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TO MANA INFO GUAT, HAVA, PACY [Handwritten] CITE DIR

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1. TELEPHONE INTERCEPT CALL 9 MAY TO IRVING DAVIDSON WASHINGTON FROM
TED LEWIN MANILA INDICATES THEY PROBABLY MAKING DEAL SELL NIC ARMS FE AREA.
MENTIONED USING FRIGATE TO TRANSPORT.

2. REQUEST YOU MONITOR ANY PLANNED MOVEMENT ARMS FROM YOUR AREA.
FYI, WE INTERESTED ALL ARMS SHIPMENTS FE AND INSURING THEY NOT FALL WRONG
HANDS THAT AREA.

3. PARA ONE INFO FROM JOINT SERVICE OP AND CANNOT BE DISSEMED NOW.
SUGGEST MANA AND GUAT DISCUSS IN GENERAL TERMS WITH AMB SINCE POSSIBLY
RELATED TO EMBDESP NO. 511 FROM MANA. DO NOT MENTION SOURCE OF INFO.

4. FOR HAVA, PACY, COULD IT BE POSSIBLE FRIGATE TO BE USED SAME AS
THAT MENTIONED PACY 386??

5. LEWIN, US CIT, KNOWN GAMBLER AND GANGSTER. WAS ACTIVE CARIBBEAN
AREA FOR SHORT TIME 56-57. NOW RETURNED HIS FORMER HAUNTS PHILLIPINES.
DAVIDSON, US CIT, COMMERCIAL AGENT FOR NIC GOVT. ARRANGED NIC PURCHASE
STAGBOUNDS ARMORED CARS FROM ISRAEL, AND RECENT RESALE 30 OF THESE TO CUBAN
GOVT.

FE/MANILA-ELLIOT (DRAFT)
COORDINATING OFFICER

END OF MESSAGE

*IN 32123
J. KING, CHIEF LHD
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