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7 March 1968

MEMORANDUM FOR: C/WH/COG  
Attention : Miss Nancye Gratz

SUBJECT : Cubans and the Garrison Investigation

1. As you know, Garrison continues to charge that a group of anti-Castro Cubans employed by CIA participated in the assassination of President Kennedy. The fact that he continues to publicize this accusation is of course cause for concern. You are also aware of the memorandum by Calvin Thomas, formerly stationed in Miami, the subject of which was "Possible DRE Animus Toward President Kennedy". This memorandum speculated about the possibility that CIA-associated Cubans might have played a part in the assassination.

2. For these reasons we have reviewed our full file on the Garrison case and have compiled a roster of all 47 Cubans who have been linked to Garrison's case in any way to date. Fourteen of these have not previously been reported to you by CI/R&A.

3. It is requested that full checks be run against your files, and those of the Miami Station, against all names not so traced to date. It is suggested that you consider all Cubans who had any affiliation with CIA from the point of view of known affiliations with Cuban exile groups and with each other, so that we are forearmed as well as possible before the trial of Clay Shaw et al, with its attendant publicity, gets under way.

Donovan E. Pratt  
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