

EXILES ASK HELP FOR 3 CAPTIVES

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Many Miami Cuban exiles vowed Sunday to launch a worldwide campaign to save the lives of three young Cubans from Miami who were captured Thursday and charged by the Castro government with trying to "infiltrate" the Caribbean island.

Officials of many Cuban organizations — political and non-political — said they support a call by Alpha 66, a Miami anti-Castro organization, for international help to spare the men's lives.

The groups include the Miami Latin Chamber of Commerce, a businessman's group; the Directory Revolutionary Anti-Communist League, an anti-Castro political organization; and Accion and Los Pinos Nuevos, community-oriented organizations.

In addition an Alpha 66 spokesman said it would seek the support of Abdala, a group of anti-Communist youths, the College of Lawyers in Exile, and other exile groups.

Alpha 66, which said the three men are members of the group, said it would send telegrams today to the presidents of Venezuela, Costa Rica, Mexico and Colombia, and to the United Nations Commission on Human Rights asking their intervention.

"We are prepared to launch a worldwide campaign to save the lives of these youngsters," said Andres Nasario Sargen, of Alpha 66. "We are asking all humanitarian agencies, even the Red Cross, to voice public outrage."

Nasario said Cuba may spare the lives of the men "if all the countries of the free world ask that these political prisoners are allowed to be heard from and treated humanely."

"**WE ARE** mobilizing all Cuban revolutionary groups, all combatants against Castro," Sargen said. "This will be the largest protest Cubans have ever organized."

Luis Manuel de la Caridad Zuniga, 23, of 2465 NW 15th St. and Feliciano Miguel Sales, 23, of 1455 W. 28th St., Hialeah, were arrested Thursday aboard a boat in Cuban waters near southern Cuba.

Rodolfo Camps Verdecia, 25, of 1065 SW Eighth St., was arrested in the coastal town of Santa Cruz del Norte, northeast of Havana, where Havana Radio said he was waiting to be picked up by the other two.

The Cuban government said the men had been arrested in the past for trying to escape the country illegally. Zuniga and Camps had served time in prison for trying to escape the country before both escaped the country and piloted a boat to Miami Jan. 28. Sales swam to the U.S. naval base in Guantanamo in July after serving four years in prison for anti-Castro activities.