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COUNTRY HAITI

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SUBJECT

INSTRUCTIONS FROM PRESIDENT FRANCOIS
DUVALIER OF HAITI TO HAITIAN DIPLOMATS
IN THE UNITED STATES

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1. [redacted] FEBRUARY 1966 [redacted]

IN MIAMI, FLORIDA, SAID THAT PRESIDENT FRANCOIS DUVALIER
HAD INSTRUCTED THE HAITIAN DELEGATION TO THE UNITED NATIONS TO
BRIEF SELECTED REPRESENTATIVES OF COUNTRIES FRIENDLY TO HAITI
CONCERNING THE POSSIBILITY THAT AN ATTACK AGAINST HAITI MIGHT
BE LAUNCHED FROM THE UNITED STATES. [redacted]

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2. [redacted] SAID THAT ALTHOUGH REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT (USG) HAD TOLD DUVALIER THAT THE LAUNCHING
OF AN ATTACK AGAINST HAITI FROM THE UNITED STATES WOULD NOT BE

NOT RECORDED
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PERMITTED, DUVALIER DOES NOT TRUST THE USG TO KEEP ITS PROMISE.

ADDED THAT THE BRIEFINGS WERE BEING GIVEN IN CASE DUVALIER NEEDED SUPPORT FROM THE UNITED NATIONS.

3. ALSO SAID THAT DUVALIER HAD INSTRUCTED THE HAITIAN AMBASSADOR IN WASHINGTON TO CALL A PRESS CONFERENCE AND DENOUNCE THE TRI-CONTINENTAL CONFERENCE HELD IN HAVANA IN JANUARY. ADDED THAT DUVALIER HAD AUTHORIZED TO PURCHASE TELEVISION TIME IN MIAMI IN ORDER TO EXPLAIN IN ENGLISH THAT HAITI IS AN ANTI-COMMUNIST COUNTRY.

4. COMMENT:

REPORTED THAT ON FEBRUARY

HAD DISCUSSED WITH

AND

PLANS TO ORGANIZE A

PROPAGANDA CAMPAIGN THROUGH THE CUBAN EMIGRE PRESS IN MIAMI DESIGNED TO COUNTERACT THE ACTIVITIES OF ROLANDO MASFERRER ROJAS, FORMER CUBAN SENATOR WHO HAS BEEN PLANNING ACTION AGAINST DUVALIER.

AGREED TO PREPARE AN ESTIMATE OF THE COST OF SUCH A CAMPAIGN. ASSERTED THAT HAITI IS AN ALLY OF THE FREE CUBANS AND THAT THIS SHOULD BE MADE CLEAR TO THE CUBAN EMIGRES.)

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