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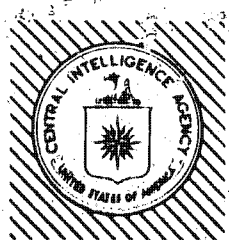
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1. ON 8 OCTOBER 1976 *Cuba* LUIS JORGE ~~X~~ MARTINEZ ~~X~~ MENOCAL,  
FIRST SECRETARY OF THE CUBAN EMBASSY IN CARACAS, VENEZUELA, SAID  
THAT THE CUBAN EMBASSY BELIEVES THAT THE CUBAN EXILE GROUP  
HEADED BY ORLANDO ~~X~~ BOSCH ~~X~~ AVILA IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE 6  
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10100-76, OF 8 OCTOBER 1976, FROM THIS AND ANOTHER SOURCE OF  
UNDETERMINED RELIABILITY.)

2. MARTINEZ SAID THAT THE EMBASSY BELIEVES BOSCH HAS BEEN  
RECEIVING ECONOMIC AND OTHER ASSISTANCE FROM THE UNITED STATES  
GOVERNMENT (USG), VIA ITS INTELLIGENCE AGENCIES, SINCE BOSCH IS  
ABLE TO MOVE ABOUT FREELY AND OBVIOUSLY WITH FALSE DOCUMENTATION,  
AS HIS MOVEMENTS CANNOT BE TRACED. HOWEVER, MARTINEZ SAID THAT THE  
CUBANS DO NOT BELIEVE THE USG IS OR WOULD BE DIRECTLY INVOLVED IN  
THE BOMBING OF THE CUBANA FLIGHT. USG INVOLVEMENT IN THE INCIDENT,  
MARTINEZ SAID, WOULD BE COUNTERPRODUCTIVE TO THE USG'S INTERESTS  
BECAUSE CUBAN PRIME MINISTER FIDEL ~~C A S T R O~~ <sup>Cuba</sup> ~~R U Z~~ WOULD SURELY  
BREAK THE AIR PIRACY AGREEMENT, WHICH IS TO THE BENEFIT OF THE USG.

3. THE CUBANS, MARTINEZ SAID, ARE CONCERNED ABOUT APPARENT  
CONNECTIONS BETWEEN BOSCH AND CUBAN EXILES WORKING FOR THE CAPRILES  
PUBLISHING CHAIN IN VENEZUELA. SHOULD FREDDY ~~L U G O~~, ONE OF THE  
TWO VENEZUELAN'S CURRENTLY UNDER DETENTION IN TRINIDAD IN CONNECTION  
WITH THE PLANE CRASH AND A REPORTER FOR ONE OF THE CAPRILES PUB-  
LICATIONS, BE DEFINITELY IMPLICATED IN THE AFFAIR, THE CUBANS WILL  
BE CONVINCED OF THIS BOSCH/CAPRILES CONNECTION. ANOTHER

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