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RE: PUBLIO MIGUEL de la CONCEPCION RUIZ MEDINA

RUIZ was informed he had been demoted to Private by order of RAUL CASTRO and was ordered to report to a labor battalion in the Minas Del Frio region. RUIZ tricked the Sergeant into letting him go by promising him an apartment in one of the exclusive sections of Havana. With the aid of a Catholic Priest, Father BASTARIA RUIZ was given asylum in the Argentine Embassy in Havana. He remained there until October 26, 1961, when the Cuban government granted him safe conduct. Source stated that RUIZ failed to account for his activities between January, 1961, when GUTIERREZ MENOYO and his group fled to the United States and May, 1961, when he entered the Argentine Embassy.

MM T-1 described RUIZ as being an alert intelligent and resourceful young man who was born December 8, 1937 at Cardenas, Cuba (X)

He stated RUIZ resided at 1450 Southwest 4th Street, Miami, Florida.

Investigation at 1450 SW 4th Street, Miami, revealed that RUIZ was unknown to the residents at that address. (3) (U)

On September 10, 1962, PUBLIO MIGUEL de la CONCEPCION RUIZ MEDINA, commonly known as PUBLIO RUIZ, was interviewed at the Miami Office of the FBI and furnished the following information:

RUIZ stated he was very happy to cooperate with the United States Government in any way possible and especially if it could in any way help in the ultimate overthrow of the present government in Cuba. RUIZ stated he resides at 202 NW 60th Court, Miami, Florida, telephone 666 9712 and that until recently he had resided at 2820 SW 3rd Avenue, Apartment #9, Miami, Florida. RUIZ stated he is unemployed. He has Alien Registration Number A12496423.

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