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SANCHEZ dictated the following information to steno, JANE A. KOEHLER:

"I flew via Central America back to the Dominican Republic by KLM plane to Curacao, Pan American to Haiti, and Pan American to Ciudad Trujillo. In Curação I met the Dominican Consul, Mr. POLANCO, and the Vice Consul, Mr. VICIOSO. This occurred in August, 1959. Two or three days later, Mr. VICIOSO took off with all the confidential Consulate documents. Consul POLANCO gave me a large envelope to take to the Foreign Relations Department. These documents were classified 'Confidential', 'Secret', 'Top Secret', etc. It was about a week after I returned to the Dominican Republic that I heard that Mr. VICIOSO had deserted and took off with the documents. In Curação I met Mr. CANCIO BELLO, former BATISTA naval officer who was assigned to the Inter-American Defense Junta. On my return, BELLO and myself occupied adjacent seats in the plane and he told me he was going to wait for a visa to go to the United States from the Dominican He was coming from Guatemala. Republic. I believe he is in Miami now. When I arrived in the Dominican Republic I went to see ABBES, the Chief of the SIM. When I entered his office, there was a lot of activity there. GACEL was putting red tacks on a Cuban map. I inquired as to what he was doing. He told me 'we are invading Cuba . Trinidad is ours already. Morgan and Menoyo are with us.

Morgan is a former American paratrooper who went to Cuba to fight with Castro forces against Batista. His first name is William. He was a Major in the Cuban rebel army.

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"Mencyo is a Spaniard. I've heard he is a Communist from way back. He was a Major on the Escambray Front. Now he is a Major in the Cuban red army.

"I told ABBES the reasons for my returning to the Dominican Republic without killing ALMOINA. He told me it was all right and that DIAZ FERNANDEZ sent him a wire. ABBES said I was lucky to escape. ABBES said 'now I need you right away for another job. Morgan is calling for instructors to help train farmers against Castro. We have a C 46 plane leaving tonight. Do you want to go?!. Then I told him 'sir I don't trust Morgan or Menoyo. I would rather wait a few days.! That plane was captured in Cuba that same night and two or three of the men were killed and the rest are imprisoned in Cuba. This occurred in August, 1959. The same night I was at ABBES office I heard Morgan calling JOHNNY on a short wave radio. MORGAN asked him for heavy equipment. ABBES thought that MORGAN was with him against CASTRO, but MORGAN was just putting on an act and CASTRO knew all the details of the plot to invade Cuba. MORGAN received close to \$75,000 from ABBES and from AUGUSTO FERNANDO, Dominican Consul in Miami. They met MORGAN at a Miami Beach hotel. This occurred around May of June, 1959 and the money was paid to him then.

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"At this time in May of 1959, JOHNNY went to Miami to make contact with MORGAN. He was accompanied by MANUEL OLIVARI MALLEN as a bodyguard, and they had a good time in a calypse night club very close to downtown Miami. The person who arranged MORGAN's meeting was Father VELAZCO, a Spanish priest. Father VELAZCO is a paid agent of SIM, not an informer. Father VELAZCO had been in Guba to arrange this meeting. When I returned from Mexico, I gave a small 25 pistol with gold grips to JOHNNY as a gift. I had some other gifts for POLICARPO SOLER. POLICARPO was known in the Dominican

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Republic as !Joaquin Rodriguez! and !General Rodriguez! and he had a Cuban passport under that name. A few months prior to this (about May), POLICARPO went to Miami with General JOSE PEDRAZA and they met ROLANDO MASFERRER, former Cuban Senator and the head of a private army called the They went in a Dominican Tigers / a bunch of killers. warship disguised as Dominican naval officers. either a frigate or a destroyer. On the return trip, FERIA, also known as 'El Indio' with some other men dressed in Dominican naval uniforms was brought to the Dominican I told JOHNNY I was going to see SOLER and Republic. he told me not to go there often to see SOLER. Right away I knew something was cooking against SOLER. was around August 14 or 15, 1959. I asked for permission to go there and JOHNNY told me to go and give SCHER the gifts and take off. Then I went to my home, got my car, and went to see SOLER. When I arrived at his home I saw a new car there, which belonged to SOLER. It was a black Cadillac, late model. It did not have any license plates. It confirmed my suspicions that SOLER was out of favor because he had Palace license plates for four years. When I entered SOLER's house, he came to me with a submachine gun in his hand looking very nervous. He asked me if I was with him or against him. I gave him the right answer and said 'I am with Trujillo'. Then we went to his room and he told me that he had a fight with JOHNNY because he knew that MORGAN was against TRUJILLO and not with TRUJILLO. He said that JOHNNY was a fool and a queer and that he SOLER's told JOHNNY that he, JOHNNY, was a homosexual. wife was very nervous and then she told me 'Sanchez, you have to stick with us because if something happens to my husband, the same thing will happen to you. I gave SOLER the present I had, some pistol holsters and cartridge belts, and right away I went to see JACOBO TRUJILLO, half brother of El Benefactor. I asked JACOB what was going on with SOLER while I was in Mexico. JACOBO told me