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SITUATION SUMMARY - PART 1
THIS SITUATION SUMMARY COVERS DEVELOPMENTS IN CUBA AS OF 15 MARCH 1962. THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS COLLATED FROM A NUMBER OF HIGHLY RELIABLE SOURCES.

-GUANTANAMO AREA-

12 UNIQUE, GABLE-ROOFED BUILDINGS MEASURING APPROXIMATELY 55 X 20 FEET, HAVE BEEN OBSERVED IN THE GUANTANAMO AREA. A SMALLER BUILDING, 15 X 20 FEET IS LOCATED 5 TO 10 FEET FROM ONE END OF EACH LONG BUILDING. 8 OF THE LARGE BUILDINGS ARE LOCATED AT 20-00-15N 075-15-20W, 2 AT 20-00-00N 075-15-00W, ONE AT 19-56-45N 075-14-15W, AND ONE AT 19-54-53N 075-14-30W. A BUILDING, NEARLY IDENTICAL TO THESE 12 BUILDINGS, IS LOCATED ON THE NAVAL BASE AT 19-54-50N 075-13-55W. AN ANTITANK DITCH, REPORTED IN PAR-716-61, IS BEING EXTENDED 700 YARDS TO THE SOUTH FROM 20-00-30N 075-15-40W TO 20-00-05N 075-17-40W. NO CONVOYS, TROOP MOVEMENTS, VEHICLE OR TROOP CONCENTRATIONS WERE OBSERVED. NO SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN DEFENSIVE POSITIONS OR ENTRENCHMENTS OBSERVED WITHIN A 20 NM RADIUS OF THE NAVAL BASE.

-AIRFIELDS-

ANTONIO MACEO AIRFIELD 1958N 07550W
AIRCRAFT -- A TOTAL OF 7, INCLUDING 5 LIAISON, ONE POSSIBLE C-47, AND ONE DERELICT.
RUNWAYS SERVICEABLE.
NO CHANGES IN FACILITIES OR DEFENSES SINCE
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CAMAGUEY INTERNATIONAL AIRFIELD 2125N 07751W
AIRCRAFT -- TOTAL OF 4, INCLUDING 2 FAGOT, ONE SEA FURY, AND ONE CRATE.
ALL AIRCRAFT ON HARDSTANDS EXCEPT CRATE, WHICH IS ON RUNWAY.
ENE/WSW RUNWAY SERVICEABLE. NO CHANGES IN COMMUNICATION/ELECTRONICS, OTHER FACILITIES OR DEFENSES
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CAMPO LIBERTAD AIRFIELD 2306N 08226W
AIRCRAFT -- A TOTAL OF 60, INCLUDING

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ONE PBY, ONE SEA FURY, 27 SINGLE-ENGINE
FIGHTER/TRAINER, 2 B-26, 2 C-45, 3 COLT,
4 CESSNA, AND 20 LIAISON.
DEFENSES -- NO CHANGE SINCE [redacted] 25X1D
FACILITIES -- NO CHANGE SINCE [redacted] 25X1D

COLONEL MARTIN MARRERRO AIRFIELD 2150N 08247W
NO REPORT.

CORONEL PASCUAL AIRFIELD 2307N 08117W
AIRCRAFT -- NONE OBSERVED.
DEFENSES -- ZIGZAG TRENCH WITH FIRING BAYS
ALONG SOUTH SIDE OF RUNWAY.
ZIGZAG TRENCH WITH FIRING BAYS AT NE END
OF RUNWAY.

HOLGUIN AIRFIELD 2048N 07618W
AIRCRAFT -- NONE OBSERVED.
RUNWAY (8,800 X 165 FT NE/SW BLACKTOP)
HAS BEEN COMPLETED. TAXIWAY AND PARKING
FACILITIES, INCLUDING 18 REVETTED PARKING
AREAS, STILL UNDER CONSTRUCTION.
NO DEFENSES, HOUSING, ADMINISTRATIVE,
SECURITY, COMMUNICATIONS, ELECTRONICS, OR
WEAPONS STORAGE FACILITIES OBSERVED.

JAIME GONZALES AIRFIELD 2209N 08025W
AIRCRAFT -- NONE OBSERVED.
NO CHANGE IN WNW/ESE RUNWAY SINCE
25X1D [redacted] NNE/SSW RUNWAY IS SERVICEABLE.
NUMEROUS UNOCCUPIED TRENCHES AND AW
POSITIONS AROUND PERIMETER OF FIELD.
NO ELECTRONICS OBSERVED.

JOSE MARTI INTERNATIONAL AIRFIELD 2300N 08224W
AIRCRAFT -- A TOTAL OF 37, INCLUDING
4 BRITANNIA, 3 CONSTELLATION, ONE
VISCOUNT, ONE CESSNA, 8 CRATE, 3 C-54,
3 C-46, ONE C-47, ONE C-45, ONE B-26,
3 LIAISON, 2 FUSELAGES, 6 DERELICTS.
DEFENSES -- 2 ZIGZAG TRENCHES ON SOUTH
SIDE OF RUNWAY, ONE 3-GUN POSITION ON
NORTH SIDE OF RUNWAY NEAR SW END.
NO CHANGE IN FACILITIES OR ELECTRONICS SINCE
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LOS CANOS AIRFIELD 2004N 07509W
AIRCRAFT -- NONE OBSERVED.
RUNWAY SERVICEABLE.

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DEFENSES -- NO CHANGE SINCE [redacted] 25X1D

MANAGUA AIRFIELD 2258N 08217W
AIRCRAFT -- NONE OBSERVED.
DEFENSES -- SEE MANAGUA MILITARY CAMP.
SECURITY -- AIRFIELD FENCED, ACCESS ROADS BARRICADED.
NO COMMUNICATIONS/ELECTRONICS, WEAPONS STORAGE, OR LOGISTIC/MATERIEL OBSERVED.
RUNWAY CONSTRUCTION AND SURFACING CONTINUING.

MARIEL NAVAL AIR STATION 2300N 08246W
AIRCRAFT -- NONE.
DEFENSES -- NO CHANGE SINCE [redacted] 25X1D
FACILITIES -- PIER UNDER CONSTRUCTION OFF NORTH-CENTRAL PORTION OF RUNWAY.

PLAYA BARACOA AIRFIELD 2302N 08235W
AIRCRAFT -- A TOTAL OF 15, INCLUDING 2 CRATE, ONE C-47, 6 HOUND, 3 HARE, 2 HELICOPTER FUSELAGES, ONE UNIDENTIFIED DERELICT.
DEFENSES -- NO CHANGE SINCE [redacted] 25X1D
FACILITIES -- HANGAR STILL UNDER CONSTRUCTION.
TROOP CONCENTRATIONS -- NONE.

SAN ANTONIO DE LOS BANOS AIRFIELD 2252N 08231W
AIRCRAFT -- A TOTAL OF 48, INCLUDING 3 FARMER, 20 FAGOT/FRESCO, ONE PROBABLE FAGOT/FRESCO, 5 SINGLE ENGINE FIGHTER/TRAINER, 4 T-33, 3 PROBABLE SINGLE ENGINE FIGHTER/TRAINER, 11 B-26, AND ONE LIAISON.
DEFENSES -- NO CHANGE OBSERVED SINCE
25X1D [redacted]
FACILITIES -- NO CHANGE OBSERVED SINCE
25X1D [redacted]
SECURITY -- NONE OBSERVED.
COMMUNICATIONS/ELECTRONICS -- NO CHANGE SINCE
25X1D [redacted]
[redacted]
TROOP CONCENTRATIONS -- NONE OBSERVED.

SAN JULIAN AIRFIELD 2206N 08409W
AIRCRAFT -- ONE DERELICT SEA FURY.
25X1D NO CHANGE SINCE [redacted] A PROBABLE ANTITANK DITCH EXTENDS THROUGH THE SUPPORT AREA.

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SANTA CLARA INTERNATIONAL AIRFIELD 2229N 07955W
AIRCRAFT -- 5 FAGOT/FRESCO, AND ONE CESSNA.
DEFENSES -- ONE 3-GUN AAA POSITION WITH 2 EMPLACEMENTS OCCUPIED, ON NORTH SIDE OF RUNWAY NEAR WEST END. SEVERAL AW POSITIONS AROUND EXPLOSIVES STORAGE AREA.
FACILITIES -- 94 TENTS ON HARDSTANDS, 2 OF THE HARDSTANDS ON WEST END HAVE BEEN EARTH COVERED, 9 OTHERS ARE IN LATE STAGES OF CONSTRUCTION.
ELECTRONICS -- TOKEN RADAR 4,500 FT NORTH OF RUNWAY, GCA ON SOUTH SIDE OF RUNWAY NEAR WEST END, ILS MARKER 2 NM FROM WEST END OF RUNWAY.

SIGUANEA AIRFIELD 2138N 08257W
NO REPORT.

SOPLILLAR AIRFIELD 2218N 08109W
NO REPORT.

-MILITARY ACTIVITY-

CAMAGUEY, MILITARY INSTALLATIONS 2123N 07755W
THE ONLY MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED WITHIN CAMAGUEY AREA IS LOCATED AT 21-20-45N 077-51-45W. ONE T-SHAPED BUILDING, 6 GABLE-ROOFED BUILDINGS, 4 DUG-OUT REVETMENTS, AND 5 AW POSITIONS IN SMALL WOODED AREA. INCOMPLETE INFORMATION.

CAMPO COLUMBIA MILITARY INSTALLATION 2305N 08226W
VEHICLES/EQUIPMENT -- 60 BUSES IN VEHICLE PARK ON SOUTH CENTRAL SIDE OF INSTALLATION, 5 OTHER BUSES SCATTERED THROUGHOUT AREA, 16 TRUCKS SCATTERED THROUGHOUT AREA, APPROXIMATELY 35 VEHICLES IN FRONT OF ADMINISTRATIVE BUILDING.

CEIBA MOCHA AREA, MILITARY ACTIVITY 2259N 08144W
THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITY NOTED IN THE AREA SURROUNDING CEIBA MOCHA -- OLD AGRICULTURAL STORAGE AREA CONTAINING 17 LARGE STORAGE-TYPE BUILDINGS AND APPROXIMATELY 15 MISCELLANEOUS BUILDINGS. ENTRENCHMENTS SURROUND THE STORAGE AREA. APPROXIMATELY 35 TRUCKS IN THE AREA. ONE POSSIBLE GUN EMPLACEMENT ON WEST SIDE OF CEIBA MOCHA AT 22-57N 081-43W.

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EL CRISTO, MILITARY INSTALLATION 2007N 07546W
NO REPORT.

HOLGUIN AREA, MILITARY MOTOR POOL 2052N 07616W
VEHICLES/EQUIPMENT -- 75-100 TRUCKS, JEEPS, AND PIECES OF FIELD ARTILLERY OBSERVED (INCOMPLETE INFORMATION).

MANAGUA MILITARY INSTALLATION 2258N 08217W
25X1D NO MAJOR CHANGES SINCE [redacted]
CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY CONTINUES.
2 EMPLACEMENTS OF 6-GUN DP POSITION NW OF BARRACKS ARE OCCUPIED, CONSTRUCTION IN THIS AREA CONTINUES. ONE U-SHAPED BUILDING UNDER CONSTRUCTION IN EXCAVATION 1.2 NM ESE OF CADET SCHOOL. 6-GUN UNOCCUPIED FA POSITION 2 NM SSW OF BARRACKS STILL UNDER CONSTRUCTION. OTHER DEFENSES REMAIN UNCHANGED.
VEHICLES -- 9 TRACTOR-TRAILER TRUCKS, ONE TRAILER AND 4 TRACTORS PARKED IN FRONT OF VEHICLE MAINTENANCE AREA. 40 CARGO-TYPE TRUCKS IN BARRACKS VEHICLE PARK, AND 35 CARGO-TYPE TRUCKS SCATTERED THROUGHOUT INSTALLATION.

MATANZAS AREA, MILITARY ACTIVITY 2303N 08135W
14 AW POSITIONS AND ZIGZAG TRENCH AT ROAD INTERSECTION 2 NM NORTH OF MATANZAS. 5 AW TRENCHES LINE ROAD SE OF THE INTERSECTION. TRENCH SYSTEM 1,200 FT LONG 2 NM NE OF MATANZAS ON NE EDGE OF SAN ANTONIO. APPROXIMATELY 10 WEAPONS POSITIONS AROUND MICROWAVE TOWER ONE NM NORTH OF MATANZAS. ONE 6-GUN PROBABLE FA POSITION (POSSIBLY OCCUPIED) 300 FT NE OF MICROWAVE TOWER. TRENCH SYSTEM 400 FT LONG 2,500 FT SW OF MICROWAVE TOWER. AREA PROBABLY IS USED FOR TRAINING. NO CONCENTRATION OF VEHICLES.

MAYARI ARRIBA MILITARY INSTALLATION 2027N 07531W
NO MISSILE ACTIVITY OBSERVED. APPROXIMATELY 45 VEHICLES OBSERVED IN BARRACKS AREA. NEW CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY IN NORTHERN PART OF AREA CONSISTS OF A GRADED EARTH STRIP OVER 1,000 FT IN LENGTH AND APPROXIMATELY 75 FT WIDE ORIENTED NNE/SSW, AND CONNECTED BY ROAD TO BARRACKS AREA. NO TROOP CONCENTRATION.

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PALMA SORIANO, MILITARY INSTALLATION 2013N 07600W
NO REPORT.

SAN JOSE DE LAS LAJAS, MILITARY INSTALLATION 2256N 08211W
2.6 NM SW OF SAN JOSE DE LAS LAJAS.
2 PARALLEL U-SHAPED, GABLE-ROOFED, SINGLE-STORY BUILDINGS FLANKING ONE SINGLE-STORY, GABLE-ROOFED BUILDING. ONE LARGE, SINGLE-STORY, GABLE-ROOFED BUILDING ORIENTED PERPENDICULAR TO ABOVE DESCRIBED BUILDINGS. ONE U-SHAPED, SINGLE-STORY, GABLE-ROOFED BUILDING UNDER CONSTRUCTION JUST SOUTH OF THE MAIN GROUP OF BUILDINGS. 5 SMALLER ASSOCIATED BUILDINGS IN THE AREA. NUMEROUS TROOPS OBSERVED MOVING ABOUT IN THE AREA.
DEFENSES -- ONE-GUN UNOCCUPIED AA POSITION ON HILL 2,400 FT SOUTH OF ROUTE 2-34, 3.3 NM SSW OF SAN JOSE DE LAS LAJAS. ONE 3-GUN UNOCCUPIED POSITION ON HILL 1,800 FT NW OF BUILDING AREA. ONE-GUN UNOCCUPIED POSITION .5 NM ESE OF 3-GUN POSITION. 4 PROBABLE AW POSITIONS (ONE OCCUPIED) .4 NM EAST OF 3-GUN POSITION. ONE 2-GUN UNOCCUPIED AA POSITION .6 NM SE OF 3-GUN POSITION. PERSONNEL TRENCHES SURROUND BUILDING AREA. 3 AW POSITIONS ON HILLS .1 NM SOUTH OF ROUTE 2-134, 1.6 NM SW OF SAN JOSE DE LAS LAJAS, WITH NUMEROUS SMALL PERSONNEL TRENCHES SCATTERED AROUND THESE POSITIONS.
VEHICLES/EQUIPMENT -- APPROXIMATELY 10 VEHICLES SCATTERED THROUGHOUT AREA.

SANTA CLARA MILITARY INSTALLATION 2222N 07957W
ONE NM SE OF SANTA CLARA.
ONE H-SHAPED, ONE 3-SECTION, AND 5 SUPPORT BUILDINGS. AREA HAS BEEN FENCED.
VEHICLES -- APPROXIMATELY 5 IN AREA.
NO TROOP CONCENTRATION OBSERVED.
5 NM SSE OF SANTA CLARA, AT TANK TRAINING AREA (22-20N 079-56W), ARE 6 TANKS, SEVERAL TRUCKS AND NUMEROUS EXCAVATIONS.

-MISSILES-

CUEVAS DEL PEPU, REPORTED MISSILE ACTIVITY 2022N 07622W
NO MISSILE ACTIVITY OBSERVED.

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LAS PALMAS, REPORTED MISSILE ACTIVITY 2257N 08028W
NO REPORT.

LOS INDIOS, REPORTED MISSILE ACTIVITY 2031N 07606W
NO REPORT.

MANGOS DE BARAGUA, REPORTED MISSILE ACTIVITY 2027N 07558W
NO MISSILE OR OTHER UNUSUAL ACTIVITY OBSERVED.

MINAS DEL FRIO, REPORTED MISSILE ACTIVITY 2000N 07659W
NO REPORT.

-PORTS & HARBORS-

CARDENAS, PORT FACILITIES 2302N 08112W
4 FREIGHTERS, NUMEROUS SMALL YACHTS
SCATTERED THROUGHOUT PORT.
NO DEFENSES OR SECURITY OBSERVED.
NO LOGISTICS/MATERIEL OR COMMUNICATIONS/
ELECTRONICS OBSERVED.
NO TROOP CONCENTRATIONS OBSERVED.

CIENFUEGOS, PORT FACILITIES 2209N 08027W
VESSELS OBSERVED AS FOLLOWS -- RAILROAD
PIER -- ONE CARGO VESSEL, 4 BARGES, 2 LIGHTER.
SMALL PIER AREA WEST OF RAIL YARD -- 22 SMALL
CRAFT BERTHED AND 3 SMALL CRAFT ANCHORED.
SMALL PIER AREA SOUTH OF CAYO LOCO -- 12 SMALL
CRAFT BERTHED, ONE SMALL COASTAL FREIGHTER
BERTHED, 2 SMALL CRAFT ANCHORED. NAVY PIER --
6 MOTOR LAUNCHES, ONE PROBABLE PATROL BOAT.
SMALL PIER AREA EAST OF CAYO LOCO -- 2 COASTAL
FREIGHTERS BERTHED, ONE MOTOR LAUNCH ANCHORED,
3 SMALL CRAFT ANCHORED, 13 SMALL CRAFT
BERTHED. SMALL PIER AREA SOUTH OF PUNTA
ARENAS -- 7 SMALL CRAFT BERTHED AND 3 SMALL
CRAFT ANCHORED. SMALL PIER AREA SOUTH OF
NATICORP PIPELINE PIER -- ONE SMALL CRAFT
BERTHED AND 2 SMALL CRAFT ANCHORED. SMALL PIER
AREA SOUTH OF NAVARRO PIER -- ONE BARGE
ANCHORED, APPROXIMATELY 9 SMALL CRAFT BERTHED.
NAVARRO PIER -- ONE SMALL COASTAL FREIGHTER
AND 2 COASTAL BOATS BERTHED. SAND STORAGE
PIER -- 5 BARGES BERTHED. SMALL PIER AREA
WEST OF CUBA DISTILLING COMPANY PIER -- 8
SMALL CRAFT BERTHED AND ONE SMALL CRAFT
ANCHORED. CUBA DISTILLING COMPANY PIER -- 2
COASTAL FREIGHTERS BERTHED, 6 SMALL CRAFT

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BERTHED AND ONE SMALL CRAFT ANCHORED. SMALL PIER AREA SOUTH OF NAVARRO PIER -- ONE COASTAL FREIGHTER IN DRY DOCK. SMALL PIER AREA WEST OF DONESTEVEZ WHARF -- 9 SMALL CRAFT BERTHED AND ONE CARGO VESSEL BERTHED. TORRIENTE PIER -- 2 MOTOR LAUNCHES AND ONE SMALL CRAFT AND ONE CARGO VESSEL BERTHED. AVILES PIER -- 7 SMALL CRAFT BERTHED. STATE PIER WEST -- ONE COASTAL FREIGHTER BERTHED, 3 MOTOR LAUNCHES BERTHED. SARRIA PIER -- ONE MOTOR LAUNCH ANCHORED, 4 SMALL CRAFT BERTHED. SMALL PIER AREA EAST OF SARRIA PIER -- 46 SMALL CRAFT BERTHED, ONE MOTOR LAUNCH ANCHORED. PUNTA REVIENTA CORDELES TO THE PUNTA YERBA AREA -- 10 MOTOR LAUNCHES AND 51 SMALL CRAFT BERTHED, 3 MOTOR LAUNCHES AND 47 SMALL CRAFT ANCHORED, 4 MOTOR LAUNCHES DRY DOCKED.
FACILITIES -- NO APPARENT CHANGES [redacted] 25X1D

25X1D [redacted]

LOGISTICS/MATERIEL OBSERVED AS FOLLOWS -- RAILROAD PIER -- 10 BOXCARS. RAILROAD YARD SOUTH OF RAILROAD PIER -- ONE BOXCAR, 58 TANK CARS. PORT MARSHALLING YARD -- 76 BOXCARS, 19 OPEN (LOADED) CARS, 16 OPEN (EMPTY) CARS, 19 TANK CARS, 2 PASSENGER CARS, 1 DIESEL LOCOMOTIVE. NATICORP POL STORAGE AREA -- 32 STORAGE TANKS. ESSO POL STORAGE AREA -- APPROXIMATELY 12 STORAGE TANKS. SAND STORAGE PIER -- 2 OPEN (LOADED) CARS. CUBA DISTILLING COMPANY PIER -- 3 VERTICAL STORAGE TANKS AND 5 HORIZONTAL STORAGE TANKS. DONESTEVEZ WHARF -- SEVERAL HUNDRED BARRELS IN OPEN STORAGE, 3 OPEN (EMPTY) CARS AND 7 OPEN (LOADED) CARS.
TORRIENTE PIER -- 23 BOXCARS, ONE DIESEL LOCOMOTIVE. AVILES PIER -- ONE BOXCAR, CONSIDERABLE AMOUNT OF BOXES IN OPEN STORAGE.
VEHICLES -- NO LARGE NUMBER APPARENT IN AREA.

HAVANA, PORT FACILITIES 2308N 08221W
SUBMARINES -- NONE OBSERVED.
SURFACE COMBATANTS -- ONE PC AT PAULA PIER NO 1. ONE PT UNDERWAY OFF GAMIZ BOATYARD. ONE PF AND ONE SMALL PC AT PAILERIA PIER. 2 PT 3 PC, AND ONE POSSIBLE TRAINING SHIP AT ARSENAL PIER.
AUXILIARY/MERCHANT -- ONE FREIGHTER AT SAN FRANSISCO PIER. ONE FREIGHTER AT MACHINA PIER. 2 FREIGHTERS AT REGLA PIER 34. ONE FREIGHTER

AT HAVANA CENTRAL PIER. ONE FREIGHTER AT UNITED FRUIT COMPANY WHARF. ONE FREIGHTER AT UNITED FRUIT COMPANY PIER. ONE FREIGHTER AT WARD LINE NORTH WHARF. ONE FREIGHTER AT WARD LINE SOUTH WHARF. ONE SMALL COASTAL VESSEL AT A NEW WHARF, WEST SIDE OF CAYO CRUZ PENINSULA. 2 SMALL COASTAL VESSELS AT ANCHOR EAST OF NAVAL AMMUNITION STORAGE IN THE ENSENADA DE GUASABACOA. ONE FREIGHTER AT SINCLAIR WHARF. ONE FREIGHTER AT EDIFICIO QUAY NO 1. 4 FREIGHTERS AND ONE COASTAL VESSEL ANCHORED IN CENTER OF HARBOR. 4 BARGES AT P & O PIER. ONE BARGE AT WARD LINE PIER. 2 BARGES IN MIDDLE OF HARBOR. 2 FREIGHTERS AT HAVANA COAL WHARF NO 2. ONE SMALL CARGO VESSEL AND ONE SMALL CRAFT AT GAMIZ BOATYARD. ONE FREIGHTER AND 5 SMALL CRAFT AT PALMER PIER. 5 SMALL CRAFT AT CUBAN NAVAL SHIPYARD. ONE CARGO VESSEL OFF PALMER PIER. ONE COASTAL CARGO VESSEL AND 3 SMALL CRAFT IN SHIPYARD. 3 BARGES, 4 SMALL CRAFT, AND 7 FREIGHTERS ADJACENT TO PALMER SHIPYARD. NUMEROUS SMALL CRAFT THROUGHOUT HARBOR.
AMPHIBIOUS -- NONE OBSERVED.
LOGISTICS/MATERIEL -- COAL AT COAL WHARF.

MANZANILLO, PORT FACILITIES 2021N 07707W
NO CHANGES IN FACILITIES SINCE [redacted] 25X1D
VESSELS -- 2 LARGE CARGO VESSELS ANCHORED OFFSHORE 2 NM FROM PORT, EACH WITH 2 PROBABLE BARGES ALONGSIDE. 2 BARGES AT CENTER PIER.

MARIEL NAVAL PORT 2301N 08245W
SUBMARINES -- NONE.
SURFACE COMBATANT -- 4 KRONSHTADT-CLASS PATROL
25X1D CRAFT [redacted] MOORED ON SOUTH SIDE OF
25X1D NAVAL AIR STATION. 4 [redacted] PT BOATS
MOORED ALONGSIDE UNIDENTIFIED SHIP
25X1D (APPROXIMATELY [redacted] ON NORTH SIDE OF
NAVAL AIR STATION.
AUXILIARY/MERCHANT -- 4 BARGES, 3 UNIDENTIFIED SMALL CRAFT, 2 FREIGHTERS AT MARIEL MOLE. 2 BARGES AT NORTH PIER, NUMEROUS SMALL CRAFT THROUGHOUT PORT.
AMPHIBIOUS -- NONE.
LOGISTICS/MATERIEL -- SHIPPING CRATES AT MARIEL MOLE.

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MATANZAS, PORT FACILITIES 2303N 08134W
5 FREIGHTERS, ONE SMALL PATROL CRAFT.
NO NOTICEABLE CHANGE IN FACILITIES SINCE
25X1D [redacted] RAIL CARS ON RAIL-SERVED WHARF.
ACTIVITY ON BOTH WHARVES.

NUEVITAS, PORT FACILITIES 2132N 07716W
VESSELS -- A TOTAL OF 14.
ONE SMALL CARGO VESSEL AT PIER 1,
2 CARGO VESSELS DOCKED AT PIER 4 AND
ONE TANKER ANCHORED OFF PIER 4 IN PASTELILLO
PORT. 2 CARGO VESSELS DOCKED AT PIER B,
ONE DOCKED AT PIER C, AND ONE DOCKED AT
PIER D IN PUERTO TARAFA. 6 CARGO VESSELS
ANCHORED JUST EAST OF 2 ISLANDS (BALLENATO
GRANDE AND BALLENATO DEL MEDIO) IN BAY.
APPROXIMATELY 250 RAIL CARS IN DOCK AREA.
NO CHANGE IN PORT FACILITIES SINCE [redacted] 25X1D
NO MILITARY EQUIPMENT, FACILITIES, OR DEFENSES
NOTED.

SHIPPING ACTIVITY
NORTH OF THE EASTERN TIP OF CUBA.
ONE FREIGHTER APPROXIMATELY 450-500 FT IN
LENGTH OBSERVED HEADING TOWARD CUBA WITH 4
CANVAS-COVERED MTBS (APPROXIMATELY 45 FT
LONG) ON DECK.

-MISCELLANEOUS-

25X1B [redacted]

CUMANAYAGUA AREA, HANABANILLA POWER PLANT 2206N 08004W
DAM COMPLETED, WATER ACCUMULATION HAS
STARTED IN RESERVOIR. HYDROELECTRIC POWER
PLANT APPEARS TO BE IN LATE STAGE OF
CONSTRUCTION. NEW DAM UNDER CONSTRUCTION 5.5
NM SE OF THIS DAM. WATER ACCUMULATION HAS
STARTED IN THE NEW RESERVOIR. THE TWO
RESERVOIRS ARE CONNECTED BY THE CANAL DE
DERIVACION, WHICH IS BECOMING INUNDATED.
NEW DAM IS LOCATED AT 22-01N 080-00W. SOME
ROADS IN THE AREA OF THE NEW DAM HAVE BEEN
REALIGNED DUE TO INUNDATION. HOUSING AREA
LOCATED ONE NM SE OF NEW DAM.
VEHICLES/EQUIPMENT -- NONE (INCOMPLETE

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INFORMATION).

LAS MERCEDES 2029N 07633W
NO MILITARY INSTALLATIONS OR ACTIVITY
OBSERVED.

MOA, NICKEL PLANT 2040N 07456W
PROCESSING FACILITIES INCLUDE 2 COVERED
DORR THICKENERS, 8 OPEN DORR THICKENERS,
2 TAILING DEWATERERS OR THICKENERS,
9 COOLING TOWERS, ONE LARGE RESERVOIR,
9 VERTICAL AND 2 OPEN STORAGE TANKS,
AND OTHER ASSOCIATED FACILITIES.
NO APPARENT CHANGE TO SUPPORT AREA
SINCE [redacted] PLANT APPEARS ACTIVE.
THE MINE IS LOCATED 1.5 NM SW OF THE PLANT.

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NICARO NICKEL PLANT 2042N 07533W
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