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MEMORANDUM TO: C/P1/INT/LIAISON

FROM : C/A-5

SUBJECT : Passage of State Department and U. S. Army information to CIA representatives in Madrid and Paris and to [redacted]

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1. It is hereby requested that permission be granted to pass the confidential information from the State Department Foreign Service Despatch No. 1274 of 5 December 1960 and that from United States Army message No. C-333 (IK 70049), 25 December 1960, to both the CIA representatives in Madrid and Paris and to the [redacted]

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2. The material from the State Department concerns Eloy GUTIERREZ Menoyo, Spanish born Cuban national, who has recently dedicated his undivided attention to the anti-Franco movement in Cuba. He is the director in Cuba of the Spanish Liberation Army (Ejercito de Liberacion Espanol) and is currently carrying on a fund-raising campaign to "fill its officers".

3. The Army message also concerns Eloy GUTIERREZ Menoyo who, in connection with anti-Franco activity, allegedly plans to infiltrate some 4000 Cubans and persons of other nationalities into France to form a group bent on overthrowing Franco in Spain. It has been reported that approximately 1000 persons are already in France awaiting the arrival of the additional 4000, and there are arms and equipment for the entire force. All individuals leaving Cuba will carry Cuban passports regardless of their nationality.

4. In accordance with the Presidential Directive of 28 September 1958, this office certifies that passage of this information to CIA representatives in Paris and Madrid and also to the [redacted] will result in a net advantage to the interest of the United States.

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Several Agency sources have recently reported that Jay Outierres Henoyo, the leader of the 2nd Front Escambray organization (a revolutionary group consisting of persons who fought against Batista in the Escambray Mountains at the same time Fidel Castro was fighting in the Sierra Maestra) has recently dedicated his undivided attention to the anti-Franco movement in Cuba. He is the director in Cuba of the Spanish Liberation Army (Ejercito de Liberacion Espanol) and is currently carrying on a fund-raising campaign to fill its coffers. On November 25 in addressing the closing session of the Habana School of Arts and Crafts' "Week of Solidarity with the Spanish Liberation Army", Henoyo declared that the army was inside Spain, that it was not an army which would attack Spain from Q. S. The day of those in Q. S., he said, was to send economic resources to sustain the army. Spanish workers could not give sufficient assistance, he went on, because of the minimum wages they were paid (see enclosure 1).

Henoyo also took advantage of the opportunity to send a message in the name of the people of Cuba to those who were struggling in the "insurrectional army of Spain".

On November 29 an article appeared in El Mundo in which Henoyo "called on the Cuban people to support Spanish youth in its decision to liberate Spain from Franco's claws by action". Henoyo asked that each factory, office and business establishment organize a committee to help the Spanish cause (see enclosure 2). **EE OFFICIAL USE ONLY**

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Comments: Henoyo's intense concern with Spanish affairs is perhaps more Byzantine than patriotic. As a result, a number of former members of the 2nd Front Escambray including its leader in Q. S., Jose William Jorgan, have been arrested by Cuban intelligence services, or have been detected and gone into the

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For the Chief of Staff, A.I.

Henry K. Williams
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Another Emb off advised received following from source he is reliable in past. Shortly after first of year approx 4000 Cubans and persons of other nationalities will begin infiltrating into France to form group bent on overthrowing Franco in Spain. Leader of movement is Eloy Gutierrez Menoyo aided and supported by GOC. Source stated approx 1000 already in France and awaiting arrival other 4000 before making move against Spain. Said those now in France have arms and equipment for entire force. All individuals leaving Cuba will have Cuban passports regardless of nationality. Comment, Menoyo frequently reported as being at head of movement to overthrow France. Source found out details above when attempt made to recruit him for operation. Source will attempt find out location of concentration point or area in France, in meantime if French authorities alerted they might notice abnormal movement of individuals using Cuban passports. Request pass above to ARMA Paris and Madrid for info.

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