFTER BECAME INVOLVED IN DEAL TO SELL 7,000 SPOONS TO CUBAN ARMY. GOC DECLARED HIM UNDESIRABLE AND SUGGESTED HE LEAVE COUNTRY. G/2 UN-AWARE WHY DEPARTURE

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DELAYED UNTIL NOV.

7. SUBJ WAS IN CONTACT WITH NOBREGAS (PROBABLY MILLIN) IN HABANA, BROTHER OF JORGE NOBREGAS IN MIAMI, TO WHOM HE SPOKE BY PHONE PRIOR DEPARTURE. ALSO FRIEND OF CARLOS PRIO AND DR. JULIO GARCERAN IN MIAMI, WHO SUBJ WOULD LIKE SEE SOON. SUBJ CLAIMS WILLINGNESS RETURN CUBA EITHER LEGALLY OR CLAUDESTINELY TO CONTACT GROUP LEADERS INSIDE.

8. HINTED THAT MAJOR ALDO SANTAMARIA, CHIEF TANK DIVISION, INVOLVED IN PLOT AND BELIEVES SANTAMARIA BEING CLOSELY SURVEILLED BY CONSTANT COMPANION MAJOR FLAVIO BRAVO, COMMIE STRAINED IN USSR. SAID "BUDDY SYSTEM" OF SURVEILLANCE EMPLOYED BY GOC TO KEEP AN EYE ON POTENTIALLY DISAFFECTED LEADERS, I.E. ANY WHO FAIL MAKE OPEN SHOW OF RADICALISM AND BLIND OBEDIENCE TO REGIME.

9. PLS ADVISE ANY INTEREST PURSUING CONTACT WITH SUBJ AND ANY HQS GUIDANCE.

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CORR PRTN PARA 2 TO READ: "NEEDED ASSURANCE ODYOKE WOULD PROVIDE MORAL SUPPORT."

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