

SUBJECT: GENERAL-Operational

PAWLEY Business Interests in the Dominican Republic

ACTION REQUIRED: For info only.

- l. In addition to minerals exploitation in which Mr. William D. PAWLEY has substantial investments, negotiations are being concluded for the purchase by PAWLEY of the Hotel Hamaca in Boca Chica, a resort town near the almost-completed new international airport, about 30 km east of Ciudad Trujillo.
- 2. Another activity which is kept very much under wraps is the concession granted PAWLEY for procurement and world-wide sale of all new issues of Dominican postage stamps. This activity is managed by Edward F. PANLEY, brother of William, whose office is in the Dominican post office building.
- 3. The source (considered sensitive) of the information in paragraph 2. is Mrs. Nora BAITZIUS, a U. S. citizen employed by PANLEY Out in the stamp business. The source volunteered the information on a very confidential basis to Helene I. DAHLERUP at a social gathering.

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