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1. FOLLOW COMMENTS BY JOSE PARDO LLADA 24 OCT 61:

A. IN CONTRAST PREVIOUS OPINION, EXPRESSED PRIOR APRIL INVASION (SEE REF), NOW BELIEVED SITUATION RIPE FOR ACTION.

B. GREATEST NEED IS BEGIN IMMEDIATE RADIO TRANSMISSIONS PREFERABLY LONG WAVE BUT ALSO SHORT WAVE OF DAILY ATTACKS AGAINST CASTRO BY "RADIO VOICES" WELL KNOWN TO CUBAN PEOPLE TO HAVE SUPPORTED REVOLUTION BUT TO HAVE BROKEN WITH CASTRO OVER COMMUNISM. AMONG THESE ARE SELF; MAX LESNICK; MANOLO IGLESIAS, NOW IN DETENTION MCALLEN. ALSO SUGGEST MODESTO VASQUEZ, NOW MEXI, WELL KNOWN "RADIO VOICE" WITH FOLLOWING CUBAN. REALIZES OWN PROBLEM GETTING U.S. ASSISTANCE THIS EFFORT BUT NEVERTHELESS MAKING PERSONAL ALL OUT EFFORT GET ON AIR AND BEGIN FIGHT. NOW TRYING GET VISA GO COLOMBIA BEGIN LIVE BROADCASTING; HAS BEEN PROMISED RADIO TIME COLOMBIA. AT SAME TIME TRYING THROUGH SECCEN APRISTA PARTY GET VISA GO PERU WHERE CAN MAKE TAPES TO SEND TO COLOMBIA FOR RADIO TRANSMISSION. HAS POSSIBILITIES GO BRAZIL BUT THIS TOO FAR FROM SCENE ACTION.

C. GREAT NEED BURN SUGAR CANE PRIOR HARVEST TIME.

D. BELIEVE CAMPESES WILL NOW SUPPORT SEVERAL SMALL GROUPS

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GUERRILLAS APPROPRIATE AREAS. PURPOSE NOT TO OVERTHROW CASTRO DIRECTLY BUT TO DESTROY MYTH CASTRO INVINCIBILITY. SECUNDO FRENTE DEL ESCAMBRAY SHOULD BE ABLE DO THIS.

E. KILL CASTRO. HE WILL NOT RUN AND AS LONG AS HE ALIVE SITUATION WILL BE PROLONGED.

F. MAKE IMMEDIATE EFFORTS MASS DEFECT AND EXFILTRATE DOZEN OR MORE REVOLUTIONARY LEADERS WHO NOT COMMIE BUT WHO NOW TRAPPED BY HAVING WAITED TOO LONG TO JUMP OR FEAR FAMILY REPRISALS, OR WHOSE NAMES CONNECTED CONTROVERSIAL MEASURES NEW GOVERNMENT, SUCH AS: (SEE PARA 2 WITH PARDO COMMENTS).

G. BREAK APPARENT CHARMED CIRCLE WHICH ON BASIS "BAD RECORDS" APPEARS DENY MANY CUBANS CHANCE CAPITALIZE GREAT POTENTIAL WORK AGAINST CASTRO. INCLUDES ELOY GUTIERREZ MENOYO, MAX LESNICK, AND OTHERS SECUNDO FRENTE DEL ESCAMBRAY LEADERS, AMAURY FRAGINALS, CARLOS PRIO, ETC.

H. AVOID IRRITATIONS SUCH AS (1) HOLDING MEN LIKE ARUSTO FERNANDEZ CONDE, PERSONAL PHYSICIAN FIDEL CASTRO AND EX PRESIDENT NATIONAL MEDICAL COLLEGE, AND MANOLO IGLESIAS IN EXCESSIVE DETENTION MCALLEN. (2) INQUISITIONS AND DETENTIONS OF CUBANS ARRIVING MIAMI OFTEN HELD AT OPALOCKA WITHOUT EXPLANATIONS. (3) SUCH THINGS AS

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PUTTING WELL KNOWN BATISTIANO LIKE MARIANO FAGET IN POSITION SCREEN CUBANS WHO HELPED OVERTHROW BATISTA. (STATION COMMENT, STATION AGENTS LITAMIL-1 AND AMEPOCH-2 HAVE BOTH HAD ENTRY PROBLEMS MIAMI AND COMMON KNOWLEDGE THAT MANY CUBANS HAVE SUFFERED UNNECESSARY INDIGNITIES).

1. RE PERSONAL SITUATION, HAS FUNDS FROM SALE WIVES PROPERTY SPAIN AND PUBLISHED ARTICLES. IS SENDING DAUGHTER LIVE WITH WIVES BROTHER TO GO SCHOOL CHICAGO.

2. FOLL NAMES IN ORDER OF DEFECTABILTY TO PERSONAL KNOWLEDGE PARDO AS OF TIME OF DEFECTING:

(COMMENT: LITAU-4

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