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 (CLARK-1) recently returned from a trip to Miami. Following his return he discussed with his Case Officer on 23 October the conclusions which he had drawn about the present situation in the Movimiento de Recuperación Revolucionaria. (MRR) It is noted that (CLARK-1's) son is a member of the MRR who was formerly chief of propaganda for that organization in Miami. Although (CLARK-1) is considered by the Station to be a responsible source, his personal involvement in the MRR should possibly be taken into account when reading the attachment.

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 (C. D. Pollicove)
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 (William O. Phyfe)
 William O. Phyfe

25 October 1961

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 Portion of Contact Report
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Excerpt from Contact Report dated 25 October 1961:

1. (CIARK-1) was greatly concerned about the situation of the Movimiento de Recuperacion Revolucionaria in Miami. He said the only liaison man who represents the organization in its dealings with KUBARK, Carlos Guillot, is extremely arbitrary and incapable and has alienated most of the MRR membership in Miami. One of the points which (CIARK-1) mentioned to substantiate the antagonism which GUILLLOT had aroused was the fact that Guillot had undergone psychiatric treatment two years ago. (CIARK-1) said that he knew definitely that this was true.
2. According to MRR members, and this opinion is shared by (CIARK-1), Baró, the head of the MRR in Miami, has become sold on Guillot, and believes he can do no wrong.
3. The MRR is not receiving any financial support from KUBARK, according to MRR members who believe this to be an error as they feel that the MRR is still the most effective force within Cuba in the anti-CASTRO movement.
4. (CIARK-1) provided a list of names of some of the persons who had left the MRR, given up executive positions in the MRR or who had turned down positions because of Guillot. These names are listed as follows:
 - PITA, (fnu) - Former MRR Coordinator for the Province of Habana. Now a member of the Directorio Revolucionario de Estudiantes.
 - HERNANDEZ, Carlos - One of the Cubans used by KUBARK in the training of other Cubans for guerrilla activity. Still a member of the MRR but does not participate in any of the activities of the MRR in Miami.
 - ABREU, Ernestino - Still a member of the MRR but resigned his post as funds chairman.
 - GOMEZ, Danilo - Resigned from his position as a member of one of the MRR sub-committees.
 - COLADO, Joaquin - Former Secretary of Propaganda in Cuba. Refused position as propaganda chief in Miami.

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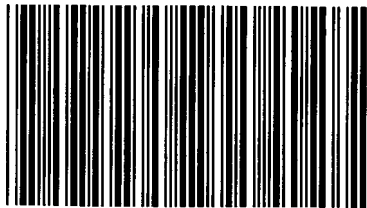
The Yung Brothers - Worked in propaganda in Cuba but refused positions in Miami.

SALAS, Dr. Oscar - MRR representative in the Consejo. Fired by Baró.

GONZALEZ Mora, Antonio - Fired from executive position as assistant to Manuel Artime and then thrown out of the MRR.

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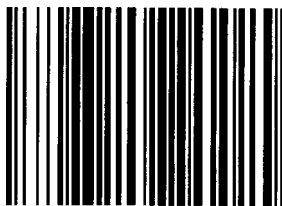
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DOS CINCO *OMAR RPT OMAR CMA MONTY RPT MONTY CMA GERMAN RPT GERMAN Y RPT Y LAZARO RPT LAZARO CMA NOS REUNIMOS POR VARIAS HORAS DISCUTINENDO DIFERENTES DUDAS O RPT O INTERPRETACIONES. IL PUESTO DE FRANCISCO COMO COORDINADOR NACIONAL FUE SUSTITUIDO DESPUES DE CAER PRESO POR DIRECTO NOMBRAMIENTO DE ARTIME RPT ARTIME DIVIDIENDO DICHAS RESPONSABILIDADES ENTRE PEDRO PABLO RPT PEDRO PABLO COMO COORDINADOR NACIONAL CIVIL Y RPT Y UMAR RPT PEDRO PABLO ENTRO EMBAJADA. OMAR ENCARCELADO Y RPT Y DESPUES PARA EMBAJADA TAMBIEN. NECESADAD DE REORGANIZAR MOVIMIENTO SIGNIFICABA QUE AMBOS SALIERAN EMBAJADA. PEDRO PABLO RPT PEDRO PABLO NO QUISO SALIR EMBAJADA TRASPASANDO SU PARTE CIVIL DE COORDINACION NACIONAL A RPT A OMAR TAMBIEN. ENTNCES OMAR RPT OMAR YA COMO COORDINADOR NACIONAL GENERAL TENIA LOS PODERES REGLAMENTARIOS PARA REESTRUCTURAR DIRECCION NACIONAL. DESPUES OMAR RPT OMAR TERMINAR ESA LABOR SALIO AFUERA CONMONTY RPT MONTY RESOLVER FUTURA SITUACION GENERAL CONALIADOS Y RPT Y REGRESAR A RPT A CUBA. MIENTRAS TANTO LAZARO RPT LAZARO FUE NOMINADO PORQUE HACIA FALTA ENESSE MOMENTO UNA CABEZA. ESTA DUALIDAD SE MANTENDRA HASTA QUE OMAR RPT OMAR E RPT E LAZARO RPT LAZARO REGRESEN CUBA RPT CUBA Y SE DECIDA. MONTY

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REGRESARA CUBA RPT CUBA PROXIMO VIAJE Y RPT Y EXPLICARA DETALLES COM-
 PLETOS A RPT A DIRECCION NACIONAL. MONTY RPT MONTY TOMAA POSICION
 DE COORDINADOR MILITAR ALLA RPT ALLA SI SE ACEPTA. ENTRADA MIKE ROMEO
 ROMEO RPT MIKE ROMEO ROMEO DENTRO DEL CONSEJO DE MIRO CARDONA POR
 GERMAN SERA EXPLICADO DETALLADAMENTE POR MONTY. LAZARO CMA OMAR CMA
 MONTY CMA GERMAN."

ENGLISH TRANSLATION:

25 "WE, OMAR, MONTY, GERMAN AND LAZARO SAT DOWN FOR
 SEVERAL HOURS DISCUSSING VARIOUS DOUBTS OR INTERPRETATIONS. FRAN-
 CISCO'S POST AS NATIONAL COORDINATOR WAS FILLED AFTER THE LATTER'S
 CAPTURE BY DIRECT NOMINATION BY ARIME WHICH DIVIDED THOSE RESPONSI-
 BILITIES BETWEEN PEDRO PABLO AS NATIONAL CIVIL COORDINATOR AND OMAR
 AS NATIONAL MILITARY COORDINATOR. AFTER THE INVASION PEDRO PABLO
 ENTERED THE EMBASSY. OMAR WENT TO JAIL AND AFTERWARDS HE ALSO WENT
 TO AN EMBASSY. THE NEED TO REORGANIZE THE MOVEMENT CALLED FOR BOTH
 MEN TO LEAVE THE EMBASSY. PEDRO PABLO DID NOT WANT TO LEAVE THE
 EMBASSY SO THAT HIS DUTIES AS CIVIL COORDINATOR WERE PASSED TO OMAR
 ALSO. THUS OMAR NOW BEING A NATIONAL GENERAL COORDINATOR HAD THE
 STATUTORY POWERS TO REORGANIZE THE NATIONAL EXECUTIVE. WHEN OMAR
 HAD FINISHED THIS JOB HE LEFT CUBA WITH MONTY IN ORDER TO RESOLVE THE
 FUTURE GENERAL SITUATION WITH ALLIES AND THEN RETURN TO CUBA. IN THE
 MEANTIME LAZARO WAS NOMINATED BECAUSE A HEAD WAS MISSING AT THAT TIME.
 THIS DUALITY WILL PREVAIL UNTIL OMAR AND LAZARO RETURN TO CUBA AND A
 DECISION IS MADE. MONTY WILL RETURN TO CUBA ON THE NEXT TRIP AND
 WILL EXPLAIN THE FULL DETAILS TO THE NATIONAL EXECUTIVE. MONTY WILL
 ASSUME THE POSITION OF MILITARY COORDINATOR OVER THERE IF HE IS
 ACCEPTED. GERMAN'S ENTERING THE MRR INTO MIRO CARDONA'S COUNCIL WILL
 BE EXPLAINED BY MONTY IN DETAIL. LAZARO, OMAR, MONTY, GERMAN."

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END OF MESSAGE

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