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PACY MUNI FRAN SAGO MEXI WAVE

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CATIDE

REF: PACY 0411 (IN 95799) (NOT TO MEXI)

1. FOLLOWING SUMMARY RECENT TRAFFIC ON ERNEST MOSSACK, C/O
 FRAN MUNI. ACCORDING ODTEST MOSSACK HAS PERSISTENTLY SOUGHT CONTACT
 WITH U.S. MIL INTELL PERSONNEL IN PANAMA SINCE 1961. CLAIMS
 NUMEROUS CONTACTS CUBA AND AMONG CUBAN EXILES CENTRAL AMERICA AND
 MEXI. RECENTLY INFORMED ODTEST HE HAS SOURCE HE WOPFS SEND CUBA
 WITHIN FOUR TO SIX MONTHS. ACCORDING MOSSACK SOURCE IS CARLOS
 ALBERTO ECHAGUE NICKLAS BORN 30 JAN 42 SANTIAGO, CHILE. EDUCATED
 COLEGIO ALEMAN, SANTIAGO CHILE. CURRENTLY PANAMA ON TOURIST CARD.
 MOSSACK SENT ECHAGUE MEXICO 11 AUG 63 TO ESTABLISH CONTACT WITH
 CUBANS WITH VIEW GETTING INVITATION VISIT CUBA. RESULTS NOT YET
 KNOWN BUT ODTEST PLANS INTERVIEW ECHAGUE AND IF HE PROVES VALUABLE
 ODTEST PREPARED TURN OVER KUBARK. MEANWHILE ODTEST DESIRES
 INVESTIGATE CI IMPLICATIONS AND DETERMINE MOSSACK MOTIVES FOR

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PERSISTENT INTEREST PURSUING CONTACTS WITH U.S. MIL. INTELL. PERSONNEL. SAGO LIAISON TRACES INDICATE ECHAGUE TRAVELLED AFRICA NOV. 62, THEN TO PERU, ECUADOR, COLOMBIA ON PASSPORT 6315. REVALIDATED EOCOTA FEB 63 WHEN FOREIGN OFFICE SO APPROVED AFTER FURRIAR CHECK REVEALED NO CRIMINAL RECORD AND NO KNOWN POL AFFILIATION. 18 MARCH 63 COLOMBIAN GOVERNMENT REPORTED TO CHILEAN FOREIGN OFFICE THAT ECHAGUE AMONG GROUP DELEGATES AND OBSERVERS TO COMMUNIST FLENUM EOCOTA, THAT HE HAD APPLIED FOR PERMANENT COLOMBIA VISA, THAT HE WAS ON COLOMBIAN WATCH LIST.

2. HEADQUARTERS TRACES REVEAL FOLLOWING INFO MOST LIKELY PERTAINING ECHAGUE:

A. CARLOS ECHAGUE, SECRETARY WORLD FEDERATION DEMO CRATIC YOUTH, KNOWN COMMUNIST FRONT. ATTENDED YOUTH CONGRESS FOR NATIONAL LIBERATION NOV 61 ARRIVED GENEVA 29112 7 NOV 61.

B. CARLOS ECHAGUE LED YOUTH DELEGATION TO 74th CONGRESS SOCIOLOGICAL REVOLUTIONARY YOUTH LEAGUE WASH DCTOY MARCH 62 (FBI: 28 MARCH 62).

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C. CARLOS ECHAGUE, SECRETARY WFOY VISITED SEVERAL
LATIN AMERICAN COUNTRIES NOV 62 TO JAN 63. (WFOY NEWS FEB 63)
TO 5 DEC 62. (WFOY NEWS FEB 63)

D. CARLOS ECHAGUE ATTENDED DINNER FOR VISITING FOREIGN
DELEGATIONS HAVANA JAN 63. EXPRESSED UNANIMOUS SUPPORT FIDEL
CASTRO. (FBIS JAN 63).

3. REQUEST BUREAU AND FACT VIEWS ON DESIRABILITY TERMINATING
MOSSACK FROM FURTHER FREQUENTING AND INSECURE INTELL ACTIVITY BY
ATTEMPTING HAVE CATIDE RECALL AND FIRE HIM. UNLIKELY HE WILL
PRODUCE ANYTHING WORTHWHILE, AND ANY VALUE ACQUITING KUBARK AND
COSTEST THEM. ABILITY MONITOR HIS ACTIVITIES OUTWITTED BY GENERAL
SECURITY AND ECHAGUE FACTORS. ALSO SEE POTENTIAL EMBARRASSMENT
IN FACT MOSSACK'S CATIDE AFFILIATION UNDOUBTEDLY WELL KNOWN TO
OPPOSITION WHO ALSO COMPLETELY AWARE HIS 63 BACKGROUND. THEREFORE
FEEL IT WOULD GIVE ANY IMPRESSION AMERICAN SPOOFERY? ECHAGUE

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ACTIVITIES UNLESS THERE GOOD REASON BELIEVE BE OTHER THAN GOOD COMMUNIST HE APPEARS.

4 BASIS ABOVE INFO WHAT IS MUNI BEST ESTIMATE PROBABILITY OBTAINING CATIE CONCURRENCE RECALL AND TERMINATION MESSAGE IN BEST INTERESTS WESTERN INTELL EFFORT IF MUNI COMMENT FAVORABLE REQUEST PACY ATTEMPT OBTAIN OUTST AGREEMENT

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