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CART CARAVEL DYVOUR

REF: EGFW 10989

1. CARAVEL WROTE LETTER TO INTERPOL OFFICE OF POLICIA NACIONAL REVOLUCIONARIA 26 AUGUST CONTAINING VAGUE SUGGESTION ALONG LINES PARA 3 REF WITHOUT DIRECTLY REFERRING TO CUBAN INVITATION TO VISIT QJBA BUT NOTING HIS PRESENCE PBPRIME THIS FALL. ON 1 SEPTEMBER DURING CARAVELS ABSENCE FROM OFFICE A SECRETARY OF CUBAN EMBASSY BONN PHONED AND TOLD A CARAVEL SUBORDINATE HIS GOVT MOST HOPEFUL CARAVEL COULD FIND CHANCE VISIT CUBA AND THAT VISIT PARTICULARLY DESIRED BY (MAJOR) RAUL DIAZ-ARGUELLES (SEE EGFA 29124).

Chief, Dept. of Technical Investigations (DTI), Cuban Revolt Police - more Caravel invitation

2. CARAVEL BELIEVES THIS INVITATION NOT TRIGGERED BY HIS LETTER AS TIME INTERVAL WOULD SEEM TOO SHORT. ALTHOUGH CALL MAY BE INDEPENDENT RENEWED INVITATION, IT MORE STRIKING IF IT IS IN FACT CUBAN REACTION TO CARAVEL LETTER.

3. CARAVEL HAS POSTPONED RETURNING CUBAN CALL TO AVOID SUGGESTING UNSEEMLY EAGERNESS. HE PLANS INFORM FORNOFF BY 12 SEPTEMBER AT

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LATEST AND REQUEST INSTRUCTIONS AND FUNDS FOR ADDITIONAL SIDE TRIP.

INTENDS STRONGLY RECOMMEND FORNOFF APPROVAL ON GROUNDS REFUSAL

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ACCEPT INVITATION MAY CAUSE CUBANS AS TURN TO EAST GERMANS. CARAVEL

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CONVINCED FORNOFF WILL CONSULT ODYKE WASH OR BONN BEFORE APPROVING

Marked None required

AND EXPRESSED HOPE WE WELL COORDINATED TO ENCOURAGE FORNOFF.

4. REQUEST DIR CABLE PRIORITY CONCURRENCE FOR BONN TO ALERT APPROPRIATE ODACID OFFICIALS IN BONN OF POSSIBLE FORNOFF APPROACH THIS MATTER AND REQUEST THEY ENCOURAGE AS MUCH AS CURRENT ODYKE POLICY ON CUBA WILL PERMIT.

5. CARAVEL WILLING POSTPONE CANADA VISIT AND GO CUBA WEEK 18 TO 22 OCTOBER. HE STATES HE UNCOMMITTED AND THUS FREE FOR KUBARK BRIEFING 9 AND 16 OCTOBER. DESIRES PSYCH BRIEFING TO ENABLE HIM AVOID PITFALLS ON MATTERS OF CUBAN SENSITIVITY DURING DISCUSSIONS AS WELL AS FACTUAL BRIEFING. THO RESTUDYING ENGLISH LAST FEW MONTHS IT STILL INADEQUATE FOR BRIEFING WHICH MUST BE IN GERMAN OR FRENCH.

6. CARAVEL HAS REQUESTED RESERVATIONS WASH 9 THRU 16 OCTOBER AT AMBASSADOR HOTEL, LAFAYETTE HOTEL AND PICK-LEE HOUSE (15TH AND L) IN THAT ORDER PREFERENCE. SINCE HE MAY BE PLACED ELSEWHERE AFTER ARRIVAL CABLE PRITY PHONE NUMBER FOR CARAVEL TO CALL ON ARRIVAL. ALSO ADVISE PREFERENCES RE DATES OF CUBA VISIT AND BRIEFING DATES, AND RATE AND DURATION PER DIEM CARAVEL TO GET FROM KUBARK. LAST MEET BEFORE DEPARTURE SCHEDULED 15 SEPTEMBER.

END OF MESSAGE

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