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DIR : WH DIV.  
CITE : 203  
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CLASSIFIED MESSAGE

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ROUTING  
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TO : SENIOR REPRESENTATIVE, LINCOLN  
FROM : DIR, CIA  
CONF : WH (PBS) (1-3)  
INFO : DC: (L), D/DC: (5), DC/P (L) (6), WH (7), SA/PC/DC: (9)  
*78 Wisner*

CIA HISTORICAL REVIEW PROGRAM  
RELEASE AS SANITIZED  
1996

DIR 02368 (OUT 98325) 2205Z 26 MAY 54

PRIORITY  
PRECEDENCE  
CITE: DIR

TO: SLIC  
RYBAT/PBSUCCESS

1. IDENT A ADVISED CHIEF KUDOVE NIGHT 25 MAY THAT IDENT B FROM  
HAD HEARD FROM IDENT C UP FROM WSHOOFS THAT IT COMMON KNOWLEDGE THAT  
ODYOKE SENDING LOADS OF ARMS TO TONCONTIN AND HAS BEEN DOING IT FOR SOME  
TIME. IDENT C STATED PLANES LAND, TAXI TO END RUNWAY, QUICKLY UNLOAD AND  
THEN TAKE OFF AGAIN.

2. IDENT A ADVISED IDENT B ABOVE INFO DID NOT FIT ANYTHING HE KNEW  
ABOUT AND ASKED HOW IDENT C HAD CONCLUDED THAT  
A. THE DELIVERIES WERE ARMS: AND  
B. ODYOKE WAS SENDING THEM.

3. IDENT B STATED DID NOT KNOW EXACTLY HOW IDENT C KNEW SHIPMENTS WERE  
ARMS BUT THAT IDENT C STATED PLANES CONSPICUOUSLY ODYOKE AIRCRAFT SINCE  
VERY BAD OVERPAINTING JOB ON INSIGNIA HAD BEEN DONE AND IT POSSIBLE FOR  
ANYONE READ INSIGNIA THROUGH OVERPAINTING.

4. FOREGOING INFO <sup>WAS</sup> PASSED PLAYDON IMMEDIATELY UPON RECEIPT BY HQS  
BECAUSE OF ITS BEARING ON EXECUTION 26 MAY OVIREFLIGHT WSBURNT.

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FRANK G. WISNER  
DEPUTY DIRECTOR (PLANS)  
RELEASING OFFICER

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