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information to SA JAMES. W. STEVENSON on extremely confidential basis. KARELL is a former Lieutenant (Career Officer) on the Havana Police Department and remained in Cuba after the Batista overthrow for almost a year, having served as First Assistant Governor General of Havana Province under CASTRO until he fled the country to escape political persecution in the early part of 1960. KARELL has known JESUS GOMEZ since the latter was 14 years old and knew of his father before him. He has previously furnished information re Cuban matters to the NYO of an innocuous nature and though his reliability is untested, he appears sincere and knowledgeable.

For information of Newark, KARELL has recently been threatened by GOMEZ along the lines as described in enclosed letterhead memorandum. Newark should exercise great caution to protect the identity of KARELL in its investigation of captioned subjects. KARELL prefers he be contacted through his New York business office, rather than at his residence.

Newark is requested to conduct investigation to determine the background of GOMEZ and SANCHEZ GARCIA and to determine through its sources if they are engaged in activities inimical to the security interests of the U.S.

Two extra copies of enclosed letterhead memorandum are being furnished Newark in the event Newark desires to furnish same to INS, Newark.

NYO will attempt to obtain additional information concerning subjects through its sources. NYO Indices negative re subjects.

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