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NO FOREIGN DISSEM/CONTROLLED DISSEM

COUNTRY CUBA

SUBJECT POSSIBLE PLAN BY CUBANOS
A SHIP

~~DINGEMAN~~

REPORT NO. TDCSDB-3/658,109

~~DUNGAN~~

DATE DISTR. 28 NOVEMBER 1963

~~EBERLE~~ TO HIJACK

~~FORRESTAL~~

PRECEDENCE PRIORITY

~~JOHNSON~~

~~KILDUFF~~

REFERENCES IN 69483

DATE OF INFO. 17 NOVEMBER 1963

~~KLEIN~~

~~KOMER~~

PLACE & DATE ACQ. UNITED STATES, MIAMI (22 NOVEMBER 1963)

~~SCHLESINGER~~

APPRAISAL

~~SMITH, WM. Y.~~

FIELD REPORT NO.

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SOURCE A MEMBER OF A GROUP OF CUBAN EMIGRES TRAINED IN THE TECHNIQUES OF INFORMATION COLLECTION. THE GROUP HAS PROVIDED USEFUL REPORTS FOR OVER TWO YEARS.

1. ON 24 NOVEMBER 1963, CUBANOS LIBRES, AN ANTI-CASTRO ORGANIZATION, PLANNED TO HOLD A FUND RAISING DINNER AT THE "LE TRE VENEZIE" RESTAURANT, 472 WEST 9TH AVENUE, NEW YORK CITY. AS PART OF THE FARE AND IN RETURN FOR THE \$3.50 PER PERSON CHARGE, MEMBERS OF CUBANOS LIBRES WHO HAD PARTICIPATED DURING ACTIONS IN CARDENAS BAY IN OCTOBER 1962, AND AGAINST THE ARECHABELA REFINERY IN JUNE 1963, WOULD SHOW FILMS TAKEN DURING THESE ACTIONS.

2. ON THE BASIS OF CONVERSATIONS HELD WITH VARIOUS MEMBERS OF CUBANOS LIBRES IN NEW YORK, IT WAS LEARNED THAT THE FUNDS ARE BEING RAISED TO SUPPORT A PLANNED HIJACKING OF A VESSEL, SIMILAR TO THE

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INCIDENT OF THE PORTUGUESE VESSEL THE "SANTA MARIA". THIS PLAN WILL PROBABLY ORIGINATE FROM MIAMI AS A STAGING POINT.

3. FIELD DISSEM: CINCLANT, CINCSO, COMNAVKEYWEST, MIAMI REPS STATE, BORDER PATROL, USCG, FBI, I&NS, CUSTOMS.

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