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SUBJECT: Documents Brought Out by ANNUG-1 and Mis Comments Concerning
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The REW Transcripts of Taped Interviews Between ANUC-1 and LUGOSCI

- 1. The room in which LUGOSCH spoke to ALIN-1 was wired by the RCP with the knowledge of LUGOSCH. Occasionally a number of RCP with a specific of Kronek alin-would enter the room and usually at this time LUGOSCH would give a brief surmary in English of points of interest. Attached are three of transcripts made by the RCP of English comments made by LUGOSCH, formall when are inaccurate in some respects but substatially reflect those parts of the interviews which were surmed up in English.
- 2. Individe suggested to the ACO that duplicate copies of the tapes be made so t at the ACO could provide KUB AR with a copy, retaining the original for the ACO. LANCOSCO provised that anything deflecting the interests of the Canada would be translated and furnished to the ACO and that, in addition, personalitizary information concerning CUIS officers would be provided to them.

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LINTRODUCTION

Very briefly we have gone over his history from his school days up to the present time, and be inve gone over in general what documents ho h a brought, and what his work in Intelligence is and what he knows that would a pear to be most significant to the present time . I am going to go over this fairly rapidly in English so that you will be (cot) up to date with me. One problem he raised is that he wants to go to ithe U.S. He has relatives there and tient lie intention was to work in the States in untters like this because he feels this is viere he will be most uteful. "is father-in-law and wife are both in Cuba and he is worried about his getting t'em out. He has given me his true more which is that which you have already mentioned to mention pseudonym which he used just for passport purposes to cover the trip outside. He also cave me the pseudonym vice he uses for his work incide which is Victor. There briefly, after he left school he and a couple of jobs and then ie began working with the OCth. of July movement. This is the never that which is an enti-Entista novement and his work in this rovement was the work of many others. We was to commit acts of sabotage inside Fuvana and also to do propoganda work, mo Wile he was , engaged in such activities he was taken prisoner in 1957

this was after a fire-fight. He was in a sire with another fellow, two police cars cane up, they exchanged shots but they were captured. He was beaten up and stayed in the Castillio princapay which is a fail in Mayana weith was kept in fail until February 1958 when he got out. When he got out of juil he went into the Sierra Mustra mountains Coloni wild: is the column of Rubero Mantoz who is a real Gunyho sort of fellow. We did engage in some ten or twelve fights, there is, fire-fights, during the time he was with Tubert That toz. Then When the Butista Government fell in January 1959, the column with which he was fighting was in Santa-Lyre de Cuba and he went to Havana with Miro Yarderes and a group of fellows close to Miro. got there he was assigned to the investigator department which at that time was headed by Aldo Verez Sorafin. and His particular job in this investigating department was to conduct investigations of illegal gambling, that is gambling which was done outside of the cabares and the gambling houses. He stayed in that job until Hovember, of 1959 when he was transferred to the 18th. precinct, a police station. There he was the second chief, and He stayed there and he stayed until January of 1961. At that time he was transferred to Mutional Police Meadquarters but he did not have any office assignment he was the stand-by officer and ho-stayed there without having any specific duties. He just signed the roster in the morning and took off, until the end of 1961 at which time he was transferred to a police battalion and He

remained with the police batallion until September of 1961. At this time he was transferred to the Castill @ calloro to study. This was a basic study and did not have anything to do with intelligence work. He was in school there until until December of 1961 when he got holiday leave. He decided that he did not want to stay in the Army anymore became this police work was still an assignment while he was in the Army. He had already began to have doubts about continuing to work for the Castro government and was thinking in terms of getting out. When he resigned from the Army his papers were not processed right away, we he did not report and he was reported for being away without leave. Decause of this difficulty he had some difficulty getting work and 🗯 was out of work until April 1962, ton he got a job in the Ministry of Exterior Commerce, the particular section in which he worked had to do with the importation of vehicles, and He remained there until August of 1963, and Ne had a friend named Saul Gonzalez who was an intelligence officer and through this friend he got a job in Intelligence. This particular friend is either the Chief or the 2nd Chief of what they call the illegal section - this is a section which specializes in training agents for assignments abroad, particularly in Latin America. When our friend here began working in Intelligence he was assigned to the Salvadordn Indexice that is the area about which he himself knows most from his own personal knowledge. This Intelligence Service for which he worked is called Section in loose language but is properly known as Directon General Intelligencia.

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Now this section is engaged in let us call them aggressive intelligence operations. In other words, it is an organization which exists for the purpose of collecting intelligence in other countries. It is distinct from the D.S.D., the Department of State Security, which is a counter intelligence group, the two of them completely separated but both intelligence organizations and he knows nost about the ord froup or the intelligence directorate, of which lanuel Finders, were well known as Red-Beard, he is the Chief. The other Section is $f^{Koldsymbol{\mathcal{I}}}$ Tasked some questions to which ${f I}$ already knew the answers and he also knows the answers, so I am not going to go over them, because they are not so is tore or less test questions. I important as would say now that he does know what he is talki this is not all invention. He recently made a trip to Mexico, and He made the trip to Mexico in order to contact a Communist Party group which was coming from Salva These were people with whom he had contact. They did not appear for the meeting, the meeting did not take place. He was in Mexico from the 14th. of March until the 23rd. of March and during that time (and at his own operational meetings did not take place, he did meet Two people from the Nicaraguayone of whom he met in the Cutan Embassy in Nexico and the other whom he met in a private house while in Mexico. In Mexico the more who the intelligence people are and One is the Cuban Consul Alfredo Miravel. He is called the Chief of the Contre, that is his title but he is actually, the intelligence chief,

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a replacement was sent to Mexico to take over and This fellows name is Manuel Vega. The says that the Commercial Attache whose name is Ricardo Concepcion (Me is not sure is an intelligence officer and another one is Regelio. (I might say that some of these names are familiar to me.) He also knows that in Italy the intelligence Officer is Roberto

ioro who has the cover job of lat. Secti communications are concerned he says that they have been using mostly accomposation addresses and secret writing. He says this has not been too successful however because the K-developer dont work so they get the letter and they go to develop it and they cant read it. They also use radio fund they are using & two-way radio which is quite interesting. Some of this radio is used for lets say normal transmissions back and forth, particularly in the case were Venezuela. Some of the radios which are issued are really only for emergency use, beople are not supposed to use them except in dire emergencies such as an attack on Cuba. They normally are supposed to use Sandille Now he said a comple of other things, of which I did not take note but are of interest to all of us, for example, on arrangements for these !- If they want to send someone out on an intelligence assignment and the assignment is one to a Latin American country where they send most people this would be taken up by Fintoro Valdes and Liniero Valdes is the Minister of the Interior but he has another hat he is the chief, overall chief of Intelligence

lornally this would also be taken up with Fidel Chatro and the orders would be issued and pussports would be given to than to go out. Now this is where they are sending someone out on a more or lest permanent assignment under diplomatic cover. If however they want to send someone out (such as himself on this trip to Mexico, for a short T.D.Y. they just say give us a passport and such a name is its issued (and no fuss or frill about it). Fow The situation is a little different where a passport or visa is to be secured for travel to one of the "Socialist" countries. There this has to be laid on through the Cuban Embassy in that country, - for example he says that in Czecletthere is a Czech Intelligence Officer in the Waxiaan babasay I mean in the Cuban Embassy. He is the may who decides if the visa will be granted. Wew in order partly to establish his own bona-fide his own good faith he brought us these documents from the files so that he could show that he was not inventing, and the documents which he brought out, in general, are these that I will go over right now. He brought out some passports, he says these are sens falsified Cuban passports, that is, they are folsified in the scape that they are issued in other than a true name and some legitimate passerts which have been secured in various Latin American countries. He also brought out some podulac, which are identity documents, which were issued for trainees who came to Cube for training. GULACILLA LARFARE Parenthetically, I might mention one thing on which I did not make a note which is quite interesting. Post of the trainees who have come to Cuba have come outerally for merilla training and then will go back and export the revolution

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in their own countries. -ut when thece people are in Gula for this type of para-military training he and other officers like him would select those that they thought nost useful for intelligence purposes and these would be separated from . the group and would be trained for intel igence missions without the knowledge of the others and without the knowledge of the Communist Party which aponsored the sending of the people to Cuba. He also brought out one Lexican passport which is of interest in that this was and secured through a contact of the Communist Party there, and of the Communist Lenter in El Salvador, and it was sent to Cuba to be used in covering the travel of somebody that they night want to send in and did not have documents or who wouldhave to travel in a nationality other than his own. He has a Salvadorin passport which belonged to a Calvadoran who actually fled to Cupa, le brought one district l'ile which he om a he thinks we own rovue because it is quite interesting, showing exactly how they run a case. He said, altogether, he brought out three of these cases. He said He also brought out a financial report of the F.L.M. which is a Mational Liberation Front in Micarajua. He also brought out photographic copies of certain documents which he thinks are of particular interest they are related to the intelligence activities and because: Two - because they have inter-collations their in ciphering; and de-ciphering and fiece inter-collations are he said, not done by desk officers like himself but are done b. a special section which is called the Central Cipher Section. agents by said that he himself knows of the following

recently on his trip there and the follow was advanced bled to get to Cuatemala. The money one Fonduran agents Two Panamanian agents Three Salvadorans he moves por nally and he have a two more who are in Salvador but he does not know the personally. He mount three agents in Hexico one of them is a C.P. contact named moves de la two of them are Hicaraguans who are in Mexico. He made one Kicaraguan agent who is now in Cuba he have two from Santa Bomingo and head not prison in Santa Bomingo and head meso fine from Haiti who is now in Cuba. Total did not get the maios This did not from what I have told you I think you can see the protty much what the situation is.

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What I am doing here is going over these things and trying to sort them out in different envelopes so we can get back to then whenever we need then before they are stuck away inc the file. As I am doing it, I am sorting the out into people who are Staff Officers as distinct from people who are Agents working outside under the direction of the Staff Of the Sta If Officers covered so far we have one Drahis whose name is Ivraeme-Villa. This man is located in Prague, Czechoslovakia in the Cuban Embassy and our friend here. Rodriguez was given a letter of introduction to him by another Headquarters Staff Officer. The Staff Officer at Headquarters who prepared the letter is better 'mown under the pseudonym Agusto. He is also referred to as Chair which might or might not be his true name, but he is often referred to by that name in the Ministry of Poreign Relations, man is a Deputy to the Head of the Service, in other words, he is number two man in the Service and he replaces the Mond of the Service named/Finiers when Piniers is on trips.

A Third Stuffer whom we have covered up to the present time of the Damaso Varous and the last name and he uses the internal resendanta Sergio, and I will tell you a little bit more about him later in connection with one of the

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agents. I New The agents whom we have covered we have covered incidentally to those people who came to Cuba from other countries for guerilla training. Of these people some are solected to be agents, but We are just taking them as we get them to keep things in order &therwise we would be hopping around like grasshoppers.) Of those who came for training I have made a list of names. I won't go over all the names because they would not mean too much at this stage, except that What I have done here has been to note the name, the nationality whether or not he does know then personally. The ones who not only received guerilla training but who are agents are the ones of course we are most interested in, and they are first of all a man whose last name is SOSA. This man is a Monduran Citizen and probably is in Costa Rica at the present time. It is the opinion of Vladimir Rodriguez here that Sosa was deported from Honduras, and theyrefer to his case as the International Case because everybody in the family seems to have different Citizenship. He travelled with his family, and The Grandmother had one Citizenship and the child had another and so on and-so It was protty well messed up as far as that is concerned. This follow SOSA was given training as an Agent, and His training covered the use of radio, the use of codes speciphers and the use of secret writing shd He was given an accomodation address. Now this manges I mentioned before had a case officer and I listed the case officer or the staffer up above. I will give you the rest of the data on the staffer now.

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The Staffers name is Fulio Demasco Vascaz with the pseudonym Sergio, and Vladimir has known him for some years. He describes him as being about 5' 5", hus'ry, sometimes called the Hawain because he is a light coloured melatto ... In addition to the training of any Agent, the Case Officer 🤲 himself has received similar training, that is training in secret writing, codes, deciphers and radio. The also received training in parachute school, the Case Officer. The Case Officer was trained for an assignment in Central America but he is still in Cuba. The next case we have which is of particular interest because the man is trained as an agent is on a fellow name Regay DALTON, Dalton is a Salvadoran citizen and his family seems to be mixed up too because his father now deceased was a United States Citizen and three of his brothers are United States Citisens, bno of them is said to have fought on Ominewa. To also has a sister MARIANTA maned Merrusarita who is a Mexican Citizen and who now is studying in Cuba. Our friend here remembers this case very well because he himself was the Case Officer for Dalton and he gave Dalton six hundred dollars to buy a radio receiver, and Dalton, instead of buying the radio receiver, took a little trip for himself, and lived high, and spent the money so he has never come on the air, However he was given frequencies which he should use for radio transmission, und HE was supposed to send on the second Monday of each Month. The frequencies on which he was supposed to communicate were filmed and then the bits of film were rolled up and put in a false heel on his shock as a concealment device.

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Now the accomplation address for this follow is waffeel De/GADi//o Acevero ... De GADINO acuvedo Planco, and the address is Del Gadillio : 22, Colonia Santa Tomas, Zone 17, Mexico, Recent District. The envelope and there is an envelope in the file which helifant brought with him for this case, shows a return address, find Mr. Rodriguez here cays that the return address in no case makes any difference because they always just invent anyone at all so that it cant be traced back. For this is about as far as we have gotten. Obviously my interest in cases like this, live cases, is considerable because there might be a possibility of doing something about those who are still in place, so When I wrap it up here today I am going to have to do a little work to try to get these things brought to the attention of the proper people. Our difficulty in proceeding, of course, is, these things are so mixed up, that If I try to just pull out the live ones we are going to have quite a bit of confusion. I think the best thing is to sort them once and for all as I get through it and then I will always be able to get back to the proper thing, explored in a little more depth.

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Usually /I think we went over this yesterday) when there is som body in Owla whether for Agent training as an Intelligence Agent or whether he is in Cuba for training as a guerilla fighter he would be given on leaving Cuba two passports - one of which would be a Cuban passport intended to get him only as far as Prague and the other of which he would use for his travel from Frague back to his own country. He has given ne these three passports, I did not get into the matter of how it was he had then and his explanation is this that these three people did leave Cuba using their own legitimate passports, and the reason they used their legitizate passports in the three cases was simply that there was not time for the Intelligence Service there to get these three passforts, which we have in hand, ready with the proper caches. When they issue a passport to cover a man's travel they will stamp in the back pages of the passport a cache such as Orlic Airport, France with the dates that would correspond with a period during which he actually was in Cuba. They select the countries, the eached which they will use for this proose in accordance with whether a man of that hationality would or would not have to have a visa for the country.

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For example, most Latin Americans could no to France without any vice so then France is a good country for then to use as then they do not ly vo to duplicate or forge i. French vish. All they have to do in to put in the cache for arrival in Orlic Airport. They pick a number of countries like this; that do not require visas and they put these stamps in the back of the passports so the individual raking trips in Europe during the time he was really undergoing his training, and In these particular instances whore he gotten these passports they were = passports intended to be used but not actually used because there was no time. Something else which is quite interesting to you as well as to me is that those Cuban passports with the fall mainly willen have five stamp digits of this type, there are all alsified in the y names, falsified, all false. The five figure rumber stamped like this he says are all false. In other words the Intelligence Service there uses this type of straip, always in a just five digits and they know then that ip is one of their own passports. Another thing which is interesting, that we have clarified here today is that the name which is used in the passport is a false name used simply to cover a man's trip. It is not a matter of permanent record so if he were to go back to Cuba he would not use that name again. We talked about the type of pseudonym which is assigned to the person for instance during the time that he is undergoing his training in Cuba, something completely different, That is his permanent pseudonym.

If the individual should return to Cuba at a later date he would use precisely the same one le had before. This was a matter Vladimir tells us of some discussion because 🚅 when they started out, they sometimes had assigned a different pseudonym for training pruposes to a fellow, but an his first trip into Cuba lets say for guerilla warfare training, he was given a pseudonym, John Lowe and then he made the second trip and they bad given him another pseudonym. This posed some complications because when this happened they would have two separate files on the same individual and so they had a mooting and they decided that in the future, they would always keep the same training pseudonym. Of the ones we have covered today there is only one of particular interest. the rest are trainees and we will get all of these together at one time. The one of particular interest is the case of a fellow who has one of the most make in & Spanish country, Colicio BIMARII To Conseles Moreno. This wan is an Intelligence Agent, he is a Micaraguan by nationality. He presently is back in Bicaragua the he uses the foundation address of ISABEL Rodriguez, (stops here) Altos Nedonia-Nervertai, Mexico, D.P., so that, in this particular case Dtharinto would always write to this accomposation address and then that letter would be mailed to Cuba Intelligence. Wow this is the only such case that we have covered to-day. The one other thing 42 of some interest is that everytime there is a request such as that which was in this envelope addressed to'a Doctor for International Control on the stationery of the Institute of

Rubano and the under-side the meet prevalice which they call That from the intial letters, It indicates that there is an intelligence interest in the guy. Hornally its a Cuban without any connection with the Intelligence wanting to get a vaccination for travels; He would have to go to in the police station and he would get it on police stationary. but when it is arranged by BAAP this is arranged, by Intelligence, and it is a request from mile caying that the bearer who is so and so should get a vaccination. indivative of some intelligence connection t request for vaccination on Bith stationary. OThere are things that are interesting be brought with him ene a package of cables which had been sent to the Cuban Intelligence Officer in Mexico from Meadquarters or from the Textoan Intelligence to Meadquarters. A couple of them are interesting because they deal with the re-activation of a vedidref or an accombiation address, end it concerns precisely the Ledddrav which is used by this follow Elicio Dtharinto, the same follow that I mentioned before. In commenting on this ! this is very interesting }- Yhadimir tells me that the signature on Mondayarters cables, Pablo,

which is the name for raul in Spanish really does not mean

anything except that it comes from Intel Hondquarters. It is not the pseudonym of a person, However the other name on the

cable Eulopio is the pseudonym used for the Intelligence Chief in Mexico who has been until the 16th. of April.

Aliredo Mirivelle, and who now will be Manuel Dago recently

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For Vaca he thinks will probably use a different poludenta for signing his cables and the cubles will be addressed and Jan given a pseudonym. We says that Vaga used to use the pseudonym of Marcos but he believes that with his own departure from Cuban Intelligence that he will probably Something else here which is of interest is change it now. this letter be brought from the file, dated 15th. of March, 1963 and re is addressed to Pinforo as Emua by chuse he is for him and him came from one of the best sections in the Intelligence organization. It has the typed name lorenso which is probably the pseudonym for that ke section chief and on the other side it has the name of the desk officer for Salvadoran Affairs, in psyudenym, who received it were because This was the very job that he had, and Wast is interesting about this is that it is spother clear, indication of ex ort of the revolution or saying this after ar talking with the Salvadorans about the economic necessities which they have to start on the insurrection in their country, "We have estimated that our part of the aid should be twenty-five thousand dollars approximately. And On this art written in red ink in the hand-writing of sinfforo himself, are some questions, and he says "See what plans they have" "Where do t'ey think they will buy the arms" - "What price" "See the connection of Mexico with them and see how the Miravel has been the situation is". Vladinir thinks that, Intelligence Chief, it is possible Mand could stay on as Consultaithough Vega who went as his replacement as

Intelligence Chief, would be in place, because Yega apparently

is senior in the Service and Vega had proviously had the

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job of Intel Chief of Mexico. to he went back to Muvana and now he will return to his old job.

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