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DIR INFO MEXI WAVE CITE [SALV] 5513

U-H DIV CUBA

REF A) [HSSW-2195] (NOT SENT MEXI, WAVE)

B) DIR-7501

C) DIR-74952

D) [SALV] 5489 (11 52564)

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1. AMBASSADOR DELACROIX FOLLOW UP APPROACH TO []

[] PENDING RECEIPT OF MEXI GOVT REACTION IN ^{Cuban Defector} SURFACING.

HE UNDERSTANDABLY WARY OF LETTING [] TOO ENTHUSED OVER PROPOSAL WHEN ADAMANT MEXICAN REJECTION OF SURFACING NIGHT TORPEDO OP. 21-26

2. WHILE [SALV] FELL [] WAS PAPER RECEIVED REF A WILL MAKE INTERESTING PRESENTATION, WE NOT CLEAR ON WHO SLATED TO PRESENT IT. ASSUMED [] PRESENTED BY [] AT REQUEST [GOES] AND [] WITH LATTER THEN

BEING MADE AVAILABLE TO CUBA FOR FURTHER DEBRIEFING. 16-26

3. -45 3/01985-520, SI -0072 8,19 9, -11-254, [STATION]

FEELS IT WOULD BE UNDESIRABLE SURFACE NAMES OF D/W TRAINERS FOR FOLLOWING REASONS:

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A. [GOES] WOULD HAVE TO ARREST ALL PERSONS MENTIONED OR IT WOULD APPEAR THAT [GOES] DOES NOT BELIEVE ~~Defector~~ INFO. ALTHO
06 [] INDICATED THAT HE WILLING TO MAKE THE ARRESTS, [STATION] 18-26 INCLINED TO DOUBT THAT HE WOULD FOLLOW THROUGH DUE FEAR OF STIRRING UP [SALVADORAN] LEFTISTS, AND LACK OF JURIDICAL GROUNDS FOR PROSECUTION.

B. ALTHO ~~Defector~~ HAD KNOWLEDGE THAT AT LEAST 75 SALVADORANS RECEIVED G/V TRAINING BETWEEN APRIL 1963 AND APRIL 1964, HE WAS ABLE TO FURNISH ONLY 35 NAMES. OF THESE, LESS THAN HALF ARE KNOWN TO BE TRUE NAMES. WE THUS FEEL THAT IT WOULD BE BETTER NOT TO MENTION ANY OF THE G/V NAMES, STAND ON THE 75 FIGURE, AND IMPLY THAT ~~Defector~~ HAS MADE NAMES OF ALL 75 AVAILABLE TO
11 [GOES] WHO PRESUMABLY AWAITING PROPITIOUS TIME TO ROUND THEM UP.

C. G/V TRAINEES HAVE BEEN INACTIVE SINCE RETURN FROM CUBA AND ONLY RECENTLY STEPS BEING TAKEN BY FUAR MILITARY COMMISSION TO REACTIVATE THEM. SINCE ~~Asset~~ IN KEY POSITION TO REPORT ON THIS BUILDUP, THERE IS GOOD CHANCE OF PASSING [GOES] 11 INFO AT LATER DATE WHICH WOULD PERMIT THEM TO CATCH WHOLE GROUP RED HANDED WITH EVIDENCE ON WHICH THEY COULD BE PROSECUTED.
~~Defector~~ INFO COULD BE USED AT THAT TIME TO BOLSTER [GOES] CASE.

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4. RE DGI INTEL AGENTS SALVADOR, [STATION] COMMENTS.

Defect MENTION IN TESTIMONY (PAGE 55 OF DRAFT PAPER) THAT
 CUBANS HISS RECRUITED SALVADORANS AS INTEL AGENTS AND SURFACE
Target CASE Critton DOSSIER AS EXAMPLE, WITHOUT MENTIONING
Target ON Target CASES. THIS WOULD AVOID SURFACING OF
Target WHO WOULD PROBABLY TURN INTO HOSTILE AGENT VIS-A-VIS
 16-26 [STATION] IF HIS NAME MENTIONED. SURFACING OF Target CASE SHOULD
 BE PRECEDED BY ARREST OF Target Target, AND
Target BY [GOES] 11

5. RE PAGE 55 OF DRAFT CAS PAPER, WE RECOMMEND DELETION
 OF DGI ESTIMATE THAT [GOES] PLANNING ABSESSION AGAINST CUBA. 11
 TO Target KNOWLEDGE IT HAD NO BASIS IN FACT AND COULD BE
 COUNTERPRODUCTIVE FOR PROP PURPOSES OF PAPER.

6. IF FOREGOING RECOMMENDATIONS APPROVED BY HQS, [STATION] 16-26
 ENVISAGES FOLLOWING CHRONOLOGY SUBJECT TO [GOES] APPROVAL:

A. [GOES] KICKS OFF OPERATION BY ADDRESSING PRINCIPALS IN
Target CASE, WITH PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT TO PRESS THAT [GOES] HAS
 EVIDENCE OF EXTENSIVE CUBAN PLOT WHICH IS TAKING TO CAS.

B. IN CAS WILL REVEAL THAT ACTUAL HAS GIVEN THE
 DETAILS OF CUBAN SUBVERSIVE EFFORT IN EL SALVADOR AND

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PETITIONS ^{Art State} ~~TO MAKE~~ ^{subject} ~~AVAILABLE TO TESTIFY.~~

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C. IN RESPONSE, ^{Art State} ~~DISTRIBUTES~~ REVISED DRAFT OF
REF A PAPER FOR STUDY BY CAS MEMBERS.

D. ^{Art State} ~~THEN~~ IS MADE AVAILABLE TO ANSWER QUESTIONS.

7. REQUEST COMMENTS.

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