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NOTE FOR: Director of Central Intelligence
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SUBJECT : Soviet/Cuban Propaganda

1. Attached is the paper you inquired about on Soviet propaganda and political support for Third World insurgencies, as prepared [redacted] It's heavy reading, but the executive summary will give you the flavor of the larger paper.

2. I've also included a few of our own recent papers that deal in one way or another with the Soviet propaganda effort. Communist Active Measures in Latin America is included in draft but should be ready for formal dissem shortly. Also included is a briefing paper on active measures that SOVA prepared for the NSC. [redacted]

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3. Among the papers in the planning or early drafting stages is the one you mentioned on the Soviet propaganda apparatus. The DO contractor participating in the project has withdrawn, so we're now regrouping on that one with a new analyst assigned to it. Other papers we expect to produce include:

- Soviet Penetration of Third World Media.
- Communist Active Measures in India.
- Communist Active Measures in East Asia.

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