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Chief, Miami Field Office

Chief, Domestic Collection Division (Support Branch/OSS)

Contact with Joseph Merola

REF : Miami TX 12455

1. The information contained in your teletype was brought to the attention of the Nicaraguan Desk. The desk advised us they would forward its contents to their Managua Station for possible utilization. They further advised us that our source should be strongly encouraged to report this information to the local Federal Bureau of Investigation Office.

2. Nicaraguan desk asked that if we have any additional contact with subject we try to elicit additional names of members of this organization from him. This would be most helpful information.

3. Thank you for providing a potentially valuable operational lead. Your support is greatly appreciated.

/ JAMES R. MURPHY

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