

Anti-Castro Cubans in Jersey Say Officials Ignore Terrorists' Threats

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As Federal investigations continued into bomb explosions Sunday night at Kennedy International Airport and at two sites in North Jersey, spokesmen for anti-Castro Cubans in New Jersey contended yesterday that their warnings of terrorist threats had long gone ignored.

The Federal Bureau of Investigation said it was seeking two known fugitives in its investigation of the explosions.

The Rev. Andres Reyes of the Holy Family Church in Union City, N.J., told a news conference held amid the rubble of a bomb blast at a Cuban group's storefront headquarters in nearby Weehawken that the F.B.I. and local authorities had "done nothing" in response to his reports of "at least" 10 death threats.

One of Two Jersey Targets

Father Reyes and Eulalio Jose Negrin, director of the New Jersey Cuban Program, which is concerned with refugee problems, said law enforcement officials knew the identity of the terrorists but took no action.

The Weehawken location was one of two New Jersey targets for the bomb blasts that followed the explosion at the Trans World Airlines terminal at Kennedy airport. The other was at Almacen El Español in Union City, a company that ships medical supplies and other goods to Cuba.

Police Chief Herman Bolte of Union City denied the allegations of neglect and said police protection had been provided "every time it was asked for."

Investigation 'Going Forward'

The F.B.I. said its investigation of the explosions, which were said to be the work of Omega 7, an organization opposed to the Cuban government of Fidel Castro, was "going forward according to plan."

The bureau has identified the two men it is seeking as Virgilio Pablo Paz y Romero, 27 years old, and José Dionisio Suárez y Esquivel, 40. Both men have also been named as conspirators in the construction of a bomb that killed Orlando Letelier, former Chilean Ambassador to the United States, in 1976.

A separate investigation of the Kennedy airport explosion, which slightly injured four airline workers, is being con-



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Virgilio Pablo Paz y Romero

ducted by the Federal Aviation Administration to determine whether security regulations were violated. The flight bag that contained the explosives blew up on a baggage cart moments before it was to have been loaded onto an aircraft.