TRANSCRIPT OF TELEPHONE CALL PLACED BY EDUARDO AROCENA TO FBI SPECIAL AGENT LARRY WACK ON DECEMBER 19, 1982

LARRY WACK (L)

This is Special Agent LARRY WACK
New York Office, FBI, currently at
my residence. The time is 5:00 PM,
and I have a recorder placed on my
home telephone, New York number
(212)628-7865. Today's date is
December 19, 1982. I am anticipating
a telephone call from EDUARDO AROCENA
who is known to me. This call to be
received possibly today or tomorrow.
I had spoken to MR. AROCENA today,
December 19, 1982, at approximately
1:31 PM, which call was not recorded
due to malfunction.

(Telephone ring)

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OPERATOR (O)

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EDUARDO AROCENA (E)

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Hello.

Yes collect from Eddie, will you pay for the call?

Yeah sure.

Go ahead Eddie.

Okay. Hi Larry.

Hey Ed.

How you doing?

That's easier than dropping coins in isn't it?

Huh?

That's easier than dropping coins in the machine.

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Е	Yeah, but more dangerous (laugh). For me anyway.
L .	Yeah, that's alright. Don't worry about it.
Е	Well, I hope so
L	How you uh, how you making out personally
Е	Well,
L	Surviving?
E	Huh?
L	Surviving?
E	Yeah I'm surviving down here, that's the word yeah. I'm surviving, uh no problem with that. Anyway just a little tight but uh, cause the budget is a, there is a cut in every, in everything now. Including the Government too. That's a fact, right? You don't like that do you?
L	Hold on.
E .	Okay. Uh,
L	What'd you say? There's a plot?
E	Huh?
L	What were you saying?
E	No there's a plane crossing. That's what I, not so noisy now, that's what I
L .	You said there was something by the government?
E	No no. What I mean was uh, when you talk about the the money? I say everything was tight including cut in the government.

L Oh yeah, yeah I know. Everything's tight. E Yeah I know. Uh L How's uh, let me ask you something, and uh Ε Uh huh L For her own welfare, is Miriam making out okay. E Well, everything is tight um, I be try to help her through other friends, ya know L Yeah E But she don't know anything about it, but uh, someone, ya know, I get somecom to try to fix the, the accounts ya know, cause I left her with a big deficit. L Yeah I know. Ε So uh, try to send someone to try to help, to take it easy and sit tight, and I will try to fix them up everything. L Hope you can do it buddy. Ε. I'm doing, that's what I'm doing. That's the time I needed. That's what uh, started the whole thing the time I needed because I know I was . deep in trouble, ya know, about money and things and I need time for

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ya know, fix all that kind of problems. Personal problems. Plus take care of the other things from the organization too and uh, ya know, in fact I got too

many peoples out of a job and uh we have to take care, and uh, month after month, the budget

you know very tight.

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L	You mean your budget.
E	My budget right.
L	(laugh)
E	Right. And uh (unintel) But uh, I'm surviving.
L .	Well I'm glad to, glad to hear you're still alive anyhow.
E	I'm, I'm fine. No I never, I never gonna lose my spirit, no matter how, how deep we are, how deep I am, ya know, never you will see, will see me as a crying for help or crying for a ya know to do supportment for what I doing, ya know. Uh, because uh, if I do that, I lack inspiration to my other fellow man. If they see me down, it might as well happen.
L	Yeah.
E	Everything, everybody will start crying and everything went down.
L	Yeah.
E	And that's not the point
L	Let me ask you something before I forget. Um, was that last communique from you?
E	Right.
L .	Was that your, I I thought your handwriting looked uh, was that your personal note on the bottom?
E	Right.
L .	Cause I thought the handwriting looked familiar.

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E	Uh hmm.
L .	It said uh, we're anti-Communist, we want to be free?
E	No
L	Or something like that.
E	No it must be uh, must be added That's (unintel) on another, another side right?
L	The communique at the very bottom had a hand-written note.
E	No. No supposed to, don't supposed to be a writing hand in there. All supposed to be in a, in a printing machine, ya know.
L :	Typewriter?
E	Typewriter.
L	No there was a hand, hand printed note at the bottom.
E	No that's uh, must be added someone maybe added something.
L	Oh yeah, definitely they did.
E	Cause I sealed it, I send it from here, different places with the address of Florida to New York, Chicago area, Puerto Rico and uh, the difference only between two communique was only two or three words because uh, I did on purpose In order to know which part of uh, of the let's see if I can put it exactly.

Yeah.

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the, let's see if I can put it exactly word. See what I try to do to uh,

another part, like, I mean New York and uh

to know if uh, another, another,

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E	New Jersey. And some part Florida, ya known They do the things I just tell them That's a happen because sometimes I tell, I tell them to send the communique and uh, they don't do a hundred percent job, so
L	Oh
E	That way I will be sure of which side is more weak than the other one.
L	(laugh)
E	I have to do it because you know
L	Oh, so you didn't type them yourself then.
Ε	I did type, I did type them myself.
L :	Oh you did type them.
E	Yeah. With a another machine.
L	Oh.
E	Another type write, type write, I don't know, sometimes I get confused with that.
L	Well yeah, I I figured you, you typed em because as soon as I uh
E	You don't send nobody right?
L	Huh?
E	There's two guys just arriving here. I hope they are not for you.
- F	What?
Е	Two guys just uh, two more from the car now here.

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No. I don't even know where you are.

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E	Okay, I'm in Florida.
L	Are ya?
E	Yeah. Alright, they got away. No I got my guys there, it's alright. Hold a second Larry (saying something in the background).
L	Hey (whistles) my cigarettes please.
E	That's alright. Uh, what do you say Larry.
L	No uh, it's not my people.
E	I know. Uh,
L	Listen.
E	Uh huh.
L :	Um
E	About the communique, uh
L	Yeah.
E	I have to make research about that, because I didn't know that. So I have to be sure I don't want to, to ya know, uh, to know if someone else is putting something supposed, don't supposed to put.
L	So there wasn't supposed to be any handwriting right?
E	No, no supposed to be nothing like that.
L	Yeah.
_ E	I just came in so I don't have knowledge of what, what's happen. You know what I mean?
L	Yeah.

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E	I just came in and I don't know, I have to see the guys and then, and see what happens. In fact I don't see anything printed here, I don't know. I have ask the guy what exactly wh happen about that.
L	Yeah there was, there was a handprinted message at the bottom of each one.
E	And what it said? What say?
L .	It said uh, something about we are anti-Communist, we want to be free.
E	And all the rest of things? Because all, everything was sent to all over the United States, through United States.
L	We only got two?
E :	Did you get any from Florida, or from Puerto Rico, or from ah,
L	No
E	Uh, New York
L	New York, New York and New Jersey. That's all.
Ε .	Oh, I'm gonna see that tomorrow. Let's see what happens.
L .	And when I, when I read, when I read it, it sounded like you.
E	I did it.
L	But then, but then I was surprised with the handwritten note at the bottom.
· - Ē	No, that's no supposed to, I don't

put no writing nowhere because that will change the whole thing. The only thing was changed this time was that, the type of machine. I used to use

E (cont)	one with a ball, ya know, with a like I told you before?
L .	With the balls?
E .	Ball change the balls?
L	yeah.
E	which I, which I have it someplace, ya know. I used to break a pattern, I don't wanna use the same thing.
L	Yeah.
E	And uh, but supposed to be uh, ya know, you can analyze the whole thing and uh be sure it was me anyway.
L	Well let me, let me ask you something.
E	Uh huh.
L	In that communique, you said something about the group is watching and waiting to see what happens.
E	Right, that that's the truth
L .	What are you watching and waiting to see?
E	Well uh, the reason that we don't do anything yet, and like I told you before, I I mean don't think because the thing happens me personal I hide nothing or thing like that. I don't hiding at all. I be walking around and I'm moving around and ya know, but uh, I'm working.
L	Yeah.

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But, like I told you, we won't do nothing, I I won't let nobody do nothing until things happen. So uh, there's a person, things and we watching, see, we seen everything falling apart concern to the government ya know, and if uh, when I see leftist and and all the liberals are getting around even the poor person with a losing battles guys and uh, I don't know your side but uh, so far, uh take this as a compliment or whatever you like. The only guy I trust right now is you and Bobby.

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Yeah.

And the President of the United States. (laugh) Nobody else, I, I trust no one else because I don't see the picture is coming. You see the President all over. I know you losing battle, battles.

You know, let me, let me ask you this? Are you watching things that are happening in South America or here or both?

Both places.

Yeah?

See we like, we like things happen there because I know the government is doing something you might say uh, of the, off the, off the record.

Where?

There. In Central America.

Yeah.

Right? Uh, fascist coming there and uh, the liberal here are, is attacking those air force in order to contain the Communist there.

L

Uh huh.

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Alright? I know the President went there and he took a hell of a risk. He got a big balls.

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Oh, yeah.

Ε

Oh yeah, no, he's the guy who got the mind because uh, he got to be out of his mind to go there and, you know, poke himself in a place like that one, and uh, get out of the way and do what he want to do there, and talk to the people who have to talk there and prepare things. That's the main thing. See you have to contain the Communist there anyway because uh, pretty soon that is the battle you're going losing, and I know you are losing. You gonna be have, you gonna have the battleground here in your own country pretty So far you almost have it. soon.

L

Yeah I know, well this is why I, as I mentioned to you a hundred times before that we know we got a problem with the Communist here. It would be nice if we could use you and your people to help combat them.

Ε

Listen uh, you might, you might don't believe, uh, maybe you don't believe me, this or not. But uh, we could be the best ally you ever had because because uh, like I told you before, we can reach places where you never can get near of it.

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Yeah I know.

E

And we got sources of information and if you have to go to those sources, it gonna take you a long long time

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Yeah.

Ε And when you get there, the thing's gone, so, that's the edge we got. L yeah, I know. E So far, we lost things way way before things happen, so, uh but like I told you before, where we go to those information or or those things and uh, to whom. See, I was uh looking the other day here when you got the swordfish operation here? L Yeah. E And it was easy. I was reading in the newspaper uh, you got a leak insi someone, someone say something and the big fish blew up. L Yeah. E And uh see see it may be someone in the me that try to help you and uh, you got a big mouth, ya know what I mean? L Yeah. E Say you, I don't mean you, you know what I mean right? L Yeah, I know what you mean. E Then you got big mouth there, which put words in a, which can be reached for someone else. Put a, put a, in guard someone, someone else and blew the whole thing. Yeah. L E And uh, that's that's what happens, so uh, sometime or many time we got the edge we know, we know things

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and we can strike and sometimes we do.

Because we got, we got one thing and nobody know where. We got uh, we got ourself a silent force. But you

never hear that.

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L	(laugh)
E	Gotta be like that, believe me.
L .	Eddie, I believe everything you tell me.
E	It's a powerful thing, so uh, because sometime, you see sometime you have a you got a things so complicated you, in the end you never can finish it. Like eh, well you got it right now. You started, you started one thing an you don't know how the hell you gonna finish. And now you need me to finish.
L	Well not necessarily.
E	The hell with that (laugh). The hell with that. I remember we started one thing and uh, I received the information, that's why I, I split up because uh, someone, someone tipped me off and you gonna switch the whole thing that was true. You switched from one thing to another one.
L	What are you talking about?
E	And that surprised me. When we started the whole thing remember?
L	yeah.
E	We started with the things from New York and remember all the, the Garcia and the whole thing?
L	-Yeah.
_E	And later, _ the _ next_ dayI -saw was the newspaper was the other thing from the, from the guy from the Embassy. From the (unintel) the thing from the, bombing the car and thing like that?
L	Yeah.

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Е	And that surprised me cause I never thought that never appear on the agenda.
L	Wait a minute, explain yourself. You lost me
E	Well, see, we had started one thing before right? About, about the operation with Garcia and Negrin and all that thing right?
L	Yeah right.
E	So in the process, uh, came the bombs with the, with the remote control right?
L	Right.
E	And that's, that's the thing you dump later on the things, you know.
L	That was, Eddie, listen.
E	I don't know what happened there and
L	No, you know what happened. We didn't, listen, you took off right?
Е	Well because I know something was uh, changing course.
L	No no no. Listen, I got bad, I got either good news or bad news for ya, however you wanna look at it.
E	Uh huh.
L	The reason things changed course
Ε	Uh huh
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E	So far, one day for another one.
L	Huh?
Ε	Looks like everything changed from one day, to one day from another one because

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L We, we had to make, after you took off, when we were in Florida E Uh huh L And you called me up and said you weren't coming back. Ε Uh huh. L We had to make a drastic change because we didn't want these guys to get away from us. Ε Uh huh. L We could not put them in jail based or your statements that they were involved with Garcia's murder. Ε Uh hmm. L Okay, that's not proof enough. searched Losada's place, right? Ε Right. L And in, remember looking for the bullets, ya know? Uh huh. Ε We found evidence over there that L linked the stuff there with the Roa bomb. Ε Uh huh. L I think that bomb was partially made in Losada's place. Ε Yup, part of it was made there. L Yeah, but see here's the thing Eddie. In searching for the bullets you told us about, we found pieces of the board and pieces of tape and some wires that

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L (Cont) led us to believe that these guys were also involved in the Roa thing, just like you had said. But now you were, you were long gone. You left. I didn't know where you were. Ε What, what I was talking, was it tape you got? L Huh? Ε I heard noise, now not there. Alright, keep going. L Uh, so here's the thing. We weren't gonna be able to hold these men on anything and we knew if they got away from us, we would never see them again. So, because, because you left, we had to make a drastic change in our situation If you would've stayed around, we could'v worked something out. E Yeah, but you know what happened? L And we had to arrest them for something so they wouldn't get away based on what we knew that they did. It's the, the thing wasn't gonna change because you were with us, the thing changed because you left. You you forced us into making that change. And I don't care what your friends tell ya. I'm telling you the truth. Ε Well I believe you because uh, until last week, I uh, you know the tape you make the calls to the house? \mathbf{L} . The what? E The calls you make to the tape machine? Tape -machine-calls.

yeah.

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I I got it uh last week so I find out things if I hear before maybe the whole thing would be changed. But, it was later so, I realize, uh, well I have to give you a chance, you know, to explain things because maybe I was to

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You know what you did Eddie?

Ε

Uh huh.

L

You panicked.

Ε

No I don't think so.

L

You you, you know what you, ya know unfortunately I think what happened was you listened to your friends instead of listening to us.

E

Well that could be, but uh, I don't know.

L

I mean, ya know if, if I was you, and you were me at the time, maybe I would're listened to my friends too. I'm just trying to explain to you what I think may have happened. But uh, as a result of you taking off again, we didn't want these men to get away from us because you know and I know that they did what they did and my people said there's no way we're gonna let Pedro Remon get away from us.

E

Yeah. So you know one thing?

L

So when you ran away we were forced that day to make those arrests. If you hadn't, if you hadn't gone away and stayed around and worked with us, I don't, I don't know where we would be right now, but we would be a heck of a lot further than where we are today.

Ε

Well maybe not because that give me, that gave me more time to a me to uh go deeper and uh, you know, see things and see peoples and you know, and fix a lot of holes I got. So far I got, right now I find out I got someone in the organization with uh, has been bought off for someone from outside, so uh, we had tried to fix him up to see how much he has been talking to the other guys and uh, ya know, but it's part of the job anyway. But believe me, uh, but give me time enough to do, to make some research and, ya know, have some, something to, probably will be to give you a big edge in any other areas, ya know. I bet you will be pretty good.

L

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L E Yeah?

Yeah.

I believe ya.

What?

I believe ya.

I present the proof and uh, the only uh, let's see if I can find the right word. Uh, this advantage I got I cannot do like before, see before I got, before we follow guys and you know we took picture and uh, we play sports, ya know, we tape conversation and we fired the whole thing up. But now, unfortunately, I have to watch for you and for other guys and you know, thing is more difficult so, uh, before I got more uh

You got more people to worry about.

L

E	Right, no, before I got some more money to have, ya know, to move around and a lot of things changed now and made things a little bit more uh, more difficult. Not impossible, only difficult.
L	Eddie, let me ask you something.
E	Uh huh. Oh shit.
L	What?
E	No no, that's alright.
L	You can stay, I don't have a trace on this thing and I don't have my guys out looking for ya, so if you see anybody, it's your other enemies. It's not my people.
E	Uh, then I can relax.
L	Yeah.
E	Okay.
L	Please do.
Е	Okay. I don't wanna start things.
L .	No.
Е	Okay okay, go ahead.
L .	Um, let me ask you this?
Е	Uh huh.
L	What are we gonna do with the guys that we have now?
E	What do you need?
L	Here's what I need.

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Е	Uh huh.
L	If if you're not going to
E	Uh huh
L	If if we don't need you, if you're not gonna come in,
E	Uh huh
L	I need other people or other pieces of evidence to tie them to these crimes. That's why remember before, when I said I have to find out who that girl is?
E	Uh huh.
L	I need those kind of people. I need to, we need to make the case without you.
Ε :	Uh huh.
L	If you're not gonna come in.
E	Well I can't come in because uh, that will ruin the whole thing. Uh, I know it's difficult
L '	Well I I'm giving you my answer. You asked me what do you need and I'm telling ya.
E	Yeah I know I know yeah
L	I'm telling ya.
E	Uh, well I will I will try, I can work on that anyway.

L

Let me ask you. Is there other people out there that would talk to us about these guys?

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E	Yeah. Yeah, but uh, uh, it's got to be uh, if you go direct, directly, oh Jesus. If you go direct to them or through us?
L	I don't care. However we have to do it.
E	Uh huh. See because I found out the other day uh, remember when we was talking about the machine gun?
L	Yeah.
E	Well uh, I was looking for uh, the other day in one of the, of the places we got our ammunition and things.
L	Yeah.
E :	And I remembered something and I went to uh someplace and asked a guy if they have a things, uh, you know, in his power, in his possession, and he told me about two years ago, a year and a half ago, Remon went there and pretend that he is still working with us and he took what he want. And what it was, you know what it was?
L	What?
Е	Okay. Uh, it was a frame from another machine gun exactly. What they uh, take it off was the cannon, you know, the part of the, the front part?
L	The barrel?
E	Right the barrel.
L	Yeah.
E	And they switch uh, they put another, the whole thing from another place. But the machine gun is still around. Now I don't know, I don't know if that thing can be find, found, and can be used. I don't know.

Τ. The barrel. Ε No not the barrel, the other part. (unintel) that much. I don't know, you have to ask your expert there. I know they used that part. That part went to the original Mac 10 they got before. L Right. Did they, did he switch the barrel after Garcia's murder? Ε Yeah after after that uh, he went to this guy and took the, we we got another barrel, ya know, and uh, he took him up and ordered a couple of things more and uh, I was digging and ah, looks like a hundred percent like they switch the barrel. L Yeah but you, you said you thought the machine gun was destroyed in acid. Ε That's what they told me, they don't trust me. You know where we met before? L Oh wait a minute, now who told you that, Remon and Sanchez? Ε Right. L So the gun may still be around. Ε That might be still around and hundred percent because I know they don't destroy weapons and another thing, I was asking and uh, I don't think that they was put in acid is worse putting them, has to be throwing them in the water. L Yeah. E Has to be in one of those trips they make in the ocean. They make a

lot of exercises?

L	Yeah.
E	They throw em away and uh, that's what I was asking and I figure out that's happen because I don't think they destroyed the whole thing. Like I told you they don't, don't trust me after that.
L	Yeah.
E	Like I don't trust them anyway. They're my enemies.
L	Oh well they're, you know what they're, they're getting, alright so the, so the gun may still be around.
E :	Got to be in the possession of the guy who is uh, someone here in Florida who ah have ah possession of ammunition, you know, the whole thing they got
L	Well
E	and the camp, they got a camp here.
L ·	Yeah.
E	And the, I don't know maybe Lino or someone there is in charge of the weapons and it got to be around there someplace else.
L	Well you know, you know what would be nice if we could find out or if you know, who was uh, who was the guy in charge of their weapons?
E 	Well uh these uh, ya know, I don't have that knowledge because I miss, I lose, but, I can find out that. I got someone to talk to uh, because they, they got some other guns before when they had split from another group.

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L	Yeah,
E	And uh, I can, with a little time I can know which was in charge of the weapons because I know was a lot of weapons missing, missing before
L	Oh yeah
E	When they split, yeah
	(Change to Side Two of tape)
E	Uh huh.
L	In other words, in other words, he, Remon, maybe you have heard something already. He obviously suspects that we think
E	Uh huh.
L	He's up to his ass in this stuff, right?
E	Yeah. Yeah, but uh
L :	So would, would he make a phone call to somebody and say hey, get rid of that gun? Or do you think he'd take a chance and hold on to it?
E	No, I don't think they gonna get rid of the weapon, because they got rid of the barrel and they need a weapon. They always have been hungry for a weapon. They don't have that kind too many.
L	Yeah, but he also knows if we find that gun and his fingerprints are on it, he's got a lot of problems.
E	No but the, but you never gonna find our fingerprints on that gun because it's been cleaned.
L	Yeah well listen
E	Remember, remember, we wear gloves all the time. Oh, if that's the way forget about it.
L .	No we don't have to do it that way. But he, he also has to believe that uh, remember the girl you told us about?

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Е	Uh huh.
L	Nellie?
E	Uh huh.
L	You know we found her.
E	Uh huh.
L	But we need to find some other people to uh, to what we say corroborate, you know what I mean?
E	Yeah.
L	This is why, this is why uh, we can we can make this case without you. I mean obviously it's gonna be very very difficult.
E :	You know one thing who protect them?
L	Who?
E	To protect Remon and Ochoa and all those guys? Because the people think they still belong to the organization. That's why nobody wants to talk about it.
L	Oh I know they do. I I heard up here that uh, everybody thinks that, ya know, that we have, they're talking to people from jail.
E	Uh huh.
L	And the people up here definitely think that they're part of, that they're still part of the organization.
E	Yeah but that's what, their main support because if you can take off that which isn't true because they don't belong to the organization for a long long time ago.

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L Yeah but how am I supposed to prove that Eddie? That got to be from uh I don't know. Ε That's gotta come from you guys. L Why, we tell a lot of people from Ε the inside that they don't belong to the organization. Yeah but the word \mathbf{L} They belong to the other group and Ε here when they make a survey on the radio, they try to capitalize the whole thing so the people when they call to the radio, the people support the organization, don't support them. So they they saw the balance stayed quiet about that, so they gain in power in that position. See, it's in power in that position. better for them they don't say nothing about it. It's complaining here so you know, they spread rumor like uh, they uh, still part of the organization which is not true. How come you can, only the press can destroy the whole thing. Well why don't you have one of your L people go to the press? Ε Oh my goodness. L I mean I can't go to the press because I don't know the facts. Well uh, see but you got one thing Ε here. See, right now, see the community think, they see you as our enemy. L Yeah, I know. E So, only I know you are not. Right?

L	Yeah.
E	And I try to, when I talk to my peoples and uh to someone else, ya know, try to project the things like you are doing your jobs, like you are not our enemies. Our enemies are the communists and the liberals and the leftists and the whole bunch of mother fuckers and fighting against the liberty of our country. So
	Well you know these guys are your enemies.
E	We know that. We try to prevent, uh, you know, they're gaining power in places and ya know, they, with uh
L	Ya know who they're gaining power through up here now?
E :	Uh, yeah, yeah.
L .	Who?
E	From the community.
L	Yeah.
E	They used a lot of guys from the community.
L	Yeah, ya know who they're using though?
E	Well uh, I have to uh, like I told you I've been out, so I have to see the community where they make committee and they got funds for defend, for Legal Defense

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L	Yeah.
E	So, I don't know right now who is in charge of that whole thing there.
L .	I'll tell ya.
E	Who is who is?
L	Alvin Ross.
E	Uh huh. Ross.
L	Umm
E	Cueto,
L	Cueto,
E	Who else?
L	Mario Fernandez
Ε	Uh huh
L	Uh, who is, whose the guy from Abdala?
E	What's the name
L	Uh, Abdala
E	Abdala?
L	Alvarez?
E	Uh, oh you mean Lazaro Alvarez?
L	No.
E	The son right? Is he a young guy?
L	I think so. But Cueto, Mario Fernandez and Alvin Ross are the three big guys collecting all the money.

Ε

Uh huh. Well we got eh, we send a guy here, uh, a couple of guys from here and they went to see Cueto about he's making mistake in helping Remon and all the bunch of guys.

L

Ε

L

Ε

Yeah.

And uh, but they told me they was very nervous because uh, he, they say he thought the other guys were okay, but uh, I don't know right now uh, exactly what he's feeling or not.

Who?

Because he thinks Uh Cueto. lot of things that drive him there. It's a, it's it's, it's a conspiracy there, I don't know, ya know, and uh, there's a couple of guys capitalizing the whole thing. So I have to get in touch with the whole thing and uh, see some times is very difficult to me to move from place to another one quickly and see the guys because they try to uh, couple of them to eliminate me, number one. Number two, to point me where I am in order to let you know where am I and they hoping I fight against you, you know, and get kill.

Yeah.

But what they don't know is we, we just talking and one more thing I would like to be sure of this, please, please, see the way I tell you. Please, if you make contact with me with your Agents, I want to be sure in advance that, that are you really. You know what I mean?

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E

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L	Yeah.
E	Because you got guy here impersonate, ya know
L	Yeah.
E	a Federal Agents and uh, I know the trick. And uh, maybe they try to use that thing and I don't wanna, I don't wanna waste uh, ya know, provoke things and that uh, so, if that thing happens, please to advise your guys. I would like, if you would spot me or things like that, things that, ya know get worse or not. Please, uh, give me some chance to know if that you are really the guys. Because uh, this is the trick they try to pull. I know that.
L :	Well how are my guys supposed to know what you're gonna do Eddie?
E	Well if I know you are the real guys so I don't have no reason to strike back, right?
L	Yeah, I know.
E .	So uh, but uh, if uh, if I think that you are the other guy, and I, ya know, and I I don't do nothing they're gonna waste me. And that's the, me and the other guy with me. The situation
L .	Well, if it comes down to that I hope you're a fast draw.

E

I might, I might. I'm good one (laugh).

That's why I'm still alive.

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L .	(laugh) Jesus	
E	No I remember now because uh, it's old trick here and this place, see anybody can get a badge and you know. They know the trick. And uh, if they know where you are and they get a calls, ya know, get a couple of guys and say well uh, so we wanna play like we are Federal Agents, ya know, and uh	
L ·	What are you gonna do when we catch you someday?	
E	Well let's see when the time comes.	
L	Huh?	
Е	Let's see when the time comes.	
L	(laugh) You know it's gonna happen.	
Е	Well	
L	It's gotta happen some day	
Е	Well, let's see. I hope not.	
L	Are you coming in or going out? I hear you must be near the airport there.	
_ E	Ohhh, you devil.	
L	(laugh) No, I'm just curious what you're doing for the holidays	
E	No, why you think about my family?	
L	Yeah.	
E	You can think about that but don't think that thing gonna tie my heart to go there because I know that will be the main target, so	
L	Oh, we're not gonna, we're not gonna look, we don't	

Ε I don't go there anyway. L Hey Eddie, I don't think you're stupid enough to go to places that Ε I don't go there. L No. Ε I know you see when I try and start the whole thing I know, I know the risk of the thing and I decide if I have to make and that's what I'm doing. The only thing I regret now is things get complicated and uh, and uh, you know, the other thing that worries me is get caught before I finish things. That's all. L How much, how much do you have to do? Ε Uh, well uh, I intend to uh, to give you all the information to rid those guy whose uh, they are the big fishes here and uh, they are the big drug dealer here, and the guy whose laundry money. L Yeah. E They big fishes, believe me. L Yeah. Ε And uh, so I give the whole thing and then you follow it and whatever you got a (unintel) place and uh, you can deal with them. What happened to the other stuff you L were gonna give me? E Which one? L The transmitter and uh

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E	Well I asked you if you want it and you tell me what am I gonna do with that?
L	No! I never said that.
E	Oh, that was the reason that I don't give it to you last time when we was talking. You remember?
L	Yeah.
E	I told you well I have it and you said well what I gonna do without you? I don't
L .	Oh, that doesn't mean I don't want it.
E	I can give it to you any time.
L :	Well if you don't wanna, if you don't want to hand it to me, uh, put it some place where we can pick it up or put it in the mail to me or something.
Е	To you?
L .	Yeah, if you want to. Whatever's easiest for you.
E	Well I don't know your address anyway.
L ·	I'm in the phone book in New York City.
E	Okay.
L	Or or mail it to the FBI New York.

Ε

(laugh) What I supposed to put? I have to use a code name or things like that, right?

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L .	Uh, just put uh, ya know, on the inside of the box write Omar.
E	No no, I can't do that.
L	(laugh)
E	No, because you know that you're gonna, one day you're gonna go to the court and you can use, you see the whole thing you was just taping now?
L	NO .
E	You can, I know you do it.
L	Why?
E	You you have to do it.
L	Why?
E	Because if you don't do that
L	I could've, I could, I could've had you caught a half hour ago if I wanted to.
E	I know, I know that, I know that probably they trying to (laughs)
L ·	No
E	Well uh, but uh, Bobby's there too?
L	Here?
E	Got to be there.
L	No.
E	No?
L	No. As a matter of fact he'd, if you can call him at home tonight, he'd like to hear from ya.

E (laugh) Uh, give him my regards. L You got his phone number? Ε Yeah I got it, got it. Yeah, he's a great guy. \mathbf{L} Just call him up and say hello. Ε No no L I called him today and said that you called and you were still alive. he told me to tell ya Ε Okay L wishes you good luck and he wishes you would come in and work this thing out with us, but uh Ε See Larry L You gotta do what you gotta do. Ε If I come in, so it's like the whole thing for you will be uh too narrow. See uh, L No it doesn't have to go that way. You're being narrow minded Eddie. Ε No no no. I have to be out. I have to move. I have to do things. I have . to uh, in order to approach other sources, all the people, I could make everything work easy for you. But don't don't don't think I'm trying to do this in order to get something, ya know, for me. Or for my people. My ah, No no no. I don't need nothing in that particular matter. The thing is I give you things in order for you to clean out the whole thing. And

uh

L

L I wish, I wish you would've done it about seven years ago Ε Well, I know. I know it's difficult because I know I broke the law in many places and uh, you know, I can't do nothing about it, so uh, I have to keep going. If I, I told you before I don't sorry. I didn't sorry about that. don't regret. L Yeah, I know. E know I have to keep going. Maybe one day you will be a glad I'm going this and we'll keep doing. Because uh, that will be an extra, extra arm that you will have. L Yeah, I know. Ε But uh L If, ya know, if you would, if you would uh, if you would come in, help us resolve your case and the case with these other two, the judge I'm sure would talk to you about a break and you could probably be back out as a free man without having to worry about looking over your shoulder within a reasonable amount of time. Ε I know, that's what I don't have. L Ya know? You don't have, you don't have the freedom that you need now. Ε Well uh, no hundred percent but uh, I like to have some freedom.

Yeah but that, Eddie, you know that's

not gonna last the rest of your life.

E

I know but uh, I hope, I hope it's allowed me time enough to prepare my part of the thing I've been doing and uh, hit the island that's what I'm doing. Prepare things to go to the island and leave the whole thing here for you. So when I do that you can't touch me anyway. That's my destiny. I gotta go there and if I die, so I doing that's it. That's my main course since I start the whole thing.

L

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L

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L

Ε

L

What are you

What I don't want ou see it's still here, I started getting dizz; around here and fighting and the vicious circle and sometime you don't know where you really are, ya know.

That's a (UNINTEL).

You know your enemy isn't on my side?

Huh?

I want you to know your enemy is not on my side.

Well, that's, I'm trying to believe heart, with my heart, ya know, like uh, if I, I mean if I go down because you guys have to do things your way and I get destroyed by that, so, I don't think like we'll lose anything but my life or my uh, probably my freedom. But uh, on the long run, the loser will be you guys. And you will see when the history comes you will see that will be true. Because uh, you have to destroy this, it's an ally probably. The only one you really have it.

Yeah, I understand that.

Not now, but before we met before we met I told you I will rule what is and how they will play and how we will feel and how the way we are see the country going down little by little, and how they getting power, the other sides and uh, how the Chited States is going down slowly, slowly and losing ground. That's depressing. L Yeah but Eddie, you're not gonna fix all the world problems by yourself and neither am I. E I know that L If if if you, if if your people and my people are gonna work together to, we can do a better job together than we can with you calling me from places that I don't know where you are. You know what I mean? E Yeah but you know that problem where it is now? L What? E You are soldier right? You're soldiers And you are hell of a good ones. But what happens when you go straight up, you gonna meet your bosses. L Yeah. And they are the pain in the neck. L (laugh) E Oh really. Yeah but my bosses E You go up, up, you wanna find out someone up unstairs, all the way up who uh, who I don't know which side it is, maybe uh they, maybe you .inkfrom the right side, and maybe is don't. And maybe he don't see things clear like it's supposed to be.		
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L

Yeah but my bosses at least will let, will give me a chance to explain it to em. They'll listen to the soldiers. We're not totally military types, ya know?

Ε

Uh huh.

L

Uh, you remember my bosses that I met, that you met before

Ε

Uh huh.

L

They'll listen to us. If I went in and said hey wait a minute, let's do it this way, they'll listen to me. I'm not saying that they're gonna do everything my way or Bobby's way

Ε

Uh huh

L

But they'll listen to us and they'll uh, base their decisions on that.
Because they know that the soldiers know your soldiers and your people the best. And that they don't. And that they have to give us that opportunity to let you explain the situation and let us explain it. I'm not saying it's gonna be easy, but I'm not saying it's, it's impossible either, because it's been done before. And I've done it before.

Ε

Larry, I remember one thing when I was there. One of your bosses told us, told me in fact uh, you know, maybe he saw my face, he saw something in my face and he told me, hey, I hope you don't regret to come to see us and I saw him and his eyes and I said well I hope not, but uh, at that moment I started thinking about things when I geta inside the, of the, of the. let see if I can, I cannot find the right

E (cont)	word uh, the machine, your machine
L	Yeah.
E .	And uh, I said my God, I step inside and they gonna crush me, they don't they don't gonna realize what I really did and uh, I know as soon as they gonna up and they gonna crush me because they won't understand the whole thing.
L.	I I wish, I wish, I wish you would've mentioned that to me instead of listening to your friends and taking off because I think I could've explained it a lot better than your friends could've.
Е	Well uh
L	Because that's not the way it was going.
E	See but all the things when I was in the hotel here and uh, I don't know I got a feeling like when I was in the room, I don't know I got a feeling like the other guy would try to tape things or make fun of me, ya know, I got some bad feeling about that so, I feel like a,
L	Which guys?
E	When it was in Florida, remember?
L	When we were down there with ya?
E	Right.
L	Yeah.
E	And uh I was in the room and I got some strange feeling. Remember I told you I got good feeling, so I, ya know, I feel something on my back I don't like and that that, last afternoon I was there.

L Yeah. E And I don't know, maybe, I'm talking to you now maybe you can, maybe you say if I was wrong or not, but, for yourself. L Well you have to, you have to go with your feelings Eddie. Ε Yeah and I feel like, like if someone try to tape record on me or playing something to strangle on me. I feel, I feel uncomfortable. L Yeah. Ε And uh. L I wish you would've said something to me. I could've changed it. Ε Yeah, I don't know and uh, you know, really I feel bad about it but that afternoon I feel well maybe what they try to do is, I give the whole thing, they say forget about this, ya know, pull me aside and uh, ya know L It wasn't, it wasn't going that way Eddie, that's what I'm trying to tell E That's the feeling I got that day so uh, and after that I went out with a couple of guys and someone else tipped me off about things and I said, "whew." So uh, they convinced me and they ya know, try to, they told me well if you go in, everything went down because we're not prepared right now to uh, to hold the whole thing so uh, and it was, it was true. So uh, I realized I need more time and uh, that's what I did. So uh

L Well I want, I want, if you don't believe anything else, I want you to know (noise in background) Drown that plane out. Ε I can't hear you well. Huh? L Hold on. I'm waiting for that plane to get out of the way. Ε Jesus, okay. L Can you hear me? Ε Yeah. L If you don't believe anything else, I want you to believe this. Ε I believe you L Things, things happened the way they did when they did not because they were going to happen anyhow, but because you never showed up again. And we had to take some drastic action that we weren't crazy about taking. Ε Uh hmm. L And that's what really botched up the whole, the whole thing.

didn't want to arrest those guys that day. We wanted to continue to work with ya. But you went and talked to your buddies, they convinced you to go, and we had to do something because we knew Remon and them were gonna get away from us. And if they got away Eddie, you know as well as I do that myself and everybody else and Bobby, in the eyes of the public, would've, would've been bad because my public who looks to me to protect them would've said you let these guys get away.

L

Ε Yeah. L And I, I owe that to the public. To take guys like Remon and Sanchez and Garcia off the street. You're a, you're a different person than they are. I'll, I understand that, Bobby understands that. Nobody else in the entire case or in history will ever Nobody else in this understand that. But I know it, you know it and Bobby knows it. E Well, I'll tell you \mathbf{L} History will show what you were, what these men were, and if you and I never see each other again, if I have anyth a to say in the course of history, I'll say it. But I hope to hell this whole thing doesn't cost you your life or your family. Cause it's, it's not worth it and it's something that can be worked out. But that's only a decision that you can make Eddie, not me. E Well unfortunately I have Uh huh. to keep going and, ya know, but those guy uh, because I know the system, the system probably they will be out. L Huh? E Because I know the system, those guys will be out anyways. .L Yeah. Ε Because uh, you never nail really the bad guys so they always got a whole other way. But that's why sometime I think it's better for us like uh, like I told you the silent force, they kill, things like that?

Yeah.

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Ε

And uh nobody appreciate, or maybe some, someone appreciates if they don't know what happened exactly, but uh, sometime we do a better job that way than the road to the justice and uh, do things through the justice because uh, otherwise the bad guy have a edge or the power to get away, ya know.

L

The bad guys only get away Eddie because other people let em get away.

Ε

They too powerful.

L

Who?

Ε

They are too powerful.

L

Who's too

Ε

The bad guys. You see, you see, eh, I have, see, you take myself for instance, right? I have to fight, you don't believe, you won't believe the way I have to a, to be fighting all these eight years in order to survive. Not only myself, but the organization too. I have to fight with so many guys and so many powerful people that are trying to destroy the whole thing and, because the way we are, the way we do things, we are the way, you know?

L

Yeah.

Ε

And uh, they use that power. First they will try to bribe, they try to pay our ways, so when they see that we don't, we don't go for that, so they see us as enemy. And that's what we are now. And I'm glad that way.

L You mean Remon and those people? Ε Eh, no Remon and those people they are part of that too, but uh, I'm referring to other guys with the more power means L Oh Ε I refer to guys which have crossed our ways and when they tried to help us in the beginning and later when we found out what they really are so we spread it right? That mean when we discovered the real things, we become the natural enemy. So we don't declare war on each other because uh, they know things the way it is now and uh, that's the other part we try to survive. And those, those are the guy who have been changed the course of the whole thing in the community. Those are the guy who buy people, who I, who buy power, eh, political power, those are guy who buy economy power, you know, things like that. L Yeah. Ε And believe me, you won't believe if you see the inside of the whole thing. And that's the truth, that's the truth. Remember, remember earlier when you L were, when you told me today that there was some other people looking for you? Ε Yeah. L After I hung up from you I started thinking about it. Ε Uh hmm.

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L	Uh, did we get to, this man you said we talked to.
E	Yeah you
L	Within the last two weeks?
E	The last two or three weeks you get this guy and you touch him. Just a little bit
L	Yeah.
E	So he get scared.
L	I'll tell you who it is.
E	Huh?
L	Wanna know who it is?
E .	Yeah. Uh huh.
L	Was it Enrique Castro?
E	What do you know about him?
L	That's the man who we touched in the last two or three weeks.
E	Well
L	He's a, he's a drug guy.
E	Uh huh.
L	I know that.
E	Not too many guys know that.
L	Ha, you'd be surprised.
E	No uh, I'll tell you one thing about

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L	I know one thing. He was very nervous when we talked to him.
E	You see one other thing here. You got a guy which in a way long long time ago worked for the company. Right?
L	You mean Enrique?
E	Right.
L	Yeah.
Е	And uh, he got a lot of friends and 90 percent, 98 percent of those guys they work for the CIA.
L	Yeah.
E	When uh, you know, whenthe CIA activate a lot of Cubans before
L :	Yeah.
E	They throw them away later, but uh, those guys managed to a, get power, the power they get at that time, you know the relations they got,
L	Yeah.
E	They got connections. So, but you got this guy. He was brought from Ochoa. Ochoa brought him to the organization.
L	Oh yeah?

Uh huh.

Ε

L

Yeah. As a guy who, to give us some financial support.

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E	So in the beginning he give us a hundred dollar, two hundred, three hundred you know. But uh, he started like that.
L .	Yeah.
E .	And uh later, uh, he was interested and get more deeper and uh they (unintel) with the organization and ah, well uh, (Change to Side Three on tape)
L	Yeah,
E	through Cchoa. Later, he tried to get in touch with me. Uh, that arrangement was made later and we met. So, you know, he tried to impress me with the money.
L	What do you mean?
E	You know, like uh, well uh, you know, like he got a big business as a jewelry. He has jewelry. He make business with gold. Right?
L	yeah.
E .	I don't know if you, if you, Larry, let me tell you something
L	He has a new store in New York City now.

yeah.

I can't remember.

Ε

L

E

No no he got, well, now, on 47th Street?

Yeah because before he got two or three in a what it was

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L .	In San Miguel,
E	Right. Right. But uh, I can't remember the street where it was before.
L .	Uh, Clinton.
E'.	Right Clinton, right. 69 Clinton right?
L	Yeah.
E	Okay, yeah. There, there I was, the place where I was. In fact when you asked me about uh, not you, when the authority asked me about where I was the day that I get the ticket?
L	The day, the day
E	The day I get a ticket in, around the embassy?
L	Yeah.
E	Uh, the phone call I was making, I was making a phone call to him.
L	(laugh)
E	Really, see, but I don't wanna get, him get involved with that.
L	Who were ya, how come?
E	Well uh, why? I don't wanna do that. So I got some jewelry for my personal and for my sister and I wanna sell it to him because we needed money. and uh I went there and, I tell him well uh, I got some this jewelry and uh, believe me, he gave us, he gave me I don't think it was a hundred dollars. And uh, well, that's another story.
	Back to him, uh, when he uh was brought to the organization?

Yeah.

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Uh, well he started, ya know, making promise that he got somebody else. That he will be able to see other people in order to get money for us, ya know.

Yeah.

Well, I like that. I say okay, go ahead. If you can protect the organization and if you are able to do that without you getting involved with anything, you know, and _nobody know you really are, if you can do that well, that's alright. That's the way we do things, ya know. You see somebody and say well the organization need donation and that's the way we do things. And uh, well, that's what he was doing until later on when he knew we was, ya know, always needed money for keep quiet and uh, and uh, well he started giving us ideas. So, that's when I started I don't like that. But he was, ya know, he was started approaching things. He was testing me. So he know we don't do business in the drug things. I tell it clear to him and to nobody else, we don't touch shit like that because we kill the guy on the spot if that thing happens.

Yeah.

So he got scared. So he switched the whole thing for another, ya know, for another ways. But, I found out later, uh I meet a guy, that guy was from a, from the Nationalist Movement. That guy told me he was working for him. And that was the day when I find out who was Castro. That Castro was a guy who was the head of a group who contact from Bolivia, contact on a, oh geez, Colombia. He's a

E (cont)	head on Florida of the guy who bring the dope from these places. And he told me the whole thing. And I was so stupid. When I knew the whole thing, the whole operation, I went there and told him.
L	Told who?
E	I told Castro.
L ·	Oh.
E	I was stupid that way. And I told him hey, I know what are you doing, I know who you dealing with and he went so white, and he scared like hell, and he told me well, you know, well you know and then start shaking and I say well, what about it. Let me tell you, we don't want you continue do things like this no more, so you out of the game. So uh,
L	Oh, you threw him out.
E .	Yeah, see he got mad. Then I went to, I see another guys and tell what happened. And he had the reputation. And that's why he will be my worst enemy. He think I don't know. He think I'm, he think I am his friend ya know.
L	Oh.
E .	Let me see, let me see if I express myself well.
L	Yeah, he thinks you're his friend but uh
E	He think I am thinking he's a good one.
L	Yeah.

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E	Do you have the whole thing? I don't know.
L	Huh?
E	I don't know if you have the, if I have expressed myself correct.
r .	Yeah. Yeah, I know.
E	What I mean is he think I think of him like a good guy.
L	Yeah:
E	You know, like he's my friend. Which is not. I know he tried to uh, he's the guy who will try to manipulate another, another ah, export we got when we got the company built. Or we got the, our company here where we make business in Central America?
L	Yeah.
E	Uh, I found out he got some problem from the relation with someone else he strangulate those other soldiers.
L	Oh yeah?
E	Yeah.
Ĺ	Is he still in drugs?
E	yeah.
L .	Cocaine?
E	Yeah, that guy got millions of dollars.
L	Yeah.
E	Oh boy.

Does he have a partner named Vidal?

L

E	Is he a young guy?
L	I don't know.
E	Well who, what's the name?
L	Vidal.
E	Fidel?
L	Vidal, like "V," like victory.
E	Vidal?
L	Yeah.
E	I could have the whole thing, because uh, I believe I uh, in fact I talked to uh, to someone here last week.
L .	yeah.
E	And he cried to me that they got business before and the guy is strangling him. And I tell you right now who's the guy. The guy was my ex-partner, Gonzalez. Remember Gonzalez?
L	Ignacio?
E	Right. That's a good guy and he never do nothing wrong, believe me.
L .	yeah.
E	But they started doing business in Guatemala and places and uh, because of relationship between Gonzalez and me, he got Gonzalez by the neck and strangulate, economical.
L	Oh.

E

And uh, that's what, yeah economical. That's what the only thing he can do it.

L

You mean Enrique did.

E

Right. And uh, and uh, he told me what happened. And I said well I told you before you, you was a very close friend of him and you trust him and you believe in him, I told you the way he was operating, I told you the way he was and you won't believe me.

Now you pay the consequence. You gonna lose the whole thing like uh, we lose the whole thing in the beginning because he was the guy who was strangulate us from the, get uh, ya know, legally get uh, ya know, money from the import and export business.

L

Yeah.

E

That's the, that's the whole truth. He's the guy who got the powerful connection which I know which he got the connection. And he know I know, because he tried to, to bribe someone else from the organization and the guy was a loyal -to me and he told me the whole thing.

L

Oh yeah?

E

Oh boy. See I got very loyal men.

L

Yeah.

E

Oh yeah. That's the mistake many people make. They think they can, ya know, because sometime the people get a struggle and in order to survive economical, they think because they got money they can buy peoples and uh, go against me.

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L ·	Yeah.
E ,	They got burned a lot of time, believe me. Cause I think they never come back.
L	So
E	Friendship and uh, because when you spend time with the person around you and you play things together and when you go together, risk your life together and you know, work together in too many things and uh, it's more than a friendship. It's like a brotherhood and so many people don't be like that. The thing is they don't know who exactly is around me and that's what I play. See, now I know when I broke up I know you gonna go to look around my, the people you know because I know the first thing you gonna take was the record of the telephone company. So I throw away a couple of people in order to divert you guys and uh, ya know, sometime I can (unintel).
L	(laugh)
E	No, well I have to do what
L	Well listen, let me, you didn't divert us too good. You know why?
E	Yeah.
L	Because when you were in town when the Mexican Consulate got bombed?
E	Yeah.
L	You called Enrique Castro from the hotel.

Did I call him?

Yeah ya, yeah.

E

L

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E	From where?
L	From Holiday Jetport.
E	I don't remember.
L	Yeah it was in your telephone records buddy.
E	Oh yeah?
L	Yeah.
E	Oh well probably
L	You know what happened?
E	Yeah?
L	We, we knew that you called him right?
E	Uh huh
L	And uh, his wife's name is Clara.
E	Uh huh.
L	Cedano?
Е	No, I don't remember the name.
L .	Yeah, Clara. Well anyhow, we went back about two weeks ago and we, ya know, we were trying to fix up some, talk to people that, ya know, that we missed.
E	Uh huh
L	So we went back and we talked to Clara, his wife. And she said uh, she got all nervous and she said that Enrique was in Hong Kong.
E	Yeah he went, in fact he went to Hong Kong.

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L	Yeah.
E	I know that because those guys told me.
L	Oh yeah?
E	Yeah, he went to Hong Kong. He got
L	Business?
E	yeah, yeah. Is that what he said?
L	No, I'm asking you did he go to Hong Kong for business?
Е	Well he move around
L	Yeah.
E	So uh, he got to to you see
L	Anyhow
E	He had to, he had passport he went to someplace with a passport. So there he switched someplace else
L	Oh
E	Before you miss the train. That's the way they operate. That's the way you you see the entry, see, so you say well he went to here and no no no no. You go to one place and there they got another passport and they fly wherever they they gonna go.
L	Oh yeah?
E	And that's the way they do business. It cost me, it cost me a lot of hours to find out the whole thing.

Well anyhow, we we talked to Clara

E	Before I forgot. Do you know one thing and this is very important. Uh, last year he tried, I don't know if he did it or not, if you try to do something on this, be very careful because he know I know this. They tried to uh, he tried to uh, to uh, my God, to make a token for the subway, subway train.
L	Yeah.
E	Okay, uh, Florida they build a machine who make tokens.
L	Oh yeah?
E .	Yeah.
L	For what, New York?
E	Right. Falsi, how you call that, falsif uh?
L .	Falsification?
E	Right.
L	Who built that?
E	I don't know. I don't have knowledge of that because uh
L	You mean Castro's people?
E	Yeah. He came here and uh, at that time was a uh, last year, and uh, yeah, I remember that, last year and it was uh, trying to, they told me they they got a machine and uh, they will be, those machines will be making tokens for a, for a new tokens in New York.
L	Huh.

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E	So, one more, you know, you know the problem he got before, he he what do you say in English falsify
L	Falsified?
E	No but counterfeit, right?
L	Counterfeit.
Е	Counterfeit, right. Counterfeit uh relics.
L	Relics?
E	Right. Do you know he had the problem, he got caught in that? He got caught in uh, on uh, counterfeit relics?
L	Yeah?
E	Yeah. And uh, I don't know, it was someone from the a Treasury Department or was someone from the relic company. That's why he moved from the other side. Because the company wanted to sue him for a million dollar, I don't know.
L	Oh yeah.
E	Well, that is, that is his main buisness. One of his main business. Counterfeit, falsif of uh, of uh, for watches, of uh relics and uh, expensive ones.
L	Oh yeah.
E 	Ah, he goes. Now, you dealing with a monster. Cause you don't know the many faces of uh, see sometime
L	Does Ochoa know all about this?
E	No, no, I don't think so.
L	Oh, but Ochoa brought him in.

L

E

L

E

L

E

L

Yeah, but if he know couple thing or you know, he, I don't think he know the whole thing.

L
Oh

But I can, I mean I I have to be honest I don't know,

Yeah.

About this, ya know. I don't wanna tell you Ochoa is there. I don't,

No, huh?

I don't think so.

I know he, Ochoa help him in, in a papers with insurance, thing like that, you know.

yeah.

You know all the tricks from the insurance paper from the one car, to another to the person, you know, all those things?

Yeah.

That and the other thing they had a knowledge he didand uh, well back to the watches he make, and the other thing. The other thing he make too was uh, he loaned you money from Columbia. See, that's one thing he offered us one day. He told me he got a guy who got uh, I don't know was a fifty hundred, uh fifty thousand or one hundred thousand dollar there who make a switch. He he gave him a hundred dollar bill so the guy dump him with the small bills?

Yeah.

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E

And uh, he tell us, well, if you want money, he's the guy. But I got something and I don't like that. So uh

L

How long, how long ago did you throw him out?

E

I throw him out around uh, about two years ago. Two, two and a half years ago. They take him a year. They got mad before that, because he had, he got, he got, I think more than almost two and a half years. And uh, you see, I exactly don't throw em away. So, because when I do that Ochoa throw him in power, ya know?

L

Yeah.

E

In the beginning he say why you do that? He's a guy who helps a lot so, Well I said okay, well if you, and I got Ignacio too was help, was good friend with him. Ignacio, he don't know nothing about this. And I test Ignacio if he had knowledge what happened.

L

Yeah.

Ε.

And I know he know, he don't know.

If I was surprise him when I told him, what he really was doing. You won't believe it.

L

Yeah.

E

I have to, I have to go somewhere else. And I tell him well, what do you wanna tell me now? He said Goddamnit, son of a bitch. He looks like a lamb but I see what he was. Well, I said, well that's the many faces he use. Uh, he got, he's a guy who got power for friend and a Union City politics.

L

Oh yeah? Valdevia?

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E .	Yes
L	Those people?
E	And before he got Musto?
L .	Yeah.
E	But you see when you talk to this guy you have to be very careful.
L	Yeah.
E	Because when I give you information, alright?
L	Yeah.
E	They got a leak, so you don't know what the hell, the fire gonna, you don't know where they gonna throw you a rock.
L	Yeah.
E	You know what I mean?
L	Yup.
E	Sometime you say well, we watch from one side, the truck came from another side.
L	Yeah.
E	Because you don't know who is for you damaging?
L .	How does he get his drugs?
E	How. Okay, uh. Okay. They got, they got connection, hey, now I remember now. You know Alvin Ross?
L	Yeah.

E

Well Alvin Ross working close to him.

L Oh yeah. E Oh yeah. Do you know Alvin is coming back. L I heard. E You heard right? Well, I can give you a name and a guy which working with Alvin Ross, moving drugs now, right now. L Who? E Okay. Do you know a guy named uh, named uh, let's see, Tony Ibarria L Yeah. E Alright. Then you got one of the guy. And you know the guy who worked uh, who is the, the chief of Tony Ibarria? There was a guy who I met here was uh, let's see if I remember, was Manuel Hernandez or Fernandez. L Yeah, I know who he is. E That guy have uh, he's a big boss, alright? L Yeah. E I mean Fernandez, Fernandez or Hernandez, I can't remember, I don't know which last name he got. L He a Miami guy or New Jersey? Ε Well, he had the family in New Jersey in Elizabeth. Well this guy came one day to us in order to uh, to us to help him, because he got some problem

shot him.

with someones, some of his friends who

	
L	Yeah.
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E	Right? And uh, he told us if we can help him, he give us uh, a reward.
L	Yeah.
E	No what I mean was he give us a donation
L	Yeah.
E	Right? And uh this guy was brought for for Alvin Ross.
L	He what?
E	Alvin Ross was the guy who was brought to me this guy.
L	What guy?
E	He made the connection, uh, Manuel Hernandez?
L	Oh, okay.
E	Okay, Alvin bring this guy and he told me well, this is Manuel and he want do business with you. I said what kind of business. Well, he said, no no no no don't worry about, it's not what you think. So, well you know, the way we play. Then he said uh, well, he got some problem, I hope you can help him. But, uh, they was talking before. Manuel and Alvin right?
L	Yeah.
Е	And they agree upon uh, and uh, Jesus you got one of your guy right here now (laugh)
L	Huh?
E	You got one of your guy right here now.
L	No.

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E.··	Uh huh, yeah, I know. No they, I'm gonna try. Listen, and uh, geez they have no shirts. why do they use those those black tire. They use a,
L	(laugh) Eddie, that's not my, that's not my guys.
Ε	No (laugh)
L	(laugh)
E	Oh my God.
L	The drug guys use those cars too ya know.
E	Oh yeah?
L	Yeah.
E .	No no no no no. No, they, they those guys are police already. I know. Well I can spot in a mile. Okay, forget about that. Listen, and uh, did I get away from what I was talking to you?
L	Well, let me ask you something?
E	Because I was like (unintel). I was, I got away too fast.
L	No, you were talking about Al Ross introduced Manny Hernandez to you.
E	Right. And this is a conversation which only two people know about it.
L	Yeah.
E	And, ya know, if you do something about it, I would like you to be very careful about it because they, they, they will know then I the guy who gave all the information.

L

E

L

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E

Don't worry about it.

Okay, uh, when Alvin talked to me, they told me it will be, it will be, it will be made arrangements for this guy and uh, I have to give him a 20 percent of the donation the guy make, right? And the guy give us, or give me fifty thousand dollar, alright?

Mow.

Alright. On the spot. So uh, I give him ten thousand dollars.

Ross.

Ross. Right?

Uh hmm.

And he split. And he wanted more money later, I said get the fuck out of here man because I don't know what the hell you're trying to pull. Ya know, because he knew this guy, the guy got problems, then uh, I talk to the guy I say what is the problem. Then he explain me that he got problem with Castro too, and uh, he know we was friend of Castro and he wanted to fix that problem, ya know?

Yeah.

Then I tell him okay. That we decided no problem at all. But what about, so, so what else you got. Then he told me uh, well uh, I got a guy who shot me and robbed my drugs and robbed my money, and ya know, I wanna get that guy and uh, uh, he say kidnapping, but I know kidnapping is very dangerous work.

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L	(laugh)
E	But he had told me well, you get the guy and, ya know, hold him in a place where I can get him.
L	Yeah.
E	The guy was loosing. So uh, well we play around and uh, the guy never appear. And uh, we was tracked down the address they gave us and we spending about 15 or 20 days looking for the guy and, to another places and uh, we find out more guys involved in that thing and we took pictures from everybody and uh, ya know, that's, that's where the fill come from.
L	Was, is Al Ross in drugs now?
E	Yes, he do that
L	With Enrique Castro?
E	And uh and uh
L	Ibarria?
E	Yeah, yup, Ibarria is the, is the guy who is working with him.
L .	With who?
E	With uh, with uh,
L	Castro?
E	Ross
L	Oh. But they all work for Enrique Castro
E	No no no. They, they, they work separate.
L	Separate?
E	Yeah separate. I don't know the way they do business. They got the sources different and I don't know if (unintel)

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L	So their, their drug business has nothing to do with Enrique Castro?
E	With who?
L	With Enrique Castro's drugs.
E	Yeah they, they were. Sometimes they fight for, they fight when they got problems in the beginning they fight for uh, oh, for territory, ya know.
L ·	Oh.
E	Because sure they they think they big Mafiosos, ya know.
L	Yeah.
Е	But you laugh about it.
L .	I I'd, I'd, I would love to put Al Ross in jail for drugs.
E	Oh well, you could you can have anytime you want it.
L	How?
E	(laugh) Well, with a little time, you will catch him with the stuff and uh, because the guy who is giving the whole thing to him is uh, is uh, Tony Ibarria. Alright? And uh, you got one guy who is close to close to uh, to, to Ross, and that guy is, uh, I can't remember right now. See, I wasn't prepared for this.
L	Oh.
E .	So that's why
L	Is
E	I remember, <u>Cucu</u> , <u>Cucu</u>
L	Leon?

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E	No. Cucu. My God.
L	Cucu Leon?
E	No. Could you spell Leon?
L	L E O N.
E	No no. I don't think it'sthat guy. But I might, maybe I remember later. See, like I told you before, I got a file of those things and uh,
L	Well what is Cu
E	(Unintel)
L	What does Cucu do? Supply, supply
E	Well he he's the connection and uh, see, that's the guy who sometimes get things from Castro,
r .	Oh
E	And from from, uh from Tony.
L	Oh
E	You know he takes from both sources.
L	Yeah.
E	And sold to the, to the, ya know
L	Yeah.
E	Uh, that's the guy who build a build big things there. And uh, let's see if I can remember one things. I got a list. Were you surprised I, by talking to this guy Fernandez.
L .	Yeah.

E	He give me a list. And I got that list.
L	Oh yeah?
E	Oh yeah. So that list got a name and phone number from different persons from Miami, from California, from different places. So there was six or eight million dollars where we supposed to collect. You know what I mean?
L	Six million?
E	Right
L	(whistle)
E	Oh yeah.
L	Goddamn. I'm in the wrong business.
E	(laugh) No no, please please.
L	(laugh) No, I'm just kidding.
E	Yes, you're on the right track. Uh, and uh, when he was a head of this we ask him well what do a, how about the way we do things. He said well if we don't care and the way we do, you gonna get, I think it was 35 percent of the collect money you got you know. Those guys owe money to him. He's afraid to go there because what he, what what happened before with him, he got shot? He scared. He's uh, he's uh, he's like a sissy, ya know.
L	Yeah.
E	He's a coward.
L .	Let me ask you something? Does, did
E	You know what I did to this guy?
L	Huh?

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E	You know what I did to this guy?
L	Who?
E .	To Hernandez?
L	What?
E	Well, one day he asked me to uh, to if I can find him twenty, twenty machine guns?
L	Yeah.
Е	Because he wanna send it, he want it sold to some, he wanted it for his people.
L .	Yeah.
E	I said okay. That will cost you uh, uh, it was a thirty thousand dollar thing. So I said oh no problem. Then we start making connection and uh, we saw the guy and uh, I sent someone and get the, the yeah, it was twenty thousand dollar, they gave us as a down payment right?
L ·	Yeah.
E	But I found out later that mother fucker wanted the guns for South America, for Columbia, for M-19?
L	Yeah.
E	And I said what? No way.
L	Wow
E 	So, we keep the money. And I tell him where I got it. If you got balls, come to see me because I don't got, I don't gonna give it to you.

(laugh)

L

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E	(Unintel) So uh, he's waiting for that delivery. He gonna wait a lot. Mother fucker. Now what
L	Where, hey Eddie, where does he live now?
E	Well, he lives in Elizabeth.
L	Oh he does, he lives in Elizabeth.
E	Elizabeth, New Jersey, he move around.
	(Change to Side Four in tape.)
E	Send it over here, he gonna collect all his money. Right now he's in Panama.
L .	Oh, Manny Hernandez is?
E	Right. I know he is in Panama. And uh, see, he had a plan of uh, get the whole thing, the cash he got here?
L	Yeah.
E	He have a lot of million dollars. And he plan to get out of country.
L .	Oh
E	Because he got scared of the heat you guys brought here with the (unintel). Florida and uh, in Miami and New York. He shit. Now, he move the whole thing, the whole operation from Florida to New York.
L	Now?
E	Now they got the base there. That's where you got the whole thing now. In you area.
L	Hmm.
E	Now, about this Castro guy. He's working on a factory. So the last thing I heard was they working on a, make the shit here in the United States. Sometimes here in

Miami, sometimes in someplace else. I had a guy, it's not, it wasn't a friend of mine, someone brought to us and uh, ya know, he like, so instead of whe whe's doing he tells us well, I'm sorry what I'm doing now, but uh, it's no way to live but uh, I don't like it, ya know, all that shit. L Yeah. And uh, but he told us that he like the (unintel) and he like to do something about it, unfortunately he don't have money now, right now, because, you know, he no, he, he used to have a a a big business and that thing before L Yeah. But he get caught and his wife get the whole thing and, I mean someone set, set up him and uh, put him in jail, ya know. Yeah. And the other guy s get the whole thing. L Let, let me ask you something. L Uh huh. You know this whole thing about Castro and drugs and everything. Well probably he, he was the guy who a, give you couple hundred, thousand dollar and uh, send someone to try to get me.		
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L	Why cause you know too much about him?
E .	Oh yeah. And uh, he know probably is if I uh, if I know that he try to do something so I got, my people get him before.
L	Oh
E	So I know he started the whole thing already.
L	Oh you do?
E	I know. Yeah.
L	You heard that?
E	Oh yeah. See, that's the edge I got. Cause I got people in many places and uh, and uh, I know.
L -	How much did he offer for you?
E	Well, I couldn't tell you right now. I don't think uh, but uh, probably around fifty, seventy-five.
L	Geez, you're worth more than that.
E	I know.
L .	(laugh)
E	I know.
L	Times are tough ya know?
E 	Yeah. I know. But uh, I know what he's trying to do. Probably he will try to uh
L	He's trying to get you out of the way so we don't interfere with his drug business.

business.

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E	Right. But, see, see the the edge we got? Nobody knows, nobody knows I've been talking to you.
L	Yeah, I know.
E	And nobody knows this what I, see, you know what I told you long time ago, the last laugh.
L	Yeah.
E	Well, I don't know if you understand what I mean.
L	Yeah, you'll get the last laugh.
E	Right.
L	Yeah.
E	Uh, see because I got so, so many enemies, so I have to do something about it.
L	Yeah.
E	So, if anything happen, someone gonna pay for that.
L	Yeah.
E	So, my own people are gonna take care of that if, if I can't do it. But if anything goes because you know the money and those guy havea, when I mentione seventy-five thousand it could be hundred, two hundred thousand and that's no, it's not enough money to them.
L	How did you, how did you find out we talked to Castro?
E	Well
L	Through your friends?

He called someone.

E

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L	Oh,
E	Someone he get scared. He talked to someone else there in fact he say something about the phone calls and then I thought it was uh, I never realized it was from the hotel. I thought it was from when from my home there. When I was living there in New Jersey?
L	Yeah.
E	I called to his house a year or two before.
L	Yeah.
E	So he wasn't there and uh ya know get the record?
L	Yeah.
E	And uh, that's where uh, you get that from the record. But he mentioned, he mentioned that phone call. I know what it was. But what I know is uh, he sent someone to try to get me. That's all.
L	Oh yeah.
E	Oh yeah, I know that.
L	Does he know where you are?
E	Well uh, like I told you before, he bought someone. He pay someone See, unfortunately, the situation is very bad. So, no everybody come, uh, let's see if I can say this, see, no everybody can hold straight.
L	Yeah.
Е	Someone get hungry and uh
L	Yeah, I know what you mean.

E

And right now I know who is uh, ya know, but I am not sure right now. But, everything pointed to that particular person.

L

Who do you think it is?

Ε

No, I can't tell you that because

L

Ya can't tell me?

Ε

No I have to be sure. I don't wanna make a false, ya know.

L

Alright.

Ε

But uh, Larry, if I know who is exactly with the proof, but I always take, you see if I don't have, if I don't have the proof, I don't say anything.

L

Yeah.

Ε

I'm the kind of guy, I don't go to, for false things. See one of my successful thing inside the organization is all our, uhm, all we have a proof and or we have a witness so when the someone try to uh, to uh, do false testimony against me or against someone else inside of the organization in order to destroy it.

L

Yeah.

E

Someone, always I have the manage to bring the witness of, in my actions, ya know, and I've been clear to now. That's why I'm telling you now, for the record and from the bottom of my heart, I'm clean. You know what I mean?

L

Yeah, I know.

E

My hands never touched anything and I don't let nobody from the organization do that because I tell you, it's all on fact.

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L	Yeah.
E	I don't have to worry for that. I feel like I'm doing for a, something for society.
L	Yeah.
E	I don't know.
L	Listen.
E	Yeah.
E	Yup.
L ·	Umm
E	It gonna cost you a bundle.
L	Yeah, I know I'm gonna
E	It was
T -	When you call me back again?
E	I don't know. Tomorrow I'm gonna meet uh, tomorrow I do deep. Tomorrow I go-na see two or three guys. I gonna play with them. I have to get inside of them. Those guys are another people powerful people. Drug dealer. I tell you that.
L	Yeah.

E

But those guys, they keep away from me and uh, those are very powerful guys and uh, once I got him in my hands, I got everything on the hands, but this guy, uh, destroy your whole thing. Ya know? And I can have right now anything. And that is to get the son of a bitch again and uh, because that other guy who is close to uh, to Castro, one time they

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L	What Castro?
E	Uh, Enrique.
L	Oh
Е	See this guy gonna tell you name, alright?
L	Yeah.
E	Probably, this is the most powerful alone. Because this guy is the guy who got connections in politics, they got connections in the police, they got connection in all levels. Alright?
L	Yeah.
E	And I know thison of a bitch got drugs stashed some place. He got connections in weapons and cash and lot of things because he scared the move you make here. And he got it someplace else. He's hiding. Tomorrow I will see someone in order to get, try to get an appointment with this guy. You know what I mean?
L	Yeah.
E	The name of this guy is Lara.
L	Jesus?
Е	No, Edgardo. E, Edgardo
L	Yeah, right.
 _ <u>E</u>	Lara. L-A-R-A.
L	Pagmatistas.
E	No no no no. This guy's no politician. He's not the guy you thought. Oh, this Lara's different.
L .	A different guy.

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Е	A different guy.
L	Alright.
E	This guy work very quiet, very softly, but he got a well well organized organization.
L	Where's he live, Miami?
E	Yeah. But I don't know. Before I got it. He slipped through my finger. And uh,
L	Why did he destroy everything?
E	Who? No, the guy who destroyed the thing was one of my guys. Because I got the record of this guy, ya know what I mean?
L	Oh.
Е -	I got a record from Lara.
L	Yeah.
E	And uh this guy, when you came too close?
L	Yeah.
E	He destroy the whole thing. So there I got, I got tapes, I got cars, you know, I got names of (unintel)
L	You mean of Lara's operation.
E	Right. Yeah, what I heard.
L	Yeah.
E	And uh, I make a file on him. And he's very dangerous. Very very dangerous. And he's a powerful guy who got a, when I was, when I was talking to you the guy here in Miami, I don't wanna meet nobody from Miami,

I was thinking of him. Because he's E (cont) the guy who got a lot of connections I even know because he showed me, he showedme he got connections here. L yeah. E See one day I need a, I need a passport and uh, I mean not passport, I need a, I need to get out of the country and uh, he fixed my, my passport, my re-entry. L Yeah. In a week, less than a week. He got someone in the Immigration or someone Ε else. He usually met with big guys. He got guys in the government. He's a guy who got uh, he know many peoples in South America, Central America, Generals, Presidents, and he's a guy here who nobody knows because he always maintain the low profile. And uh like uh, like uh Is he an old timer? L Ε Huh? L Old guy? Ε No he's a young guy L Yeah? Ε See, here was a war against the old guys and the new guys. L Oh E So the new guys took over because the old guys they got a bad reputation, that's what I heard. So uh, ya know, we was making search and uh, we have almost everybody that we know in file. L yeah.

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E	That was part of our hobby. Everybody who is Cuban and we know was related in the thing like that.
L	Yeah.
E	Well I sent a guy with the van and inspecting the place and ya know follow everybody come in come out and the place and the car , ya know
L	Yeah.
E	All that things. Like I told you, we got everything under control in order to give to someone who really want to do something about it.
L	Yeah.
E -	But the example shown me where to give, to who to give uh, because the way this guy was moving around and uh, this is the guy who is on the laundry. This is the guy who is only in the laundry money.
L	Yeah.
E	Move around 90, 90 million dollars a year. And his (unintel) is around 50, 70 million dollar what he got right now.
L	Wow.
E	Stashes it someplace else. He's a very powerful man.
L	Hmm.
E	Uh, you look him and he looks like a bum in the street. Because he switched now.
L .	Yeah.

E	He got big mansion so he switch, because he got scared of the heat. Now he's moving around and I lost his uh, the last thing where he, ya know, because they protect each other.
L	Yeah.
E	They, ya know, they sometimes they move is place where you can't reach him.
L	Yeah.
E	And uh, in order to, Jesus, hold it.
L	What's the matter Ed?
E	Two guys just coming. Alright. Well, was uh. It looks like my two anyway.
L -	It's not my guys.
E	Well I stand in place.Jesus I look like target practice.
L	(laugh) Hey , you're doing pretty good.
E	Huh?
L	You're doing pretty good.
E	Well, I like it anyway. Ah well Larry, you don't know the things I know. You remember when I told you one day if pull the chain
L	Yeah.
E	If I pull the chain a lot of guy go down?
L	Yeah.
E	Well my man. That's the truth. And they know it.
L	Yeah.

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E	And the the pretty thing of this is uh, they can't do nothing about it.
L	Let me ask, let me ask you something.
E	Yeah.
L	If something happens to you,
E	Uh huh
L ·	Will somebody get in touch with me or Bobby about all this stuff?
E	No. No because I don't talk about this with anybody. Because it's too dangerous.
L	Oh.
E	See I kept all this thing to myself. See I get, see I send a guy to uh, when I send one or two guys to do a investigation?
L ·	Yeah.
E	Well those guy go there and play the check up and make uh, ya know, the whole thing. They give it to me.
L	Yeah.
E	And I take care of that. So, I uh, I make a study of that and put em in place and uh, ya know, make a file, profile on that.
L .	Well listen, do you
E	The rest of the company don't know nothing

about it.

could go to?

Yeah (laugh).

Do you have, do you have any of your own papers or records anyplace that I

L

E

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L	In case anything happens to you?
E	Yeah I have it. Yeah I have it that. But if you go there you would have easy chief
L	Have everything else.
E	Well, you probably have a lot of things more
L	(laugh)
Е	Whole hell of a lot
L	So, so you're obviously you're not gonna tell me where that place is now.
E .	No, but uh, well if I'm really, really really really dead, right?
L	Yeah.
E .	I might thinking and get someone to uh, and give them your number and it go person to person.
L	Yeah.
E	To you. But that person has to be sure that I'm dead.
L	Yeah.
E	When I'm dead so all the information goes to your hands. Okay? I'm gonna promise you that.
L	Alright.
E	Alright?
L	Alright. Listen, in the meantime,
E	Uh huh.
L	If you can find out who that girl is

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E	Uh huh
L	That's important.
E .	Okay.
L	And the other thing is if you can find out again anything more about that gun or where that barrel is, that's important.
E	Okay.
L	And the other thing is, if you have that transmitter,
E	Uh huh
L	Make arrangements to get it to me.
E	Directly to you right?
L	Yeah.
E	Okay, I gonna send it to you.
L	Uh, do you have a pencil with ya?
Е	No no
L	No?
E .	I should have it. I thought maybe I need it, but uh.
L	Well listen, here, just keep this in mind.
E	Uh huh.
L .	My address is in the New York City Telephone Book.
E	Uh huh.

I live on East 69th Street.

East 69th?

L

E

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L	yeah. In Manhattan.
Е	Okay.
L ·	So, I'm in the phone book.
E	Okay.
L , -	So you can get the address, all you gotta do is remember my name,
E	Yeah
L ·	East 69th Street, New York City, and it should get to me.
E	Okay.
L	I live in apartment 4-B as in Boy.
E	4-B
L -	Yeah.
E	Okay. Okay Larry.
L	Um, those are some of the things that we need. Maybe we can make this case with Pedro and them without you.
E	Alright.
L	Alright?
Ε .	Uh hmm. Uh, I'll let you know?
L	No, just uh, give us, give me a call or give Bobby a call. We'd like to hear from you.

Okay I will try to uh, I'm gonna to a keep working on that thing to give you more specifically uh proof.

Yeah.

L

E

Because uh, you don't do anything with me talking. What you need is proof.

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L .	Yeah.
E	Uh believe me, if here, supposedly I have uh, I know where someone have a stash of things. Many many time happen before. But we don't, we don't care about that ya know.
	Yeah.
E	Do I call you?
L	Oh yeah.
E	Alright. You'll take care of that right?
L	Yeah.
E	Okay.
L -	Listen, let me ask you something. You remember you said before that Pedro and Sanchez had explosives?
E	Right.
L	Do they still got em?
E	Yeah. They have it.
L	Do you know where it is?
E	No, I've been trying to uh, to uh, to get in touch with the guys who know something around them, who been around those guys. But no no, they they got it well ah, you know secure place. I don't know.
L	Yeah.
E	I don't know exactly.

L

E

It would be nice if we can find that

we can really

If I know I tell you.

L	We can nail them to the wall.
E	I wish I have, I would have some, something else to help that matter.
L	Listen Eddie, Bobby and I are always around if you need help in anything, call me.
E	Thank you, thank you. Uh, no one thing sometime worth to me once in a while, probably you do, but once in a while you talk to the guys from Florida
L	Yeah.
E	Uh, check the house, my house, once in a while.
L .	Yeah.
E -	You know, go around to the house, ya know.
L	Alright well I'll be, I'll I'll I'll tell you what. I'll call Miriam, but I won't tell her I talked to you.
Ε .	Uh huh.
L ·	I'll just call her to see how she's doing and I'll have the guys in Miami go to the house once in a while.
E	Okay. I appreciate that Okay?
L ·	Alright.
E	Okay Larry.
L 	Give me, if you can Eddie, call, call me or, well call Bobby if you get a chance. He'd like to say hello to you.
E	No, but not tonight.
L	Alright, I know.

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E	No.
L	But if you can
E	Call him and send him my regards.
L	Alright.
E	Thank you.
L	Um, if you can, if you can call me back in about a week or so,
E	Uh huh.
L .	Um, I'd like to hear from you again.
E	Alright. Do you want assurance of what I told you now or you gonna, you got the whole thing?
L	No I
E =	That's alright, that's alright.
L	I got the whole thing.
E	I know. But uh, work on that please. It will be worth it.
L	I will
E	I, I didn't tell you a lie in anything.
L .	no, I know. Here's listen. Keep this in mind. I need to know where they hide their drugs and stuff like that.
E	Yeah.
L	Ya know?
E	Okay Uh,-yeah-sometimes-they
L	If you hear, call me.
E	Yeah, I'll do that. Uh, probably I willca you in a week or so.
L	Okay.

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E	Okay? As long as you promise me like tonight, I don't see so far nothing. We can keep, uh, have communication.
L .	Hey Eddie if I was tracing this call, I could've had
E	I know, I know long time ago
L	I could have had some, I could've had you an hour ago.
E	I know that. Okay uh, Larry.
L	Alright?
E	Okay.
L	Merry Christmas to ya.
E	Okay. Merry Christmas to you too.
L .	Take care of yourself.
E	And you too, bye.
L	I'll see ya.
E	Bye.