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Remyairtel, dated 12/5/62 and 12/7/62.

Enclosed for the Bureau are nine copies of  
letterhead memorandum dated 12/10/62.

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Information set out in enclosed letterhead  
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Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

December 10, 1962

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ANTI-FIDEL CASTRO ACTIVITIES

On December 10, 1962, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] advised he attended the live show presented at the Puerto Rico Theater, 2117 Germantown Avenue, Philadelphia, Pa., December 8, 1962. The show, which was sponsored by the Second Front of the Escambray and Alpha 66, was not as well attended as had been expected, but grossed approximately \$500. The proceeds of the show, as originally planned, were turned over to ARMANDO FLEITES, representative of Alpha 66 from New York City, with the understanding that it would be for the furtherance of Alpha 66 activities.

[REDACTED] the show was covered by WCAU TV, Philadelphia, Pa., and a brief commentary by FLEITES was also filmed by WCAU TV, both of which were shown on the 11:00 p.m. news program that night by Channel 10.

[REDACTED] the show was presented to a quiet and orderly audience, and there was no untoward activity.

On December 10, 1962, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] advised that he attended the live show presented at the Puerto Rico Theater the afternoon of December 8, 1962. The show was attended by approximately 300 individuals, which was somewhat less than the number expected. He advised the audience was orderly, and there was no evidence of any unsympathetic activity interested in thwarting the presentation of the show. [REDACTED] WCAU TV, on its 11:00 p.m. news broadcast, Saturday night, December 8, 1962, presented film clips of the show and a taped

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commentary by ARMANDO FLEITES, in which FLEITES stated that Alpha 66 took full responsibility for the December 4, 1962, attack on Cuba. He stated the United States Government had no knowledge of and took no part in this activity, despite Cuban claims to the contrary.

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# Memorandum

TO : Director, FBI (109-584)(105-112098)

DATE: December 27, 1962

FROM : SAC, New York (105-35253)(105-57297)(P)

SUBJECT: ANTI-FIDEL CASTRO ACTIVITIES  
IS-CUBA

OPERATION ALPHA 66  
IS-CUBA; NEUTRALITY MATTERS

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**In Reply, Please Refer to  
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New York, New York  
December 27, 1962

**Re: Anti-Fidel Castro Activities  
Internal Security - Cuba**

• Operation Alpha 66  
Internal Security - Cuba  
Neutrality Matters

Walt advised that he had been invited to the meeting on December 15, 1961, and advised that this meeting was sponsored by a group which was described to him as an anti-Side-Castro organization in the United States with headquarters in San Juan, Puerto Rico.


was then that we learned that the meeting was held  
anniversary of the death of General Antonio Maceo,  
the hero of the Cuban War for Independence.  
He advised that this meeting was  
in the Park, starting from 3:00 PM to 3:30 PM on  
December 7, 1962, and that there were about 25  
people present.  
There were 7 Cubans there and the rest were newspaper  
people.

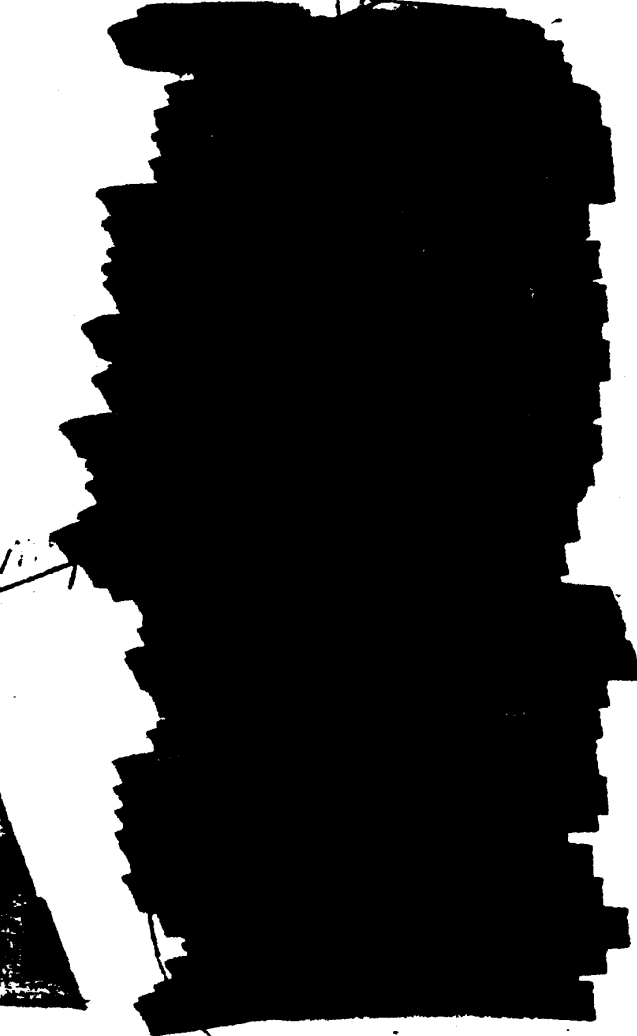
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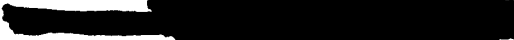
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Re: Anti-Fidel Castro Activities  
Operation Alpha 66

 advised that he had spoken to the Cubans present and ascertained that the following were all associated with Alpha 66:



Re: Anti-Fidel Castro Activities  
Operation Alpha 66

  
 also advised that in talking with the Cubans present at this meeting, he was informed that the Alpha 66 organization is now associated with the Second National Front Escambray (SNFE) which is headed by former Comandante Eloy Gutierrez Menoyo.



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# Memorandum

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

New York, New York

December 28, 1962

Re: Anti-Fidel Castro Activities  
Internal Security - Cuba

Operation Alpha 66-  
Internal Security - Cuba  
Neutrality Matters

[REDACTED] advised on December 17, 1962, that a dance was held by anti-Castro Cubans in New York at the Palm Garden, Eighth Avenue and West 52nd Street, on the evening of December 16, 1962.

[REDACTED] stated that this dance was sponsored by Alpha 66 and the Second National Front Escambray (SNFE).

[REDACTED] stated that present at this dance was Antonio Veciana who heads the Alpha 66 group and Armando Fleites, head of who heads the SNFE. [REDACTED] advised that former Major Eloy Gutierrez Menoyo of the SNFE was not present at this dance.

[REDACTED] advised that there were more than eight-hundred persons present at this affair, and tickets were \$2.50 per person, and the proceeds of the affair was to go to carrying out activities of Alpha 66 and the SNFE. [REDACTED] stated that he had been told that three-thousand tickets had been sold for this dance, but many of the people did not attend but merely made their contribution. [REDACTED]

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Operation Alpha 66

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b7D { also advised that at the dance liquor was sold by the bottle, and there were many cases disposed of during the evening from which the Alpha 66 and SNFE received a certain percentage. [REDACTED] advised that in his opinion the affair sponsored by the Alpha 66 and SNFE was an outstanding financial success for them, and those who sponsored it were so pleased with the results that they have tentatively scheduled another dance as a fund raising affair for the night of January 12, 1963, which will also be held at the Palm Garden.

[REDACTED]

The Attorney General

Director, FBI

ANTI-CASTRO ACTIVITIES

1 - Mr. Belmont April 3, 1963  
1 - Mr. J.P. Mohr  
1 - Mr. DeLoach  
1 - Mr. Evans  
1 - Mr. Sullivan  
1 - Mr. Marshall  
1 - Mr. [REDACTED]

Attached is a memorandum dated April 3, 1963, which contains information concerning activities of anti-Castro individuals engaged in attacks against Cuba. This memorandum supplements our April 2, 1963, memorandum concerning such activities.

Our investigations are continuing and you will be advised of pertinent developments.

Enclosure

109-584

- 1 - The Deputy Attorney General (Enclosure)
- 1 - Mr. J. Walter Yeagley (Enclosure)  
Assistant Attorney General

NOTE:

Separate letter being sent Mr. O'Donnell at White House furnishing attached information. Copy also being furnished [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] State Department, and interested agencies separately.

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1 - Belmont  
 1 - J. P. Mohr  
 1 - Mr. DeLoach  
 1 - Mr. Evans  
 1 - Mr. Sullivan  
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 1 - Mr. [REDACTED]

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April 3, 1963

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**Anti-Castro Activities**

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (109-584)  
FROM : SAC, SAVANNAH (105-688)  
SUBJECT: ANTI-FIDEL CASTRO ACTIVITIES  
IS-CUBA

Re Savannah teletype to Director and Miami this date.

Enclosed for the Bureau are nine copies each of two letterhead memoranda suitable for dissemination.

The source of the information in both of the above-mentioned letterhead memos is \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Co. D, 1st Battalion, 1st Training Regiment, U. S. Army Training Center, Ft. Jackson, S. C., who has requested that his identity be concealed, inasmuch as he has not reported this information to the 111th INTC Group, Ft. Jackson, as instructed in Army Regulations. It should be noted that \_\_\_\_\_

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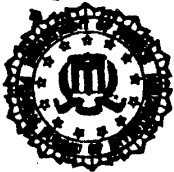
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Savannah, Georgia  
March 28, 1963

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ANTI-FIDEL CASTRO ACTIVITIES

*S.C. Rec - [redacted]*

On March 28, 1963, a source advised that Cuban  
Trainee [redacted]

[redacted] presently assigned to Company D, First  
Battalion, First Training Regiment, United States Army  
Training Center, Fort Jackson, South Carolina, whose [redacted]

[redacted] resides at the same address,  
received a telephone call at Fort Jackson on the night of  
March 27, 1963, from an unknown source in Miami, advising  
[redacted] (First Name Unknown) Alvarez, [redacted] (S)  
led a raid on an island  
of Cuba in a 28-foot boat, possibly a Chris Craft, on the  
night of March 26, 1963, towing a rowboat full of a plastic  
explosive called C-3, which was armed with a contact fuse  
possibly of a chemical type. The lead boat crossed either  
the bow or the stern of a Russian freighter anchored in  
the harbor, the freighter and the harbor not being further  
identified by the source, and turned sharply causing the  
rowboat to be slammed into the side of the freighter with  
a resulting explosion. The freighter sank sometime during  
the night hours of March 27, 1963.

[redacted] was further advised by the unknown  
caller that "the group has returned safely and the cancer  
has been removed".

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All sources (except any listed below) whose identities are concealed in referenced communication have furnished reliable information in the past.

Savannah memorandum dated March 28, 1963, captioned as above.

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Character INTERNAL SECURITY - CUBA

ANTI-RIDEL CASTRO ACTIVITIES

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
Savannah, Georgia  
March 28, 1963

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The Attorney General

Director, FBI

1 - Mr. Belmont  
1 - Mr. J.P. Mohr  
1 - Mr. DeLoach  
1 - Mr. Evans  
1 - Mr. Sullivan  
1 - Mr. [redacted]  
1 - Mr. [redacted]

April 5, 1963

**ANTI-CASTRO ACTIVITIES**

Attached is a memorandum dated April 5, 1963, which contains information concerning activities of anti-Castro individuals engaged in attacks against Cuba. This memorandum supplements our April 4, 1963, memorandum concerning such activities.

Our investigations are continuing and you will be advised of pertinent developments.

Enclosure

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1 - Mr. J. Walter Yeagley (Enclosure)  
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**ANTI-CASTRO ACTIVITIES**

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The April 3, 1963, issue of "El Diario de Nueva York," a New York Spanish-language newspaper, reported that Alpha 66 and the SNFE would hold a "march of silence" at the Soviet Delegation to the United Nations.

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According to this newspaper, these groups would protest restrictions placed on them by the United States Government which restricted them to the Miami, Florida, area while Soviet, Czechoslovakian and Polish communists reportedly carried out their work of subversion and espionage in the United States without any interference.

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The New York City Police Department has been informed of the picket, and a police detail will be assigned to the Soviet Delegation during the picket.

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Savannah, Georgia  
March 29, 1963

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ANTI-FIDEL CASTRO ACTIVITIES

*[Redacted]* raid on a Russian freighter in  
a Cuban harbor on March 26, 1963. *[Signature]*

*[Redacted]* knew that the group which struck  
the Russian freighter departed Miami, Florida, about 10 days  
before; and he knew some type of action was to take place,  
but he did not know what, where or the exact date.

He stated the military arms and explosives come  
from various locations and are kept until the group is ready  
to act. He said he does not know what type of explosives  
were used in instant raid or where they were obtained.

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TO : Director, FBI (109-584)  
 FROM: SAC, Savannah (105-688)  
 RE : ANTI-FIDEL CASTRO ACTIVITIES  
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Re Savannah teletype to Bureau, 3/29/63; and Savannah airtel to Bureau, 3/28/63.

The 111th INTC Group, Ft. Jackson, S. C., advised on 3/28/63 that an informant of theirs had attended a meeting in Columbia, S. C., on 3/24/63 of the Monte Cristi Cuban Exile Organization which was [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Twelve Cuban trainees from Ft. Jackson attended. [REDACTED] and an individual by the name of [REDACTED] conducted the meeting and requested those attending to secure members in each platoon of the First Training Regiment, Ft. Jackson, and attempt to secure small arms explosives and ammunition. [REDACTED] told those in attendance that this group has plans to form small groups for raids into Cuba from a base on a ship.

According to INTC Group, [REDACTED] was pressuring Washington concerning the future of Cuban trainees.

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 3 - Savannah (105-688)  
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[REDACTED]

He stated this group is composed of former members of Alfa 66 which broke off when the leader of that group, Antonio Veciana, absconded with all action funds of Alfa 66 and joined forces with Eloy Gutierrez Menoyo. *RU*

He stated there is no specific leader in Commando L-66, but each group has a leader when on a raid. He says usually the leader is the person who drew up the raid plans. *RU*

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[REDACTED] *CIA info*  
[REDACTED] *scipul*  
[REDACTED] *6/27/63*  
[REDACTED] *11/10/64*  
[REDACTED] *11/25/64*

[REDACTED] *RU*

He said, further, he knows nothing of Puerto Rican activities except that Alfa 66 is operating from an unknown location in Puerto Rico. *\*RU\* SC*

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[REDACTED] *RU*

He claimed that he knew nothing about the raid of March 26, 1963, except what he heard on the radio, and denied that he knows anything about the ammunition or explosives used in this raid or any other information concerning anti-Castro activities. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] area, formerly had ammunition and explosives located in [REDACTED] available for use of "groups." He said he has no information concerning the present location of the operating base of Commando L-66. *RU*

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He claimed he was personally concerned over telephone calls being made by [REDACTED] directly to Havana, Cuba, from [REDACTED] XSC(U) Cuba

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[REDACTED] advised on March 29, 1963,

that he entered the United States at [REDACTED] X u

[REDACTED] He denied any knowledge of Commando L-66 activities or anti-Castro activities operating from Puerto Rico. X u

He advised that he had discussed his "theory" as to how ammunition and explosives were removed to Puerto Rico but denied that he has any personal knowledge. X u

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Re telephone conversation between Supervisor  
 [redacted] and ASAC WALLACE F. ESTILL, San Juan  
 Office, 3/29/63; San Juan radiogram 3/29/63.

Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are nine copies  
 of a letterhead memorandum dated and captioned as above  
 at San Juan, Puerto Rico. Copies of this communication  
 and letterhead memorandum are disseminated to the below  
 listed offices as they have a continuing interest in anti-  
 FIDEL CASTRO activities.

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 1 - WFO (105-29955) (Encl. 1) (Info) (RM)  
 1 - Tampa (Encl. 1) (Info) (RM)  
 3 - San Juan  
     (1 - 109-44)  
     (1 - 105-6133) (ALPHA 66, INC.)  
     (1 - 105-6323) (COMANDOS L. 66 INC.)

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Approved: [signature] Special Agent in Charge

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Investigation conducted by SA [REDACTED] b7c

The source is [REDACTED] b7c b7D

The information on which this inquiry is based was furnished by [REDACTED] Supervisor, SOG, telephonically to ASAC WALLACE F. ESTILL of the San Juan Office. Mr. [REDACTED] stated that the information was received from the Savannah Office from a source [REDACTED] b7c b7D

As the source is not known, the source is not being set out in the letterhead memorandum.



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San Juan, Puerto Rico  
April 1, 1963

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The purpose of this investigation was to determine if information to the effect that anti-CASTRO groups in Puerto Rico are removing arms and explosives from Puerto Rico for raids was true. These anti-CASTRO groups are composed of both Cubans and Puerto Ricans. The arms and explosives are being removed from Puerto Rico by placing them in water tightbags or containers and towing them behind or under boats in such a way that a grapple type search around the vessel would fail to reveal their existence.

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[REDACTED] Office of Naval Intelligence, 10th Naval District, San Juan, Puerto Rico, on March 29, 1963, advised that he believed that the above mentioned method of transporting weapons would be difficult as a line or other means of towing the contents would be needed. It was his opinion that when the vessel was under way, the contents would plane to the surface and therefore be detected.

Mr. [REDACTED] stated that Office of Naval Intelligence had no information that anti-CASTRO Cubans were collecting or sending arms out of Puerto Rico.

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Lieutenant [REDACTED] Operations, United States Coast Guard, San Juan, Puerto Rico, on March 29, 1963, stated that he believed this method of transportation could be effected if the containers containing the weapons and explosives could be weighted. He pointed out, however, that lines would be needed to attach the containers to the vessel in some way and could be detected.

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Lieutenant [REDACTED] stated that to his knowledge the Coast Guard had no information that Cuban exiles were attempting to transport weapons from Puerto Rico to any base or island in the Caribbean.

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CG [REDACTED] United States Customs Agent, United States Customs, San Juan, Puerto Rico, on March 29, 1963, advised that ships departing San Juan Harbor are not automatically searched and it was his belief that the above method for transporting weapons was not needed to carry weapons out of Puerto Rico. It was his opinion that Customs inspectors on the docks would note lines which would be necessary for towing and securing the weapons or explosives to the vessel.

[REDACTED] Mr. [REDACTED] had no information that Cuban exiles were obtaining arms in Puerto Rico.

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ANDREW HAVRE, Major, 471st Intelligence Corps, United States Army, San Juan, Puerto Rico, on March 29, 1963, advised that that group had received no information that Cuban exiles were obtaining arms and explosives. He further advised he had no information that Cuban exiles were transporting arms and explosives out of Puerto Rico.

GEORGE H. DAY, Major, G-2, United States Army, San Juan, Puerto Rico, on March 29, 1963, advised that G-2 had no information that Cuban exiles were attempting to transport arms or explosives out of Puerto Rico.

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INS [REDACTED] Investigator, Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS), on March 29, 1963, advised that INS, San Juan, had no information that Cuban exiles were purchasing or attempting to transport arms or explosives out of Puerto Rico.

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[REDACTED] b7c  
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[REDACTED] stated that he had no prior knowledge that Alpha 66, Inc. planned any particular raid on Cuba.

[REDACTED]

Alpha 66 is incorporated under the laws of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico as a nonprofit organization with objectives and purposes to help and orient Cuban refugees, promote fraternization, and social relations between the Cuban citizens who are in refuge in Puerto Rico; to organize social functions and carry out all the operations of an organization of nonprofit character permitted by law.

[REDACTED] on March 20, 1963, advised he has never considered himself as a member of Alpha 66, Inc., only a sympathizer. He advised that Alpha 66's only activity in Puerto Rico was to obtain finances.

[REDACTED] on March 21, 1963, advised he is not now a member of Alpha 66, Inc. He stated Alpha 66's activity was restricted to the collection of funds. b7c  
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[REDACTED] on March 20, 1963.

[REDACTED] all activities of that organization were directed toward the collection of funds.

[REDACTED] on March 21, 1963, advised he is [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] interviewed on March 28, 1963, and [REDACTED] interviewed on March 29, 1963, advised they were associated with the Cuban exile group Comandos L. 66, Inc. Each denied that Comandos L. 66 was attempting to obtain arms or explosives to be used on raids in Cuba. Each stated that their activities in Puerto Rico were restricted to the collection of money which was to be sent to the action group operating from a base somewhere in the Caribbean. Each denied that he had information that arms, equipment, or personnel for these raids had come from Puerto Rico.

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# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (109-584)

DATE: May 21, 1963

FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (105-6033) (P)

SUBJECT: ANTI-FIDEL CASTRO ACTIVITIES  
IS - CUBA

Re Chicago letter to Bureau 5/17/63.

There are enclosed herewith for the Bureau twelve copies of a letterhead memorandum (LHM) suitable for dissemination and captioned as above. One copy of this LHM is being furnished by registered mail to the Los Angeles, Miami, New York and Washington Field Offices because of their continuing interest in the anti-CASTRO activities.

The sources mentioned in the LHM are [REDACTED]

The Chicago Division will continue to follow and report anti-CASTRO activities in the Chicago area.

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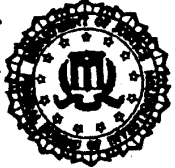
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Chicago, Illinois  
May 21, 1963

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INTERNAL SECURITY - CUBA**

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[REDACTED] who have furnished reliable information in the past, advised on May 20, 1963, that an anti-Castro rally was held in the Engineer's Building, 205 West Wacker, Chicago, at 8:30 p.m., May 18, 1963. Approximately 600 persons attended.

Sponsors of the rally were the People's Revolutionary Movement (MRP) and the Second Front of Escambray-Alpha-66. Local speakers included the emcee, Orlando Miranda, and Sergio Prado, Luis Baralt and Dr. Arturo Olivera.

Alpha-66 military leader Eloy Gutierrez Menoyo addressed the rally. He reportedly admired President Kennedy and did not want the United States to become involved because of Cuban raids on a Russian ship unloading arms in a Cuban port. He requested the moral support of the United States to properly conducted raids that would give hope to both Cuban refugees and the underground within Cuba. He said the raids would continue despite the crackdown by the United States.

Gutierrez did not enlarge on his statement because of "security" reasons, but said the United States Army is training Cuban exiles and then releasing them. He declined to comment upon future tactical operations for the same reason.

Gutierrez has left Chicago for New York City.

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TO DIRECTOR, FBI (109-584)  
FROM SAC, TAMPA (105-107) (P)  
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Enclosed for the Bureau are 12 copies, for Jacksonville is one copy, and for Miami are two copies of letterhead memo captioned as above. Local dissemination made to INTC, Orlando, Florida; G-2, Fort McPherson, Ga.; OSI, Robins AFB, Ga.; ONI, Charleston, S. C.; and INS, Miami, Florida.

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2 - Miami (Enc 2) (RM)  
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1 - 105-SNFE Alpha 66)  
6 - Tampa (1 - 105-107, 105-1258 SNFE Alpha 66;  
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105-1982 [redacted] 105- [redacted])

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*Organizer of Alpha 66*

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 1 - Los Angeles (Enc. 1) (RM) **REC-138**  
 2 - Miami (105-1742) (1 - 105-6243 - ALPHA 66-SNFE-MRP) (Info) (RM) **109-584-376**  
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Tampa will continue to follow activities of anti-  
CASTRO group at Orlando, Fla. and will keep the Bureau advised  
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of origin on anti-CASTRO activities.

Tampa will continue to follow anti-CASTRO  
activities in the Tampa area and will make appropriate  
dissemination of pertinent information received.

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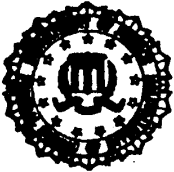
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