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REQUEST OF INFO RE MR. ANTONIO VECIANA

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THE PLAN OF EXECUTION OF VECIANA & ESTEVEZ  
REQUEST FOR INFO ON MR. ANTONIO VECIANA  
VECIANA'S NAME CAME UP AT FBI WHEN KENNEDY WAS ASSASSINATED

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

30 December 1976

SUBJECT: SSCI Request for Document re Antonio Veciana

44 USC 2107(5)(g)(2)(D)(i)

In response to the inclosed 20 December request from the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence, on this date, I showed the NSA product on Antonio Veciana, 3/0/TRIG- T23-62 dated 29 November 1962, to SSCI staffers Tom Moore and Howard Liebengood. They were quite interested in this message and a reference to "Serafin." They indicated that the Committee would request a review of all Cuban material for the period 1961-1965.

  
JOHN C. WOBENSMITH  
Legislative Affairs

  
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*Handwritten notes:*  
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Chief, Congressional Activities

22 December 1976

Mr. Burke,

Attached is a request from the SSCI. I have talked to Fred Cassedy at the FBI and he says that the Committee is looking into the Kennedy assassination and that the SSC provided Veciana's name.

I intend to contact Howard Liebengood next week and will probably arrange for the SSCI to review the document out here at that time.

*John*  
for John

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*SSCI Sub-  
Various*

NOTE: In response to the United States Senate Select Committee (SSC) On Intelligence request #5724 re Antonio Veciana, the attached document has been withheld from SSC. (access only)

Please advise how, if at all, NSA desires this document to be described to the SSC so that SSC may then obtain its own clearance from NSA for access to the document.

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Cuban

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3/O/TRIG-☐/T23-62  
IS 29 NOV 62 P

FR [U]  
TO [Puerto Rico]: [SERAFIN]  
Msg Nr: [M]

28 Nov 62

44 USC 2107(5)(g)(2)(D)(i)

[XM] cautiousness and equanimity which you possess. The refinery plan [1 wd G]((A)) be carried out after completing the recruiting task and when the conditions exist.

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44 USC 2107(5)(g)(2)(D)(i)

Cuban

3/0/TRIG- ☐ T23-62

The plan for the execution of VECIANA((B)) and ESTEVEZ((C)) is less important than the other. What information [do you have about] plan PO ALPHA?

Despite detection of the plan you may carry out the plan of action against VECIANA.

Listen tomorrow to the transmissions about the concrete objectives. End of message.

MIKE 18 November [XG]

- ((A)) C percent can.
- ((B)) ANTONIO VECIANA, Puerto Rican spokesman for ALPHA 66.
- ((C)) Probably GERONIMO ESTEVEZ, Cuban exile in Puerto Rico and a member of the coordinating committee of Cuban democratic organizations in exile.

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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510

December 20, 1976

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IN REPLY PLEASE  
REFER TO R# 5900

Mr. Frank Foster  
Legislative Affairs Office  
National Security Agency  
Fort George G. Meade, Maryland 20755

Re: Document Request

Dear Frank:

We understand that you have been apprised of the Select Committee's interest in an NSA document dated 29 November 1962 regarding a subject of interest to the Committee, Mr. Antonio Veciana. If you would be kind enough to contact me at an early convenient date to discuss Committee access to such a document we would be most appreciative.

Thank you for your ongoing assistance to the Committee.

Sincerely,

*Howard Liebengood*

Howard S. Liebengood  
Minority Staff Director

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