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STATION OFFICER

ON 5 NOV AMPAL-5 GAVE MEMO OF CONVERSATION RECENTLY
OBTAINED IN SANJ WITH JOSE FIGUERES. FOLL POINTS OF INTEREST:

1. FIGUERES QUALIFIED HIS RELATIONSHIP TO AMEER AS THAT OF OLD
FRIENDSHIP WITHOUT WANTING IT INTERPERTED AS PARTISANSHIP. FIGUERES
MAINTAINS EQUAL FREINDSHIP OR ESTEEM FOR AMHAWK AND THE OTHER MEMBERS
OF ANCIGAR. ALTHOUGH KNOWING AMWAIL THE LEAST. HE AFFIRMED CATE-
GORICALLY THAT HE WOULD NOT ACT IN BEHALF OF ANY SPECIFIC SECTOR
(OF ANCIGAR).

2. FIGUERES SAID THAT AMEER HAD A DIFFUCULT AND INDIVIDUALISTIC
CHARACTER WHICH NO ONE COULD INFLUENCE. EVEN SO IF FIGUERES COULD
BRING ABOUT AMEERS REINTEGRATION IN AMRASP HE WOULD TRY TO DO SO.

3. FIGUERES APPEARED IN FAVOR OF UNIFYING ALL ANTI-CASTRO GROUPS
AND OFFERED TO COOPERATE IN BRINGING IT ABOUT.

4. FIGUERES FELT THAT RELATIONS WITH THE "AMIGOS" SHOULD BE
CONDUCTED ON A HIGH AND DIGNIFIED PL

AND NOT OF SUBORDINATION. HE ADDED THAT AT NO TIME HAD AMEERS
DIGNITY SUFFERED ANY DERIMENT.

END OF MESSAGE

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