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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (105-110055)

DATE: 7/19/62

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (105-55242) (RUC)

SUBJECT: EJERCITO LIBERTADOR DE CUBA
(LIBERATION ARMY OF CUBA) (ELC)
IS-CUBA.

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Re Miami report of SA ROBERT JAMES DWYER, 5/18/62.

CSNY 3248-S, on 7/10/62, CSNY 2822-S, on 7/11/62,
CSNY 2623-S, on 7/10/62, and NY 2865-S, on 7/18/62 advised that
they knew of no activity on the part of the Ejercito Libertador
de Cuba (ELC) in the New York area, nor did they know of the
existence of any group of the ELC in New York.

Dr. ERNESTO ARAGON y GODOY, Secretary to Dr. JOSE
MIRO CARDONA, whose identity should be protected, and who has
furnished reliable information in the past, advised on 7/18/62
that he had heard of the formation of another group in which
Dr. FELIPE PAZOS was involved. ARAGON stated that he had also
heard that ERNESTO BETANCOURT, of Washington, D. C., was active
in organizing this ELC in the Washington, D. C. area. ARAGON
stated that he had no details relative to the activities of
the ELC and knew of no existent group in the New York area of
the ELC.

ARAGON stated that several months ago, he had heard
of the formation of the Liberation Army of Cuba which was alleged
to have existed inside Cuba, and this group was alleged to have
been headed by "NINO" DIAZ, but he could furnish no information
or definite facts concerning the actual existence of such an
army inside Cuba.

The NYO will remain alert for anything indicating
the formation of a group of the ELC in the New York area. If
such a group is organized, the Bureau and appropriate offices
will be so advised.

- 2-Bureau (105-110055) (RM)
- 1-Miami (1055849) (Info) (RM)
- 1-San Juan (Info) (RM)
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