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Re: POSSIBLE ANTI-CASTRO RAID

On December 18, 1962, EDDIE MOR RUIZ,
1925 N. W. 28th Street, telephone number Highland
4-5968, advised that he is a member of the group of six
Cuban refugees who attacked a Cuban patrol boat off
the coast of Cuba on about October 13, 1962.

MOR said that he is the assistant chief of this
group, MANUEL QUIZA DOCAL is in charge of the group, but
at the present time they have no boat, the British auth-
orities seized their weapons, and they presently have no
plan to make another raid against Cuba in the near future.

MOR explained that they had planned another raid,
but no date has been set, because the group lacks the
necessary equipment and transportation.

On December 19, 1962, OSCAR OLIVA CANTU, 500 N. W.
4th Street, FRanklin 3-9753, advised that he previously
belonged to Rescate Democratico Revolucionario, a Cuban
anti-Communist organization, and had previously worked with
ROBERTO PARSON RAMIREZ in revolutionary activities against
the present Government of Cuba.

OLIVA said he does not belong to the group of six
men who made the October 13, 1962, attack, but that he has
contact with these people and tries to help them in obtain-
ing equipment and transportation. OLIVA said he had con-
tacted different persons on behalf of the group, no signi-
ficant aid has been received, the group does not have any
arms or boats, and is not going on the military expedition
for lack of equipment.

On December 19, 1962, CARLOS ZARRAGA MARTINEZ,
2954 S. W. 16th Terrace, Miami, telephone Highland 6-1709,
advised that he was formerly a cattle rancher and sugar mill
operator in Cuba, and is presently interested in helping
persons trying to overthrow the present Government of Cuba.

ZARRAGA said he was recently visited by OSCAR OLIVA,
who asked if ZARRAGA could facilitate a loan of a boat to the
group of six who made the attack on Cuba on October 13, 1962.
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ZARRAGA said although he had no boats or equipment, he contacted LOMBERTO DIAZ RODRIGUEZ to obtain a boat for this group, but DIAZ refused to make a boat available. ZARRAGA said that it is his understanding that the leader of the group, MANUEL QUIZA DOCAL, is presently somewhere in New York City, but ZARRAGA does not know his address.

On December 19, 1962, LOMBERTO/DIAZ RODRIGUEZ, 4390 N. W. 2nd Street, telephone Highland 3-2398, advised that he was formerly a senator and Minister of Interior in Cuba prior to the present Cuban Government. DIAZ advised he owns a twenty-eight foot cabin cruiser type of boat named "Jackson," which is located at a fishing camp at Key Largo, Florida. He also owns a sixty-two foot fishing-type boat, which is very strong, seagoing, and has a Diesel engine; it is completely outfitted with modern radio equipment, and can serve as a broadcasting station. This boat's name is "Cacique." It is located in the Miami River, and has participated in the past in clandestine missions to Cuba by Cuban refugees in Miami. The "Cacique" also participated in the April 17, 1961, invasion of Cuba, and is equipped with tanks capable of carrying 3,000 gallons of gasoline.

DIAZ explained that many Cuban refugees have visited him in an attempt to obtain use of these two boats for clandestine missions to Cuba, but he has always denied use of these boats by independent anti-FIDEL CASTRO organizations in Miami. DIAZ said he has been visited by the group of six representatives who were trying to raise money and borrow boats and other equipment for another raid on Cuba, but he also denied them use of the boats, or any other aid.

DIAZ said he felt certain the group of six would not try to launch another military expedition in the near future because they lack arms, equipment, and the necessary transportation facilities. DIAZ stated although there are many groups who would like to launch a military attack against Cuba, the limiting factor is that there is a limited supply