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COUNTRY HAITI . CUBA

DATE OF INFO. 22 OCTOBER 1964

DISTR. 24 OCTOBER 1964

SUBJECT

PREPARATIONS FOR AN INVASION OF HAITI

PLACE & DATE ACQ.

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SOURCE AND APPRAISAL:

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1. ON 22 OCTOBER 1964, [REDACTED] HEAD OF THE HAITIAN EXILE ENCAMPMENT [REDACTED] WAS EXPECTED TO DEPART FROM KENNEDY AIRPORT IN NEW YORK CITY FOR MIAMI AND WOULD BE CARRYING CERTAIN DOCUMENTS CONCERNING THE PURCHASE OF A VESSEL IN MIAMI, WHICH IS TO BE USED IN AN ATTACK AGAINST HAITI.

2. AT 1:25 A.M. ON 22 OCTOBER AT KENNEDY AIRPORT [REDACTED]

MET [REDACTED]

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3. DURING AN INFORMAL MEETING IN AN AIRPORT COFFEE SHOP, THEY TALKED ABOUT THE INVASION OF HAITI AND EXPLAINED THAT THE PLAN WOULD BE TO SEIZE POWER BY USING THE MEN ALREADY INFILTRATED BY ROLANDO MASFERRER ROJAS. DURING THE FIGHTING, TWO OR THREE AIR RAIDS WOULD TAKE PLACE WITH THE PLANES WHICH WERE ALREADY IN THE UNITED STATES.

COMMENT: [REDACTED] FOUR AIRCRAFT WERE IN NEW JERSEY ON 16 OCTOBER WHICH WERE AVAILABLE FOR USE IN THE HAITIAN INVASION.) THE MEN SAID THAT SUCH AIR RAIDS "ALREADY HAVE BEEN AUTHORIZED." THE CUBANS, TOGETHER WITH THE HAITIAN EXILES, WERE TO TAKE CHARGE OF THE SITUATION. LATER THEY WOULD ATTACK CUBA AND THEN THE UNITED STATES WOULD BE FORCED TO INTERVENE IN THE CASE.

4. [REDACTED]

5. COMMENT: [REDACTED] THE NEW YORK NEWSPAPER "TIEMPO" PREPARED A SPECIAL OR EXTRAORDINARY ISSUE, DATED 24 OCTOBER 1964, WHICH IS TO BE PUT ON THE MARKET ON 23 OCTOBER 1964. THE PAPER ANNOUNCES THE INVASION OF HAITI BY A GROUP OF CUBANS. THE ARTICLE IS SIGNED BY [REDACTED] [REDACTED] "TIEMPO" HAS PHOTOGRAPHS REGARDING THE INVASION WHICH WILL APPEAR IN THE NEXT ISSUE.)

6. [REDACTED] DISSEM; CINCLANT, CINCSO, COMKWESTFOR [REDACTED] STATE, FBI, CUSTOMS, BORDER PATROL, INS, AND USCG. [REDACTED]

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