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E. H. Hunt - OS-File

memo - TO-Chief, Security Research Staff From Chief LEOB, SRS
26 Jan 1970 Subject E.H. Hunt

Reports that in June 1963 a post office box at the Woodridge station in Washington D.C. was set up for Hunt in name of Edward Hamilton.

1966 - Special Clearance & /or billet approval:

Dated 22 Dec 1966 - Mr. Hunt has been designated asst to Chairman, NATO Intelligence Collection Working Group (USIB) and is required to appraise the effect of possible changes in the NATO structure on U.S. collection capabilities.

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3 Oct 1956 - Hunt was to leave Japan

28 Nov 1950 - Hunt was to be assigned to Mexico City under Dept. of State cover. Hunt was integrated into Dept. of State as of 13 Dec 1950

Hunt was to arrive in NYC on July 31, 1960

Employee of GOLIATH.

Hunt's agency crypt JMMARC -

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TAB B - Roselli File -

Edward Morgan - associated @ agency circa 1951 in a covert capacity - cut-out (April 7, 1977 memo From Gambino-DB to General Counsel re Dade County Police request)

Fred Black - lobbyist involved @ Bobby Baker

Manuel Artime - Security records - overt #611 523

covert 210 838



operational asset utilized by DOO - 1959-1963

Edward Pierpont Morgan - 28 May 1913 = DOB

Verona - #163-681 - Office of Security File

memorandum for - DOS - dated 12-19-69 re Caine, Richard Scully, aka: Richard Scalzetti -

File on Cain in Office of Security -

1961 - operated private investigative agency in Chicago & Mexico

1962 - deported from Mexico - for carrying a loaded revolver & brass knuckles, violating tourist permit

1962 - Chief Investigator for Cook County Sheriff's office

Early 60's - "investigated" Cuban exile Communists & related activities in Cuban area

1963 - while in the Cook County Sheriff's office, ¹¹¹¹⁰⁰⁵¹ he became deeply involved in ~~the~~ the president Kennedy assassination.

April - 1962 - visited Mexico City Station.

Domestic Contact Services used him as an informant 1960-64

Richard Cain passed info re Chicago plot to Agency's contact office in Chicago

Cain supplied info re meeting of FPCC in Feb 1963 under direction of Richard Criley - re JFK assassination.

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TABC - Artime is BI and he & his group (FRD) supported by CIA. Artime was also used in Castro plots by the Mafia.

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De Verona, Manuel Antonio

Political Action Files

201-196435 Vol I -

~~Conclusive~~ dates 15 Oct 48 - 30 Sept. 49

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- Deletions - ① FBI report dated 4 Feb 59 (File: Miami 97-130)
 re Luis Ortega, aka Luis Ortega y Sierra
 ② 1948 thru Dec 1955 Third Agency Comments

Speech by Carlos Prío - 3-11-52 - Translation - unclassified -
 during insurrection - went to Autenticos house in ~~matanzas~~ ~~matanzas~~
 matanzas and "established contact with the Maceo Regiment
 (note -- in Santiago)." 11110055

Vol II - Jan 1956 - April 1960 (- from beginning of file)

Third Agency material - (

1- Contact Report - ① Verona by Gerald Droller -

met Verona Dec 27, 1960 at "Joe Stonecrab" rest - Miami Beach
 Droller was with Hunt. Verona had founded isolated ~~island~~
 piece of land on Andros Island - Bahamas - which could
 be used as a training site for one hundred people.

"Verona discarded the idea. (comment: I would bet
 even money that he will pursue this aspect
 unilaterally.)"

2- memorandum of conversation, dated 11-29-60 - re "Activities
 Against Castro Regime in Cuba". Participants: Verona (FRD);
 Edwin E. Vallon, ARA/CMA; Robert A. Stevenson, ARA/CMA;
 Robert A. Hurwitch, ARA/CMA; Frank J. Devine, ARA/CMA
 Verona ① requested additional funds

② stated that Florida law enforcement "was much more strict
 & severe than in the days when Castro forces were operating
 out of the area against Batista." 0002458

③ expressed impatience.

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Listed other members of forces working against Castro:

- 1- Aureliano Sanchez Arango - Varona doesn't get along with him
- 2- Luis Conte ~~Agua~~ - Aguero - radio announcer & commentator mCuba. Alianza
- 3- Pedro Luis Diaz Lanz.
- 4- Manolo Ray
- 5- Andres Vargas Gomez - "young man of good family & personal reputation" - represents no one within Cuba. Very small following.
- 6- A.R.E.C. - rich Cuban businessmen & property owners.

Varona recommends military action within next 2 months.
"is belief - that us. military intervention - inevitable."

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- 3 - Blank page @ "Anti-Fidel Castro Activities Nov 15, 1960 #105-107"
- 4 - message To Director From WAVE, 14 Dec 60, ~~re~~ "Reports have been requested of AMDIP." End "CS Comment: *
"Queried ~~was~~ whether it feasible for AMCIGAR AMREAS P begin prepare for Bender GP monthly progress or status reports its activities Miami and other Branch offices."
- 5 - message to Director from Havana 29 Apr 1960 - re waiver of visa ineligibility for house servant of Tony Varona - strongly recommended ~~at~~ ⁰⁰⁰²⁴⁵⁵ consulate.
(~~to be reviewed~~)
- 6 - blank page - April 27, 1960 - No. Krom? 2925
- 7 - Orig. Gerald Droller message To Caracas From Director 28 April 1960
- Advise AMHAWK that ODYOS ~~SECRET~~ Official, Robert Palmer, prepared to see him New York - on April 30 or May 1.
(no mention of Varona by name)



8-To Director From Caracas, 22 April 60 - ~~to Party Director~~

"On 21 April - Amhawi called, "he contacted and passed 1000 Dollars per plan." Staying at Hotel El Conde"

AMHAWK Depart Caracas 27 or 28 April -> N.Y -> Miami.

" ^{will} contact Castelon on 25-26 April depending return Caracas Congress. Sanchez Arangos has not applied visa.

9-21 April 1960 re waiver for house servant of Tony VARONA

maias name - Caridad Obdulia Merino, Claro

DOB Sept 5, 1927 Filed 191910Z

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- 5- Document transfer & cross-reference -
under pertinent info - states -
"There is a restricted CI/SA folder on the subject of this
201 held under C# 64244."
- 6- Grant of operational Approval No C-64244, dated Jan 20, 1958
- * 7- memo of conversation 1-30-58 - "Cuban Political Scene"
- * 8- Dept. of state - memo of conversation 5-21-58
"Cuban Political Developments and Uruguayan Support
for Cuban Opposition Resolution. Concerning Batista."
- 9- ~~File~~ "Agent and/or Project Status Sheet" AMITAWIS
Green-listed 12(0717) Aug 1957 # 76732 Operational Approval
CI/OA File # C-64244. Requested 28 Aug 58
- "PATE agent became activated as member of project (name): NONE"
- 10- memo for record, 20 July 1959 - Miscellaneous Cuban matters
re Volman seeing documents in possession of Tony Santiago
proving Nunez collaborated @ Batista. Nunez's assist, Sosa
held a job in Batista Gov't. memo from J. Flores WH/4/
- 11- Request for operational approval of Varona to permit him
being used as a "political action agent in the AMPATROL
Project. From R.N. Dahlgren, Chief WH/4/
- 12 TDCS Information report, 31 Dec 1959, 11110051
relates conversation @ Varona. - Varona worried about
invasion by General Jose Eleuterio Pedraza Cabrera
Varona
- recommends an attempt ~~to~~ publicity to discreet popular
image of Castro.
- 13- message - from J.D. Esterline C/wit/4 to Havana - ~~varona~~
3-9-60 - Varona considered as member of 4-man group
0002452 to sign Cuban bond issue to be floated in Miami;
- 14- message - from Havana - 3-9-60 ¹⁰ Havq 3708
AMCLATTER-5 station has learned AMITAWIS wants to talk
to accredited PBPRIMER about position & plans -
* V wrote memo -> A-5 -> case officer AMKA L
V wrote memo for delivery to A-5's ODACID contact

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outlines Varona's political platform

Station has opinion that V ~~seems~~'s anxiety comes from belief Rubio & co. already have channel to ODYOKE & V doesn't want to be left out.

John Topping - political officer } Varona wanted to talk with them. ~~st~~
Braddock - }

Station felt direct local embassy contact @ V - dangerous. recommend Olien pass invitation to V to have conf. in U.S. or have Peter N. Licari go to Havana.

15- 3-17-60 - from Havana Cite: HAVA 3782 Olien that Jorge Alonso Pujol - V's partner in Cuba - advised V ready to leave Cuba. Station suggests Licari return to Cuba in representation of the 'group' and discuss plans like LANGTRY did @ AMWAIL and AMCHIB.

16- 28 Mar 1960 message from Havana re meeting of AMPALMS, AMWAIL, AMHAWK, RUBIO PADILLO re formation of govt in exile.

requests of AMHAWK in Para 3 of Hava 3708 (#14 in my notes)

OYOKE guarantees entry of key persons, followers & support.

[some details included]

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18- 30 March 1960 - AMHAWK set 15 April as date for departure - discusses means of getting V out. AMHAWK contacted by Olien

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31 March 1960 - cable.

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21- re departure of AMHAWK - want's exile govt setup in L.A. country

22- ~~re~~ Dispatch from COS - Havana, 1 April 1960, re "Operational", Santiago Babun - 23 March 1960 Babun called ODACID to see Gerald L. Gardyne - Introduced Oriando ACOJA & Eugenio ~~Am~~ Rolando Martinez to Gardyne. ~~The~~ Babun said that the 3 of them were in close contact with V.

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Babun asked Gardyne if he knew Carlos Casaus, resides at Fosca buildi
" said Casaus was attempted to contact anti-Castro elements
and claims to be a special investigator for ODYXK.

meeting - 24 Mar 1960 - Gardyne told Babun he didn't know Casaus
Babun said Lombardo Diaz Rodriguez and Varona were leaving
Cuba soon.

meeting 25 March 1960 - ① 3 + Diaz
4-6-60

23- Hava 4025 Olien contacted V April 5 re departure from
Cuba.

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26 memo - 11 April 1960^{re} Varona's entry into US.

27 April 13, 1960 - Olien contacted V re departure (HAVA 4152)

28- April 14, 1960 - From Havana - Olien met V April 13

V wanted to discuss in PBPRIME @ someone who could speak for
ODYXK his views on Cuban situation. After this he would
meet with AMWAIL

Olien told V he had already received agreement in principle
& meeting @ AMWAIL was only to obtain support of Figueres
for eventual establishment of locale for junta.

(AMHAWK was pretty upset & Olien told him to settle down)
Hava 4-18-60

29- from Havana, 4221 - ~~AM~~ V agrees to meet AMWAIL in Caracas; to
proceed to San Jose @ AMWAIL in case ~~HAWK~~ not in CARA.
If AMWAIL agrees conversations will be held at CARA with
ARANGO. Not necessary for Licari to go either CARA or SANJ.
V said he was not on best terms @ Arango, but he is close
to Figueres & Betancourt 0002454

30 Hava 4227 - 18 April 1960 - Olien questioned V. re Rubiera

discussed who should be labor spokesman. V supplied names:
manuel "manulo" Fernandez (see Hava 3274) in 32676 -

Rodriguez Lominchar

Jesus Artigas

Reinol Gonzalez Gonzalez

Angel Cofino

Jesus Plana

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Ignacio Gonzalez Tellechea.

31 From Miami 030 - to Dir - Apr. 18, 1960 From PARLETT

~~Buttari~~ Buttari meeting - wants to meet V

Buttari complained re disorganization anti-Castro effort.

← stated his son was leaving Cuba with students & he (Buttari) wanted them briefed by Bender Group.

(Basically, such scheme in line our/Phillips thinking.)

(~~20~~ - sounds like a E.H. Hunt message)

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VOL III 3 May 60- 29 June 1960

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1- AMHAWK will be in N.Y. May 4 - staying at St. Moritz, if he can get reservations

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3- Arango left N.Y. May 4. V leaving N.Y. for Miami May 6 1960

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5- meeting with V on 5 May - N.Y.C. 4:30 - 7:15 P.M. - memo for record - 6 May 1960 - by **Reynolds** DC/WH/4

Varona stayed at the St. Moritz. Varona told **Reynolds** he planned to go to Miami on May 6 and return to NYC on May 8 or 9, for a meeting @ other Cuban leaders, including Justo Carrillo, Rosco, & others.

Varona plans to use Amalio Fiallo - as agit-prop type

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"We did not discuss this subject." but because it is an area best be handled "in conjunction with private groups, i.e. the Carr-Bender Group."

Reynolds used the name "Robert Rogers" with Varona. promised Varona radio-transmitters.

6- "The Drama of Cuba in the Americas?" by V - 1960 - 26 pp. Political Statement

7- Article - "Fidel Red Tool, Says Cuba Foe

8- 12 point program by V.

9- Same memo as 4

10- message to Havana - 6 May 1960 - re testimony of Ugalde Carrillo, Diaz Balart before senate Internal Security Subcommittee

11- From San Jose - 5-6-60 SAJ 3716 (IN 35250) **COS** meeting with HUMAIL 4 May who said he and Betancourt settled differences between Arango & Varona. "Pres Betancourt told **HUMAIL** that ODYKE now wants to take measures against Trujillo."

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14- nephew - Abel de Varona Juarez

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15- ~~SP~~ outline of Varona's policies by Ruiz Sanchez - brother-in-law
 (FBI) (in Spanish) & English translation
Sanchez gave policies to AMCLATTER-5. (probably Alberto Alberti Garcia) to pass on to AMHAWK.

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17- memo for record - contact report - meeting with Serafina Romualdi
 by Keith L. MacPhee - dated 11 May 1960 -

Romualdi met @ Sanchez Arango on 6 May. for 3 hrs.
 stated that opposition to Castro growing & young element of the
 Autentico Party under Varona is particularly strong in
 Camaguey and Oriente provinces

HH:WA 4572

18- V's wife ~~to~~, daughter arriving Miami May 12, 1960

19- memo for record - meeting @ Guimers, 16 May 1960 memo by

Sherwood N. Gebien

^{SP?}
 Guimers reported on meeting with Eusbio Mujal of 13 May 1960.
 Jose Figueras & Betancourt urged Sanchez Arango & Varona to
 join in a united front. "Varona, with whom Mujal (with Rafael Otero)
 had had a lengthy meeting last week in New York, told Mujal"
 that an attempt will be made to issue a "manifesto" in June
 announcing united front. Decided to form Frente ~~Unido~~
Revolucionario - as an indep. entity @ representation of the PDR.
 candidate to be rep → Rafael Otero Berclaf. - confidant of
 Varona & Arango.

Guimers indicated Mujal had recently seen Spruille Braden again
 Braden said he intended to contact Allen Dulles to arrange for
 Dulles/mujal contact - impression that contact would be in
 writing. Seeking funds to finance activities inside Cuba.
 Guimers requested \$300/month for Otero. Guimers requested some
 means of communication from Cuba to Guimers. Arango wanted it.
 Guimers requested that ~~some~~ "one of our people" in Cuba make
 the contact by using his (Guimers') name. This would ^{ass} ensure Sanchez
 Arango that he had a direct channel to Guimers ~~SECRET~~
 the U.S. Labor Movement."

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20- cable TO JMRAND From Dir. dated May 27, 1960 cite Dir 32008 TO Gaibond and Ponchay

On 26 May meeting of V, Vargas Gomez, and Rubio Padilla. V and Vargas reported that meeting was failure. Reported to Pariett. Rubio took position that except for AMHAWK he would have nothing to do with PRD people. V and Vargas felt any further dealings @ Rubio = waste of time.

- JMARC organization subject of conference - May 23, 1960 @ Foster Collins and Al Cox

- AMWAILE 5 ready to go to Mexico and arrange Commo and PM training sites: "Have vague report from assessment site that quote 25 or 30 candidates look good."

21- cable - 26 May 1960 From Miami to Dir. cite Miami 113
re FRD info -

1- V going to Card May 27 to issue statement - reasons for breaking @ Castro.

2- During Bender/exec committee meeting Cubans wanted Sanchez to come to States to participate in PRD org. Do not want Sanchez in comm. but want behind the scenes role.

3- AMWAILE going to Mexico in next 3 or 4 weeks to announce break @ Castro. Will look for place to train ~~PRD~~ Commo operators. V will do same in Venezuela.

4- Amalio Fraile, returning to Cuba, to be undercover PRD coordinator. Will return 30 days.

"7" - "Considerable disagreement among our Cubans re P.M. activities. AMBIDDY, QD/COVE eager to move ~~to~~ at once and use planes destroy sugar fields. AMHAWK in favor "invasion" on fairly large scale from third country. Nobody seems like our approach at moment. Pariett temporized and suggested AMHAWK prepare paper this matter for discussion next week between Licari/Bender/AMHAWK only. Bender might bring his "military expert" to mtg. Suggestion accepted and waters calmed."

8- V & AMWAILE want immediate action against Trujillo

9- PRD will use Rafael Otero Borlaff, formerly @ ORIT as contact with Hemisphere labor. At Bender/V meeting he accepted 1st monthly \$700 "honorarium" from ~~Bank~~ 6002458 for his chauffeur.

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22 - blank p. only - "29 May 1960"

23 - newspaper article "Fidel ~~is~~ called Red Tool, Says Cuba Free" by "Hal Hendrix" - statement of Varona. 5-29-60 Miami news.

24 - **CARA** 5227 - Varona arrived Carra 27 May. gave speech may 28. letter ~~to~~ a Varona - Spanish - + translation. - from "Battalion No. 1 "Comandante Moreno Bravo." - probably Cuban Army Captain Patrocinio Estanislao Bravo y Moreno. undated.

25 - MASH 0013

26 - cable - Havana from Dir 5-31-60 - ~~report~~ re conversion of ^{Dir. 32297} 1/2 pesos. states it's being done ^{+ new} by Grupo Bender - ~~AMHAWK~~ books accordingly.

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29 - TO Dir - From **Caracas** - June 1, 1960 **CARA** 5230
V contacted 31 May - said he was 2 June for Mexico.
V wants Castelon to meet Arango and Salvador Romani - who is to lead Carra group. Romani - main asset of **CIRACE-1**.

30 - TO Dir From **Caracas** - 6-2-60 - **CARA** 5232
at may 31, meeting V had @ him Manolo Alcalde Incaia - works for Secor Intern'l of Miami - "apparently it's right **1110066**"

31 - cable - TO Dir from MASH 6-3-60 MASH 23
"Corbuston phoned and met Varona 3 June."

Brought up following points:

- ① Bender hopes it isn't true that Varona intends give Hendrix details of 2 June immigration troubles for Publication - VA agree.
- ② Varona should arrange exec. comm. meeting - wed 8 June.
- ③ Ask Varona not inform Barker of Corbuston contact. - agree

credit 33142.

32 - June 6, 1960 cable - To **Caracas**, T MASH; From Director. - Bender will talk with AMHAWK soon re V's activities in Caracas.

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34- 9 June 1960 cable To JMASH From Dir - Cite Dir 33940
JMNET
Roberto Alejos arriving miami 11 June. Karnley's office
making reservations. V to talk @ him - should tell
Alejos that if Alejos agrees, FRD will send special rep
to Guat shortly to work out details. Alejos agreed.

35- The Drama of Cuba - in Spanish

36- To Dir From Mexico City - 7-2-60 - Cite Mexi S 820
June 23 Ray Laddy & 1st sec Joe Montillar interviewed W.
- had evidence AMHAWK under technical surveillance &
probably physical surveillance. "Recommend FRD leaders
be warned avoid overt U.S. govt contact."

37- MASH 41 - JMNET From Parlett re June 8, 1960 meeting of
FRD exe. committee.

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40- June 13, 1960 - cable to JMASH from Dir. #34580

learned ~~that~~ thru BS ACTRESS that Eusebio (Ma) al organizing
Frente Sindical & AMHAWK involved. AMHAWK denies knowledge.
San Jose advised Alberto Alvarez had participated in formation
of the group when in U.S. in May. Maxwell Reed rep. org.
legally. Dina Dellale - treasurer. AMHAWK was said to be present
during N.Y. talks. Requester AMHAWK
by michael m. maney - WH/4/PROE

41- 14 June 1960 - memo for record - subj: meeting @ Cmar. Pons on June 11.
Pons had been attempting to recruit crew members for maritime operation.
" said that it was common knowledge that Varona was CIA
V is an old friend of his and V asked Pons to join his group. V asked
Pons if he would care to meet an American who was "a friend
of a friend of his." Pons declined. Admiral Rodriguez Hernandez
is Pons contact in miami. "Pons added that he felt the above
information should be brought immediately to the attention of
Mr. Abbott (Dave Phillips) and would like to meet with Mr. Abbott on
14 June."

42 Cable 6-20-60 - To Dir From Hava HAVA 4998-

re meeting with Ruiz Sanchez - On June 17 AMANTHEM introduced
Edward D Knapman to Cubana Capt. Eduardo Ferrer (no relation former
far inspector general mentioned ref). Ferrer arranged meeting.

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44- To Mexico from Dir 23 June 1960 - reservations being made for conference suite Commodore 28 June - July 5.

Bender wants meeting @ V and Carr before 3 July.

45- memo for record 23 June 1960 re Romauldi & Mujal - to the extent possible CIA assets would be used to negate Mujal's activities.

46- Blank Page June 25, 1960 state Telegram - #3319 Re Emb. G-247, June 24.

47- memo for record of meeting between Guimers, Sothorn, & Gebien, 27 June 1960 - memo by Gebien.

Mujal told Guimers that he had been told by FBI contacts not to allow his supporters to undertake assass plots against the Castros, Che Guevara, etc. Mujal feels this puts him on the spot "because if an attempt of this type is made, the FBI might hold him responsible and take action to deport him. He ~~then~~ ^{then was} assured by Guimers that he could not be deported without court action and advised to tell the FBI to mind its own business."

48- From Mex City to Dir June 29, 1960 - Mex 1 5804 re meeting - arrangements - flights to New York - for V, AMPALM-ST, AMBIDDY 1 Lawrence R. Charron notified of AMHAWK arrangements.

49- To director from Mexico City. (blank) date 6-29-60

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51- Blank Page - "U.S. Dept of Justice FBI investigation #105-86020 CLIP June 29, 1960."

52- Cable - Director from MASH June 30, 1960 #130 Karnley met @ Rudy Fernandez in D.C. June 27. and @ Fer. and Cajigas on June 28

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- 36- cable 29 Oct 1960 From Havana to Director. - 27 Oct Enrique Trueba Campa was introduced to Knapman by Odoath att. Trueba is offic in Regil Coffee, an old classmate of Fidel Castro. - Issue immediate POA for use JMNET Intel/P.M asset and assign No. 214-6. Trueba and brother, Pedro, supporting Capt. Osvaldo Ramirez who is unit comdr anti-Castro force under Major Evalio Duque.
- 37- cable - Oct 29, 1960 - AMRUE-2 requested station assistance to obtain visa for Roberto ~~de~~ Rodriguez Hevia and family. Hevia told AMJUTE-1 that he had been asked to go to Miami by Rafael De J. Gonzalez who sent message through ex-capt Enrique Dominguez Perez - Hevia claims to have been in contact with reps of FRD and cooperating with Antonio Varona, Martin-Elena, Tomas Cabenas.
- 38- Cable Oct 29, 1960 - AMHAWK interview published Diario de Las Americas 28 October. - covered unity of Anti-Castro groups AMRASP open for admission new anti-Castro groups, AMRASP not constitutes provisional govt.
- 39- Cable Oct 31, 1960 - To Director from MASH cite MASH 335
 "Subjects ret. picked up safely by Coast Guard cutter 2 hours off Key West morning 29 Oct. Cutter towed launch to point off Boca Chica Key where MASH so and co met to take custody bodies. Launch temporarily held Coast Guard Station Key West. Main officers brought subjects MASH safe house and held until Immigration - 94 documents ready morning Oct 30. MASH remaining in close touch with subjects who presently Room 319 University Court motel. Began making local contacts Afternoon 30 Oct with AMBIDDY 1, AMHAW, AMWAIL-5, Martin Elena, etc.
 AMRUIG-2 stated intended remain MASH 3 days or "until confusions and misunderstanding resolved" with ref to Radio Commo, Sea Delivery, and Air Drop problems.
 Planned operation PAT discussed. Main points were recognition signals and selection rendezvous points. This type op will be discussed further with JOBS present so that any future misunderstanding can be prevented.

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40- AMHAWK to have NYC press conference on Nov 4.

41- Blank Page - DBF-62236 dated November 2, 1960

42- meeting @ Tony Varona at Twicker's Apt, Miami, Florida, 25 Oct 1960. Memo for Record dated 2 Nov 1960.

written by Gerard Droller -

meeting - V, Droller, Hunt - wanted V to make statement which indicated he did not consider himself as future president of Cuba nor was the FRD to be considered the future govt of that country. "Varona readily agreed to make this statement which was dictated to him by Twicker and which he, Varona, gave over the telephone to Sosa for implementation."

other info - ① V's public relations consultant - N.Y. - ~~is~~ is Lem Jones - V.

Doesn't like him & will discharge him.

② Sanchez Arango - making rounds in Miami "showing that he he had enough influence to remove Bender from the scene."

③ "It would not be difficult if it were not for Artime who resists any ~~deal~~ dealings with Lorie to incorporate the alliance with FRD."

43- Nov 2, 1960 cable - ~~re~~ re Enrique Llaca / Orbiz

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44- Nov 3, 1960 cable from Mash - re Discussions AMRUNG-1,

Mr. Jim Pekich, Mash case officers. "Did not discuss Pinar del Rio or Escambray DZ's with NYONE? Mash. Only person fully witting besides self and AMYUM-1 is AMYUM Cartographer in Havana who trusted implicitly by A-1 individuals at DZ's obviously knowledgeable. In this connection A-1 turned over to Hava case officer complete plans sea landing zones DZ and other related information for passing Headquarters re implementing preliminary phase operation."

"A-1 feels AMHAWK has subverted cause. When asked if he received 2 covert shipments arms sent by AMHAWK boats he stated no. Upon confronting AMHAWK he ascertained arms cached. A-1 with reluctant agreement AMHAWK will now be given arms cached.

A-1 ~~stated~~ stated " sent representative to Hava to kill ~~h~~ A-1 but could not. AMHAWK stated his people not assassins but loyal Cubans who want country free."

"Landing 2 boats supply missions with A-1 who will return Cuba in Mash boat sometime after period of no moon. A-1 wants to take W/T operator now HQS with him."