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1. [redacted] DCD - Key Bld  
& said had call from DCD the.  
[redacted] contacted DCD Morn  
& said she wants written response  
to her letter. DCD concerned that  
she will get longer to make request  
if we don't comply.

2. For letter written by [redacted]  
D/CAD decided to strike out goal  
& put key w. conditions & blue and  
longer in ooc?

3. What should we do now. Send out  
letter already prepared by L.T.  
or send another re write.

Reported letter from AC/KAD on 2 attached  
docs. by with [redacted] 11/11/75  
for decision by C/CAD.

② advise DCD [redacted] & how the  
advise [redacted] [redacted]

your husband has never  
worked for the agency

J B'lock

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8/11/58

MEMORANDUM OF CALL

*green v. Hall - on*  
*new record in*  
*my copy by the Agency*

YOU WERE CALLED BY  YOU WERE VISITED BY

Of (Organization)

PLEASE CALL → PHONE NO. CODE EXT. **2268**

WILL CALL AGAIN  IS WAITING TO SEE YOU  
 RETURNED YOUR CALL  WISHES AN APPOINTMENT

MESSAGE

*But pls call him on GREEN 3124*

RECEIVED [ ] DATE **8/9/75** TIME **1150**

STANDARD FORM 63 REVISED AUGUST 1967 GSA FPMR (41 CFR) 101-11.6 U. S. G. GPO: 1975 O-020 63-108

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7 Oct 71 (Miami)  
Re: Antonio Cuesta Valle

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30 Mar 71 (Miami)  
Re - Antonio Cuesta Valle

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CHIEF DIRECTOR 059276  
UN/COG

WH/MIAMI

~~SECRET~~ TYPIC AMECRU AMDENIM

REF: WH/MIAMI-0125 (IN-248374)

1. SUGGEST LNERGO BE ADVISED JKLANCE HAS NO PRESENT OR FUTURE OPERATIONAL INTEREST AMDENIM-14 AND CAN NEITHER INFLUENCE NOR ASSIST ANY EFFORT OBTAIN RANSOM TO EFFORT RELEASE. ANY PROPAGANDA VALUE RESULTING FROM RELEASE CONSIDERED HIGHLY UNLIKELY. LNERGO CERTAINLY AWARE SEVERAL FORMER PRISONERS OF EQUAL STATURE RANSOMED BY FAMILIES IN PAST TWO YEARS WITH LITTLE IF ANY PROPAGANDA MILEAGE GAINED FROM RELEASES.

2. SINCE LNERGO FULLY AWARE LNOLD IS APPROPRIATE CHANNEL TO APPROACH FOR GUIDANCE AND ASSISTANCE IN CONDUCT OF SUCH DELICATE MATTER, HQS SUSPECTS RATHER TRANSPARENT APPROACH TO JKLANCE MOTIVATED BY POSSIBLE RUMORS IN EXILE COMMUNITY THAT JKLANCE PROVIDED RANSOM FOR AMEIGH-2 AND OTHERS.

3. ALTHOUGH HQS RECORDS FAIL REFLECT EXTENT LNERGO

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/CONTINUED/ 28 JAN 1971  
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RELATIONSHIP WITH AMDENIM-14, HE OBVIOUSLY WAS VOLUNTARY LNERGO INFORMANT FROM 62 UNTIL 65 WHEN HE WAS RECRUITED BY LNMICA. LNMICA TERMINATED THE RELATIONSHIP 10 MAY 66, SHORTLY BEFORE THE FATAL COMMANDOS L EXPEDITION WHICH RESULTED IN AMDENIM-14'S CAPTURE 29 MAY 66.

4. FILE: 201 221212, 201-061093.

END OF MESSAGE

MAY 27 1966  
OS

*clw/hk*



*James E. Hamney*  
WILLIAM V. BROE  
C/WHD  
*for*



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RYBAT TYPIC AMECRU

1. LNERGO/MIAMI ADVISED STATION THAT:

A. CONFIDENTIAL NEGOTIATIONS HAVE BEEN INITIATED BY WIFE OF AMDENIM-14 WITH AMECRU-1, TO ATTEMPT RANSOM HUSBAND.

[ ] A FRIEND OF AMDENIM-14'S, IS ACTING AS INTERMEDIARY WITH AMECRU-1 AND MET WITH HIM CIRCA 1 JAN 1971 IN MIAMI BEACH TO DISCUSS RANSOM TERMS.

B. RANSOM PRICE QUOTED BY AMECRU-1 WAS \$50,000 AND HE WANTED ASSURANCE IN WRITING FROM WIFE OF AMDENIM-14 THAT SHE COULD RAISE THE MONEY. SHE GAVE ASSURANCE ALTHOUGH SAID PRIVATELY SHE HAD NO IDEA WHERE SUCH AN AMOUNT WOULD COME FROM.

C. AMECRU-1 WAS [ ] ON HIS WAY [ ] PRESUMABLY TO INITIATE NEGOTIATIONS.

D. LNERGO HAS A "HUMANITARIAN" INTEREST IN FREEING AMDENIM-14 AND ASKED FOLLOWING QUESTIONS INFORMALLY OF STATION:

- (1) CAN JKLANCE SUBSCRIBE TO THIS RANSOM IN ANY AMOUNT?
- (2) CAN JKLANCE INFLUENCE OR OTHERWISE ASSIST IN THIS RELEASE, I.E., GET PRICE REDUCED?

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(3) CAN JKLANCE SUGGEST ANY SOURCES OF FUNDS FOR THIS PURPOSE OR ACT AS INTERMEDIARY IN OBTAINING SUCH FUNDS?

2. LNERGO/MIAMI COMMENTED THAT RELEASE OF AMDENIM-14 MIGHT BE ADVANTAGEOUS TO JKLANCE AS SOURCE OF INFORMATION (AND, POSSIBLY, AS OPERATIONAL AGENT) AS WELL AS BEING A PROPAGANDA VICTORY IN THE CUBAN COMMUNITY.

3. STATION WH/MIAMI HAS REMAINED NON-COMMITTAL RE THIS CASE AS WELL AS ENTIRE SUBJECT OF RANSOMING CASTRO PRISONERS. PLEASE ADVISE TACK HQS WISHES STATION TO TAKE WITH LNERGO CONCERNING ABOVE.

4. FILE: 201-281313; 201-061063. GPI.

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27 Oct 69 (Miami)  
Re - Antonio Cuesta Valle  
Bureau # 105-1795

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10 May 68 (Miami)  
Re - Antonio Cuesta Valle  
(aka - Tony Cuesta)

Bureau # mm 105-1795

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FBI doc  
29 April 68 (Miami)  
Re: Commandos L

OGC 68-0374

5 March 1968

MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, WH/COG

SUBJECT: James C. Wray

1. I called Mr. James C. Wray today to determine his reason for having called the Agency on 27 February regarding Antonio CUESTA Del Valle's patent application. At that time Wray had stated that as a patent attorney he was representing CUESTA who had an application pending on which some \$140 in fees was due.

2. Wray advised that he had been retained by CUESTA several years ago to file an application concerned with a high speed boat on which a patent was ready to issue upon payment of \$140 in filing fees. He stated further that as a consequence of CUESTA's subsequent capture he had been unable to communicate with him and that he had failed in his efforts to interest CUESTA's friends in assuming responsibility for the fees. Wray readily accepted my representations that the Agency had no responsibility in the matter. According to him, he had called us merely as a matter of last resort.

3. I found Wray's description of the boat's configuration and attributes to be interesting. While emphasizing that we had no responsibility for his client's present situation or for his fees, I suggested that he might want to provide me with the boat's specifications. Wray accepted this suggestion. My thought here was that an item of this nature might be of interest to SOD/Maritime Branch.

  
Assistant General Counsel

  
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<b>Remarks:</b>			
<p>After much jiggery and gaggery, we agreed it would be desirable to return call as a matter of courtesy. Please ask OGC to do so — denying any knowledge of the matter.</p> <p>[Redacted] called &amp; will handle matter 3/4/68</p>			
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FROM: NAME, ADDRESS AND PHONE NO.			DATE
[Redacted]			3/4/68
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**INCIDENT REPORT**

**BUILDING SECURITY BRANCH**

DATE 21 February 1968

TIME 1520 Hours

NAME James C. Wray GRADE N/A OFFICE N/A  
Harney Building, Room 1204  
1329 "E" St., N.W., Washington, D.C.  
Phone: NA 8-5555

INCIDENT Request for assistance TIME 1520 Hours PLACE Headquarters

**SUMMARY OF INFORMATION:**

At 1520 hours, Mr. James C. WRAY called identifying himself as a Patent Attorney and requested someone contact him concerning Mr. Anthony CUESTA. Mr. Cuesta, according to Mr. Wray, filed a patent application, #472 763, on 19 July 1965, for a high speed boat with a flexible hull. Mr. Wray stated that after filing, Mr. Cuesta left the United States and is now in a Cuban prison. Mr. Wray stated the reason he called is that he wants the Agency to either pay \$145.00 for the patent issue fee as the deadline is 10 April 1968, or talk to the Patent Office. Advised Mr. Wray that a report would be made of his call.

201-281313

*Security Division* <sup>with</sup> *OGC*  and  
 WH/COE/EXO. *Agreed no response desired.*

*3/1/68 P20*

*WH/Security/Hammeh called and said OS  
 recommend return telecon. WH/COE will ask  
 to handle.*

**ACTION TAKEN:**

A check in SR & CD was negative re Mr. Wray but two files, 242 095 and 530 946, were found on Mr. Cuesta.

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Chief, IS Division

Chief of Station, JMWAVE *D*

TYPIC/Operational  
CUIS Recruitment of IDENTITY

ACTION REQUIRED REFERENCES

1. On 8 and 13 June 1967 the local LNERGO officer who is handling the IDENTITY case informed a JMWAVE officer that she had been recruited by the CUIS on her recent visit [redacted] LNERGO requests that the knowledge of this information be kept to a minimum, for they intend to operate her as a double agent. LNERGO does not intend to disseminate any information on the case, at this time; however, the following information was provided so that JMWAVE could furnish LNERGO with traces and comments:

A. IDENTITY received permission from U.S. and [redacted] authorities to travel [redacted] to visit her imprisoned husband. She arrived [redacted] on 7 April 1967 and [redacted] met her at the airport. In general, [redacted] was her escort; however, she also had to keep [redacted] at telephone number [redacted] informed of her movements. [redacted] was also assigned to IDENTITY's case and she thought possibly that he was [redacted] superior officer. She described [redacted] officer who had formerly been in the U.S. and who had some type of a back ailment.

Attachment: UDC

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B. [redacted] was in charge of her husband's case and [redacted] was his assistant. IDENTITY said that her husband was normally kept at the [redacted] main building, but at a small building on the hospital grounds. She visited him frequently at the hospital and on one occasion they met in an office [redacted]

C. On 13 April [redacted] made the recruitment pitch to IDENTITY. He said the pitch was on behalf [redacted] and would benefit her and her husband. He said if she would successfully report on [redacted] activities and especially activities [redacted] for a period of six months they would release her husband from custody; and after three years of reporting they would grant him permission to depart [redacted]. She said that she certainly wanted to help her husband; however, she did not have any information regarding her husband's activities nor information about [redacted] activities. [redacted] instructed her to just do her best and he thought everything would work out all right.

D. For the next few days, [redacted] debriefed her on her family, friends, work, etc.

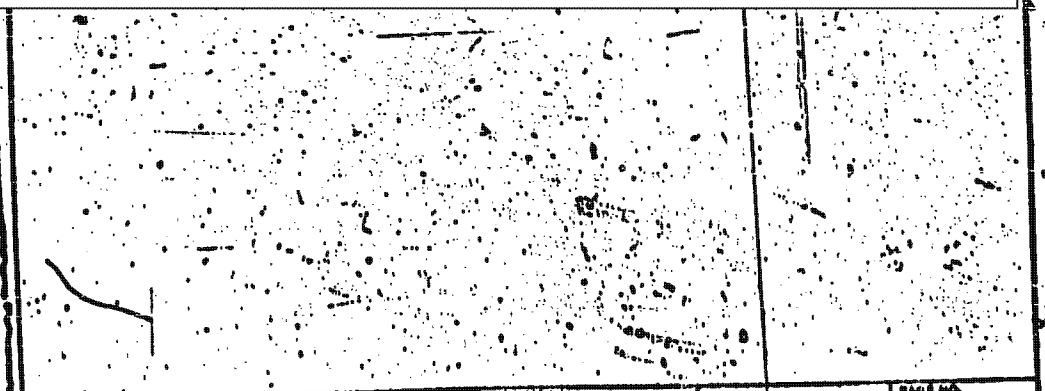
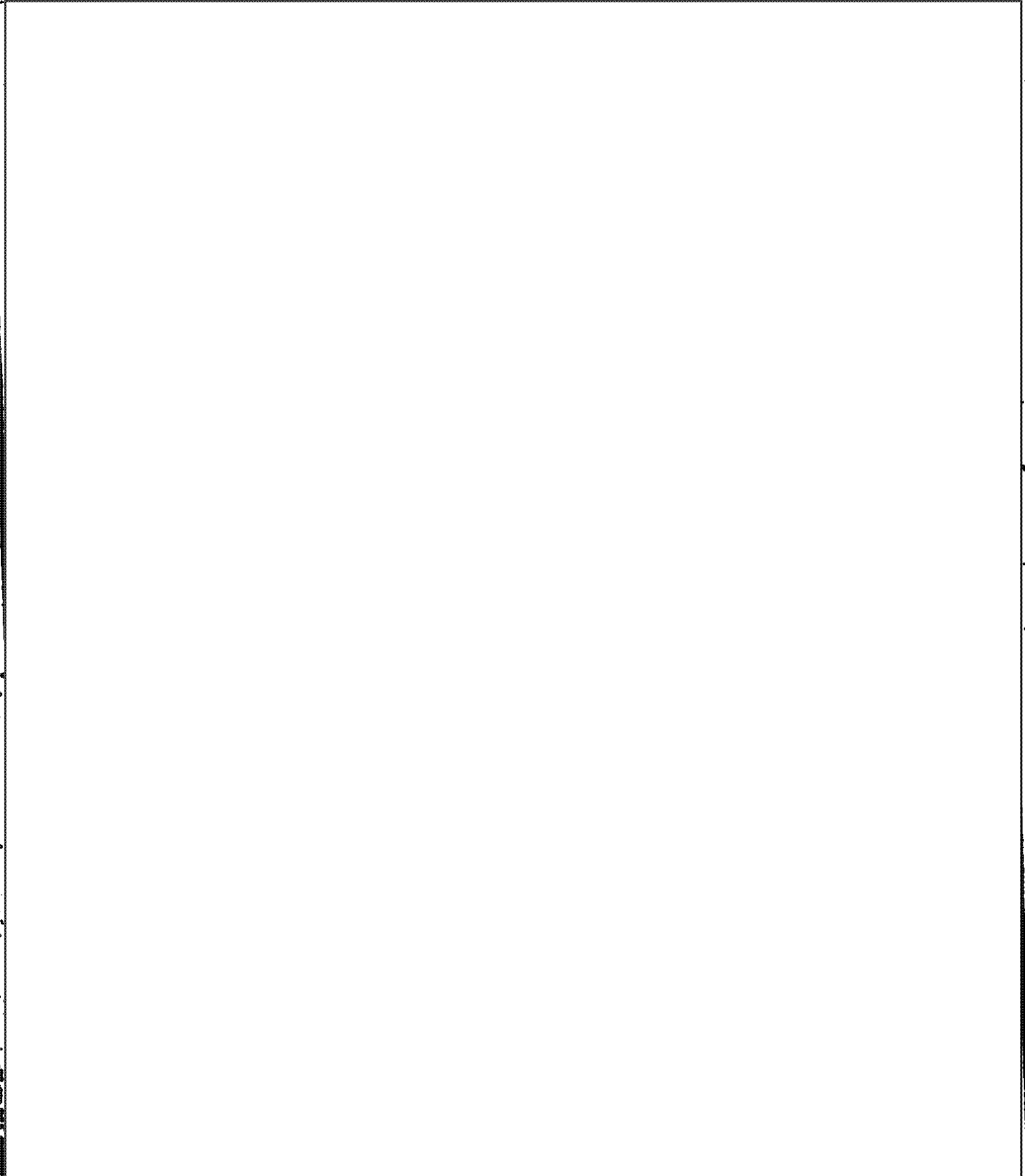
E. From 20 thru 22 April she was picked-up daily [redacted] and taken to a safehouse [redacted] for training. Somewhere along the route, they would stop and pick-up the instructor [redacted] *NR + put* [redacted] gave IDENTITY training in document photography, development, and techniques in the collection of information. She was instructed in the use of a single lens reflex camera and although she claimed to have done very poorly, [redacted] assured her, that with more practice, she would do O.K. He told her to purchase a camera and two goose neck table lamps with 100 watt bulbs on her return [redacted] and practice until she became proficient.

F. IDENTITY was instructed to print or typewrite (using all uppercase letters) her reports as she obtained the information, hold them and every fifteen days photograph them, develop the film, destroy the reports, and hold the negatives. Every six months she would take all of the negatives [redacted] and deliver them [redacted] (201-335014) [redacted] Her first assigned meeting with [redacted] was scheduled for any work day between 20 September and 2 October 1967.

G. IDENTITY was told that she would have no further contacts [redacted] but should she have any serious trouble, she could write [redacted]

She was told to make up a false name and return address and sign the letter with the first name used in the return address. She did not receive a code name, was told nothing about EW, was not promised money nor expenses, and was not given any further information or training.

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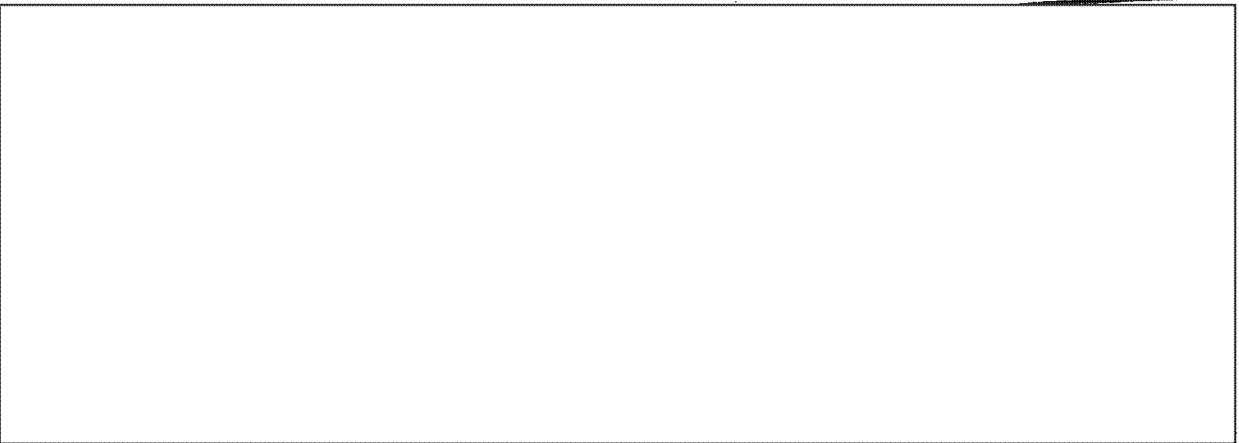
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REFERENCE: DIRECTOR 74423 (NOT SENT MEXICO)

1. FYI: AMOTS AND AMCLEVE-15 HAVE REPORTED \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ DEPARTED \_\_\_\_\_ FOR \_\_\_\_\_

MEXICO CITY 2 APRIL, PLANS \_\_\_\_\_ FOR  
 TWO WEEK VISIT WITH HUSBAND.

2. FYI. IN NOVEMBER 1966 LOCAL ACSI INFORMED  
 STATION OF \_\_\_\_\_ PLANS TO \_\_\_\_\_ VISIT IMPRISONED  
 HUSBAND WHO FORMERLY ACSI SD 6836. ACSI SAID SHE HAD  
 BEEN IN CONTACT \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ ACSI ASKED IF STATION WANTED TO  
 PURSUE AS JPS LEAD. STATION DECLINED OFFER AND SUGGESTED  
 ACSI INFORM FBI. FBI WAS INFORMED AND THEY HAVE BEEN  
 MONITORING CASE.

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20 May 66  
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Army Proposal - Cuba

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SD 15413

(201-783822)

Subject was terminated without prejudice by ACSI on 17 January 1966

File: 7/DC/B-66

*Lt. Col. Francis [unclear] 7/35/66  
that SD 15413 and SD 15410  
were dropped in January.*

*28 Apr 66: ACSI requested reinstatement of  
SD-15413 and SD-15410.  
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File in: 201-281313

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OGC 66-0119

19 JAN 1966

Honorable J. Waker Yeagley  
Assistant Attorney General  
Department of Justice  
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Yeagley:

By letter of 5 January 1966, you advised that the Department is contemplating prosecutive action against certain individuals involved in the hit-and-run raid conducted in the Havana Harbor area in November 1965. In this connection, you requested our comments relative to any past or current interest this Agency might have had or has in Antonio CUESTA Del Valle and whether disclosure of that interest in the event of prosecution would be detrimental to its operations. In addition, you also requested to be advised whether this Agency has or ever had an operational interest in Jorge [redacted] Canosa or his anti-Castro organization, the [redacted]

This Agency has no present operational interest in CUESTA or MAE, although it did have in times past. We do not believe that disclosure of those past interests would have any serious consequences for the Agency.

For your information, with 303 Committee approval, this Agency does have a relationship [redacted] pursuant to which limited financial support is provided for the maintenance of its Miami office. While [redacted] should not be knowledgeable of this fact, any statements he might make should not affect our relationship with that organization.

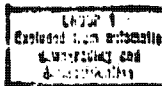
Sincerely,

SIGNED

[redacted]  
General Counsel

cc: [redacted]

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Jan. 11, 1966

1. [redacted] CGC phoned on 12 January. After checking back with Dept. of Justice he learned that latter is in contact with Army concerning Guesta. He suggested I not tell Army this but tell them that Justice has an interest in the man.

2. This date I called [redacted] who was well aware of the Justice interest. He said that Justice was now waiting for an assessment of the man by Army.

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NAME **CUESTA VALLE, Antonio**

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DATE OF BIRTH	PLACE OF BIRTH	CITIZENSHIP
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PRESENT ADDRESS	OCCUPATION
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PRESENT EMPLOYMENT

TRAVEL

ADDITIONAL PERTINENT IDENTIFYING DATA

*[Handwritten scribbles]*

Terminated without prejudice 10 May 1966

SUBJECT would not submit to control.

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PRIORITY DIRECTOR

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REFERENCE: JMWAVE 1208 (IN 06931)\*

*over*

*ISR - 30 Mar 66 IN 26933*

*for GUESTA 201*

1. FOLLOWING FILE INFO SUPPLEMENTS REF.

A. NO INDICATION JMWAVE FILES THAT OTHER

THAN [REDACTED] ANY OF PERSONS MENTIONED HAVE EVER BEEN ASSOCIATED WITH KUBARK. ONLY POSSIBLE TRACE [REDACTED] IS UNDATED CARD CITING 201-301081, STATION SUBJECT ON "FRD" PAYROLL, POA NOT REQUESTED.

B. GROUP [REDACTED] LATER IDENTIFIED AS

[REDACTED] WERE SPOTTED BY WAVE OFFICER [REDACTED] ON 18 APRIL 66. SINCE [REDACTED] KNOWN AS ACSI AGENT, CHECK MADE WITH LOCAL ACSI, WHICH REPLIED THAT [REDACTED] STILL BEING USED BUT ACTIVITY IN QUESTION NOT SPONSORED BY ACSI.

C. SEE ATTACHMENT TO FI/DEPARTMENTAL COORDIN-

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ATION GROUP MEMO DATED 11 APRIL 66 (POUCHED TO JMWAVE WITHOUT MANIFEST). ATTACHMENT, DATED 5 APRIL 66, CONCERNS COORDINATION OF ACSI OP INTO CUBA INVOLVING USE OF ANTONIO CUESTA, CRAFT OWNED BY HIM, AND NINE OTHER EXILES ASSOCIATED WITH COMMANDOS L AND ALPHA 66.

2. ON 16 MAY, AFTER RECEIVING INFO INDICATING CUESTA AND COMMANDOS L PLANNING SOME FORM OF OP INTO CUBA OR HAITI, COS JMWAVE QUERIED CHIEF LOCAL ACSI DET RE STATUS OF CUESTA. ACSI CHIEF STATED CUESTA IN PROCESS OF BEING TERMINATED.

3. UPON RECEIPT REF INFO COS JMWAVE CHECKED BY TELEPHONE WITH CHIEF LOCAL ACSI CONCERNING ALL PERSONS MENTIONED REF. LOCAL ACSI CHIEF STATED FOLLOWING:

A. CUESTA TERMINATED BY ACSI MORNING 25

MAY.

B. ON 19 APRIL LOCAL ACSI "ESTABLISHED INTEREST" IN ALVAREZ, FERNANDEZ ANTA AND ZALDIZAR BUT THIS STILL PENDING, NAMELY, THEY HAVE NOT HEARD FROM ACSI HQS RE THEIR REQUEST.

C. ROMER AND DIAZ NEVER OF OPS INTEREST

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PAGE 3 JMWAVE 1209 S E C R E T

TO LOCAL ACSI ALTHO THEY KNOWN TO ACSI AS SOMETIME MEMBERS  
OF BOAT CREW HEADED BY ENRIQUE GONZALEZ (PERSON INVOLVED  
IN NOTORIOUS BAHAMAS INCIDENT OF APRIL 66)

4. WHILE IMPOSSIBLE PREDICT CUBAN REACTION BELIEVE  
THEY MAY CHARGE THAT 29-33 MAY INCIDENT WAS OPERATION  
BY U.S. ARMY AND PRESENT INFO FROM CAPTURED PERSONNEL AS  
SUBSTANTIATING THEIR CLAIM. IT CLEAR THAT ACSI HAS BEEN  
IN CONTACT WITH CUESTA AND THRU HIM WITH VARIOUS COMMANDOS  
L-ALPHA 66 PERSONALITIES SINCE AT LEAST 65, PROBABLY  
EARLIER. CUESTA ASSOCIATION WITH ACSI WIDELY KNOWN IN  
LOCAL EXILE AND ODOYKE CIRCLES. ALSO POSSIBLE THAT  
CUBANS WILL CHOOSE TO CHARGE THAT OP WAS DIRECTLY SPON-  
SORED OR MASTERMINDED BY KUBARK. IT WOULD APPEAR  
UNLIKELY THAT CUBANS CAN PRODUCE ANY PLAUSIBLE EVIDENCE  
LINKING INCIDENT PARTICIPANTS WITH KUBARK.

S E C R E T \*Reported a clash at sea between a Cuban exile group and  
the Cuban Armed Forces.

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SCHWABORN (P) BY PETER B GUARDOTTI (P) MARL BRANCH CREW MEMBER WHO  
RECEIVED INFO FROM AMMED-16. NOTE [Redacted] IS ACSI SOURCE NO. 232.  
FIELD COMMENT BASED UFG 7574. NO INDEX FILED 22 OCT 65

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SUBJECT: PLANS OF COMANDOS L FOR ATTACK AGAINST CUBA

ACT: 21 OCTOBER 1965

DATA: UNITED STATES, MIAMI (21 OCTOBER 1965) UFG 7645

SOURCE: A CUBAN EMIGRE WHO IS CLOSELY ASSOCIATED WITH CUBAN EMIGRE  
MATTERS IN THE MIAMI AREA. HE IS CONSIDERED TO BE A RELIABLE  
REPORTER.

COMMENT:

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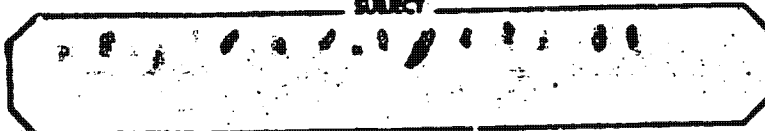
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SOURCE AND APPRAISAL

FIELD REPORT NO.

1. ON OR ABOUT 25 OCTOBER 1965 ANTONIO CUESTA DEL VALLE, CHIEF OF MILITARY OPERATIONS OF THE COMANDOS L, A MILITANT CUBAN EMIGRE ORGANIZATION, PLANS TO LEAVE FLORIDA FOR CUBA WITH A GROUP TO CONDUCT AN OPERATION AGAINST CUBA. THE PURPOSE OF THE ACTION IS TO DISRUPT THE MOVEMENT OF CUBAN REFUGEES FROM CUBA TO THE UNITED STATES, BECAUSE CUESTA FEELS THAT THIS EMIGRATION IS AN INDICATION THAT THE UNITED STATES IS MOVING TOWARD A POLICY OF COEXISTENCE WITH FIDEL CASTRO RUZ.

2. CUESTA WAS SOLICITING MONEY IN MIAMI ON 21 OCTOBER TO

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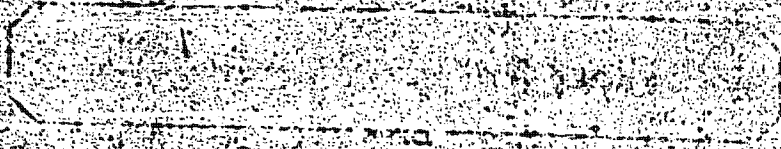
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FINANCE THIS OPERATION. CUESTA OWNS A GASOLINE STATION ON 12TH AVENUE, HIALEAH, MIAMI, FLORIDA. HE OWNS A 95-FOOT BOAT.

3. (FIELD COMMENT. A RECENT REPORT FROM AN INDEPENDENT SOURCE, REPORTED THAT CUESTA WAS A LEADER OF A GROUP OF 13 MEMBERS OF COMANDOS L WHICH WAS SCHEDULED TO LEAVE MIAMI FOR PUERTO RICO ON 18 OCTOBER.)

4. FIELD DISSEMI: CINCSO, CINCLANT, COMWESTFOR, MIAMI REPS OF STATE, FBI, I&NS, CUSTOMS, BORDER PATROL, USCG, US ARMY FIELD APPRAISAL DETACHMENT 1.



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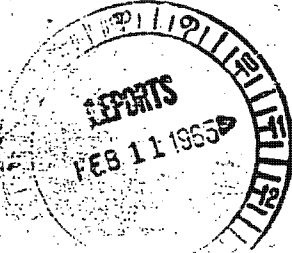
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SOURCE:

A Cuban exile with good access to activities of exile activist groups. His reporting on raider activities has been generally reliable since 1962. This information was obtained from [Redacted]

*cit Cuba Puerto Rico*

1. According to [Redacted], a member of Comandos L, a militant Cuban exile organization, Antonio Cuesta del Valle has been in Puerto Rico for several months attempting to set up a camp there for training Cuban exiles. He has also been attempting to obtain permission from the Dominican Republic to use the Dominican camp which was used by Eloy Gutierrez Menoyo, a military leader of the Segundo Frente Nacional del Escambray (SFNE, Second National Front of the Escambray), and has been making regular trips to the Dominican Republic from Puerto Rico for that purpose.
2. On 3 February 1965, Ramon Font Saumell, second in command of Comandos L, told [Redacted] that the recent accusations made against the top Dominican military personnel by Gutierrez after his capture in Cuba in January had jeopardized his organization's good relations with the Dominican Government.

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