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MEMORANDUM FOR GENERAL SCORFROT

FROM: THE SITUATION ROOM
SUBJECT: INFORMATION ITEMS

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CUBANS IN ANGOLA: A CUBAN OFFICER CAPTURED BY THE UNITA
HAS PROVIDED ADDITIONAL DETAILS ON HIS COUNTRY'S SUPPORT
OF THE MPLA. THE OFFICER SAID THE CUBANS HAD SET UP AND
OPERATED TWO CAMPS IN BENGUELA -- NO LONGER IN THE HANDS
OF THE POPULAR MOVEMENT -- WHERE ANGOLANS WERE GIVEN A
20-DAY COURSE IN BASIC INFANTRY TRAINING. HE CLAIMED
HE HAD NOT SEEN ANY SOVIETS IN ANGOLA.

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CAMBODIA PREPARES AIRCRAFT FOR FLIGHT ACTIVITY: CAMBODIA
IS IN THE PROCESS OF PREPARING AIRCRAFT FOR FLIGHT ACTIVITY,
ACCORDING TO COMMUNICATIONS INTELLIGENCE. REPORTS DURING
THE PERIOD NOVEMBER 28 TO DECEMBER 1 DISCLOSED THAT CHINESE
TECHNICIANS WERE GOING TO THE ODDAR MEAN CHEY AIRFIELD TO
"PICK UP" AN UNDISCLOSED NUMBER OF AIRPLANES. CAMBODIAN
OFFICIALS WERE INSTRUCTED TO PREPARE THE PLANES FOR FLIGHT.
AS OF DECEMBER 1, THE CHINESE TECHNICIANS HAD NOT YET
REACHED THE AIRFIELD BUT INSTEAD WERE NOTED ENROUTE TO
THE BATTANBANG AIRFIELD FROM SIEM REAP. FLIGHT OPERATIONS

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BY CAMBODIAN AIRCRAFT WERE ALSO REFERRED TO WHEN IT WAS REVEALED THAT A CAMBODIAN HELICOPTER WOULD NOT BE ABLE TO GO TO SIEM REAP SINCE IT WAS ENGAGED IN OTHER ACTIVITIES. THIS IS THE SECOND REFERENCE TO THE RESUMPTION OF FLIGHT ACTIVITIES BY CAMBODIA SINCE THE APRIL 17 TAKEOVER.

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