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TO: SUN STREAK Project 9019 (U)

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1. (S/STD/NF) Four collection efforts were conducted to determine the current location of a target vessel identified as the [REDACTED] to determine the nature of the contraband aboard ship, if any, and to determine the destination of the contraband.

2. (S/STD/NF) Source 003 identified the target vessel's current location as an area in the Windward Island at geographical coordinates 20 30' N / 73 40' W. The contraband in the form of drugs was transported in the form of "oblong blocks" wrapped in dark brown/grey paper. The contraband appeared stored forward of amidships, above the deck line, in the superstructure area. 003 had the impression the vessel was a container ship. On 24 April 1990 an off-loading/transfer of the contraband appears likely; however, 003 perceived the current location as also serving as the off-loading location.

3. (S/STD/NF) Source 079 perceived the current location of the vessel as 21 N / 80 W, an area adjoining the Camayan Islands. The target vessel is projected to sail in a westerly direction, around the Florida Keys, and will sail north along the Atlantic Ocean. The drugs were ultimately destined for Augusta, Georgia. "The off-loading" should occur within several weeks." The names "Flora" and "Charles/Charley" phonetically surfaced as call signs related to this target.

4. (S/STD) Source 095 identified the target vessel's current location as 21 30' N / 82 25', an area located south of Cuba and

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north of the Cayman Islands. 095 indicated the vessel was not carrying contraband.

5. (S/STD) Source 025 perceived the vessel as being in the vicinity of Belize at geographical coordinates 17 N / 86 W. The contraband appeared to be "a cocaine-related substance stored in cold metal containers." The drugs "will be unloaded or transferred to another ship, phonetically associated with the letters/expression, "Cou", at geographical coordinates 26N / 59W, north of the Virgin Islands.

6. (S/STD) A copy of map indicating current locations of the target ship as perceived by the sources, is attached for your info.

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1 ENCLOSURE
Map


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