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6 October 1959

MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, SB/1

FROM : Acting Chief, Support Branch

SUBJECT : PAWLEY, William D.
#78435

I briefed Mr Bauman Help 60459

1. For your information, [redacted] WH Division, extension 2287, called to request certain support action relative to the captioned Subject.

2. According to [redacted] members of WH Division and also of the DCI's office are in frequent contact with the Subject at his offices in Miami, Florida. It appears that the Subject is used from time to time for the purpose of obtaining information relative to the Cuban situation. Because of Subject's business interests, he is in contact with various Cuban members of the BATISTA regime.

3. In order to obtain detailed and accurate information from the Subject relative to these various contacts, [redacted] has requested that our office take the necessary action to install a technical unit in the offices of PAWLEY. This unit would be used by PAWLEY to record his conversations with the various Cubans; and, subsequently, the tapes would be turned over to this Agency.

4. [redacted] commented that this matter has been checked with Colonel KING, WH Division, and that some mention of it will also be made to the DCI's office.

5. It was suggested by [redacted] that our office prepare to have a man make a survey of Subject's offices during the following week end and to arrange for the installation as soon thereafter as possible.

6. A formal letter of request will follow, and we should initiate no action until receipt of same.

Jack M. Bauman

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