

Guillermo:

Estaré de regreso el día
14 de agosto. Voy a Miami, y
dedicaré el tiempo suplemento a
lo de Townley (que Dubin quiere
en detalle) en cuanto a lo que se
refiere al tipo éste específicamente sin
ampliar detalles que no agorran la
tesis de Dubin. Townley estuvo en Fla.
antes de establecerse en Chile. ¿Pasó
por New Orleans? ¿Estuvo en
el Truth About Cuba Committee?
(donde estuvo Lee H. Oswald) ¿Le
conoció? ¿Hay records en el
Apdo. de Mica? ¿Hay fotos?
¿Hay huellas digitales? ¿Son
comparables a las de Oswald?

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¿Conoció a Hunt? ¿Hunt a
él? ¿Y por qué hay un Townley
envuelto en Watergate? ¿O no
es el mismo? ¿Y si es el mismo
quién le dio el carnet de periodista?
¿Fue periódico?

(Podemos establecer un vínculo con
la CIA en 2 semanas más.)

Voy a regresar para usar los
últimos días de vacaciones en
D.C. Ahora ya tengo listo un buen
canal para ver muchos datos
es por de tu caso, y del resto.
en general. Hay un reportero en el
Star a quien hay que ver de
~~los~~ modos. — El tiene fotos de
Townley —
Sherr,

Ramón

TO: The American Press

*Envíase a 100 periódicos del este
+ oeste en E.U. y
al Club de Editores
en Wash, D.C.*

THE CASE AGAINST THE NOVO BROTHERS

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The case against two Cuban exiles, Guillermo and Ignacio Novo Sampol, is not a new event in the recent history of continuous persecution by the Carter Administration of Cuban exiles who insist in criticizing the regime of Fidel Castro.

The Novo brothers are innocent of the charges made by the state. They are not, however, innocent in what respect to condemning Communism in Cuba and Castro's regime in that island. For that, the Novo's as many Cubans in exile are guilty as charged by Moscow.

To be determined by the American Press are a few points which deserve evaluation:

1. Did Fidel Castro request the Carter Administration that something be done about two distinguished Cuban leaders--Guillermo and Ignacio Novo Sampol--as a show of "good faith" in negotiations conducted in Havana between the two governments?
2. Was Orlando Letelier an agent of Castro's feared Directorate of National Intelligence and its foreign branches?
3. Was Letelier also an agent of the C.I.A. and thus ordered to be executed by Castro?
4. Or was Letelier an agent of the K.G.B. and ordered executed by other foreign spy ring?
5. Why has the press not investigated Letelier's personal conduct throughout the years; his political connections, his enemies here and abroad? Why only investigate Cuban exiles?
6. To what extent were Dr. Henry Kissinger and former President Richard M. Nixon involved in the overthrow of the government of President Salvador Allende, and thus, were they connected by implication with the death of pro-Marxist leaders in Chile and abroad? Why not investigate Nixon and Kissinger?

- The case
Novo brothers
certainly
children
7. To what extent should the press investigate Letelier's involvement with the daughter of Salvador Allende who sent money to him while in Washington? (Allende's daughter was announced to be dead through suicide in Havana) What was this money for and how would a Chilean exile save one thousand dollars a month while in Cuba?
- The
story
concerns
people
8. Why implicate the Novo brothers? Because they are anti-Communist, and anti-Castro?
9. Is this question clear enough, or does it deserve further analysis and research:

Is this persecution an official policy in conjunction with Castro's presence in African countries and his withdrawal in exchange for 'peace' for the Communist regime in Cuba at the cost of the Cuban people's right to be free and independent?

*A 30 editores de la costa
este y oeste, incluyendo los más
leídos diarios del Centro.
(una 2da carta soldada para julio)*

June 8, 1978

Dear Editor:

This letter is geared specifically to the case of Orlando Letelier's death and the need for your newspaper to conduct investigative research leading to uncover the reason behind the government's interest in involving Cuban exiles in such an international incident.


Mrs. Guillermo and Ignacio Novo Sampol have been involved by the prosecution in this case as a response to Mr. Fidel Castro's demands that Cuban exiles be curtailed in their public criticisms against the Soviet colony in Cuba. No doubt, the press can fulfill an important role in this case by investigating Castro's requests to the State Department.

The Novo brothers were never involved in such an incident. This will become clear as the government fails to present a case against these excellent Cuban exile leaders.

However, the press should investigate Mr. Letelier's connections to foreign spy agencies. It should determine Letelier's involvement with Castro's foreign rings, and with the Central Intelligence Agency. It should determine whether or not Letelier was connected with various foreign spy rings so that his death is not as simple-minded as the government wishes to present to the public.

I suggest that your newspaper investigate Castro's Plan "Z" geared to Chile's takeover by the Communists and whether or not, Letelier was part of such a plan and thus his death solved the possibility of uncovering Castro's designs at that point. At any rate, the Novo's are innocent and the press has the duty to dig into this story.

Sincerely,


Ramon L. Bonachea

Encl. Copies of all articles published about the incident showing all the contradictions published.

580 copies a Senator &
Congressional committee
etc

June 8, 1978

Dear Senator :

As you know, the Department of Justice is charging Cuban exiles with involvement in the assassination of Mr. Orlando Letelier, former functionary of the Marxist regime of President Salvador Allende of Chile.

Charges have been made against Cubans whose records in the struggle against Communism are clear and positive. Mr. Guillermo Novo Sampol was psychologically persecuted, then placed under arrest in Florida and charged with involvement in areas which are totally foreign to his character and good conduct. His brother, Ignacio Novo Sampol, was arrested without a warrant for his arrest; charged and placed in the District of Columbia's Jail. So was Mr. Alvin Ross placed under arrest.

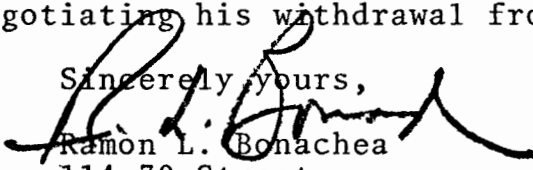
To date, the government's case against these Cuban leaders is at the very least as weak as strong is the apparent linkage between Mr. Letelier and a number of international spy agencies.

{ The Novo brothers are so feared by Fidel Castro's regime that their arrest suggests a determined policy on the part of the Carter administration to curtail the activities of Cuban exiles against Castro's Soviet colony.

Our specific request is that this evident persecution be investigated to the fullest extent by Congress.

Please request from the Department of Justice an immediate clarification of this case, and from the Department of State whether or not Fidel Castro has demanded such procedures prior to negotiating his withdrawal from African countries.

Sincerely yours,


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*Unida a 40 chairman
de corporaciones en negros
en C. Letelier para
preparar el Terremoto.*

June 9, 1978

Chairman

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As Chairman of the Board of Trustees of your corporation you would probably be interested in learning that anti-Communist fighters of Cuban descent are under heavy pressure by the Carter Administration throughout Latin America. As you also know, the difference between the final takeover of Latin American governments, and the maintenance of guarantees for your private investments in those countries is the presence of anti-Communist fighters.

With the death of Mr. Orlando Letelier in Washington D.C., several Cuban exiles were charged with involvement in such an event. Two of the most distinguished Cuban leaders in the United States--Guillermo and Ignacio Novo Sampol--were placed under arrest by the authorities; by all means the Department of Justice is trying to implicate them in the death of Mr. Letelier who by all reports appears to have been a triple agent of foreign governments.

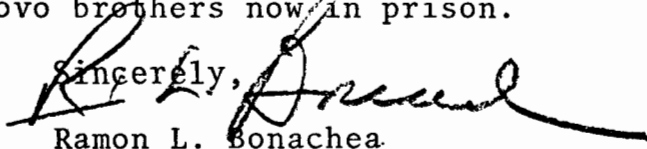
Mr. Ignacio Novo Sampol was arrested without a warrant, charged with crimes to which his character and reputation are totally foreign and placed in jail. Mr. Guillermo Novo Sampol, one of the most outstanding leaders of the Cuban youth in exile is also under arrest. Both have impossible to meet bails raised to over a quarter of a million dollars.

Your donation to the defense of these anti-Communist fighters will be greatly appreciated by all freedom-loving peoples in the world.

At this time we are not requesting that you make a contribution. Just to let you know of the possibility of how you and your firm can contribute to clarify the truth to protect these and other Cuban exile leaders.

In the near future a system will be worked out whereby you can contribute to their defense directly to the Novo brothers now in prison.

Sincerely,



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*A todos los presidentes de America
Latina, Ota a el ministro de
defensa salud por julio —*

9 de junio de 1978

Distinguido Senor Presidente:

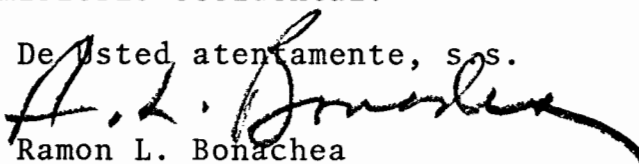
Como representante maximo de su pais, y como reconocido servidor de los principios Bolivarianos, es preciso que Usted se sume a la defensa de exiliados cubanos acusados injustamente por el Gobierno de los Estados Unidos.

Se trata de dos cubanos honestos, amados por nuestro pueblo, los hermanos Ignacio y Guillermo Novo Sampol, blancos del odio comunista, y chivos expiatorios que demanda Fidel Castro a los Estados Unidos para comenzar la mejoría de relaciones entre ambos gobiernos.

Las acusaciones de que son objeto, no han sido sustanciadas. Todo permanece en el ambito especulativo, violandose el principio de jurisprudencia internacional que demanda en los paises occidentales presentacion de pruebas, o retiro de la acusacion. So pena de torturas siquicas que no merece un inocente!!

Por su parte, representando su digna republica, podria Usted servir la causa justiciera solicitando del Embajador de los Estados Unidos de America ante su gobierno, un resumen detallado del proceso que se sigue contra los hermanos Novo Sampol en cuanto al hecho y forma en que representan un cambio de politica sustancial a favor del comunismo, y en contra de los intereses de vuestro pais como miembro de la familia del Hemisferio Occidental.

De Usted atentamente, s.s.



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*A c/Congresista. Envíado a su
Oficina respectiva —*

June 9, 1978

Dear Congressman

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As you know, two of the most outstanding Cuban exiles, Guillermo and Ignacio Novo Sampol have been charged with involvement in the death of Mr. Orlando Letelier, former functionary of the Marxist regime of Salvador Allende of Chile.

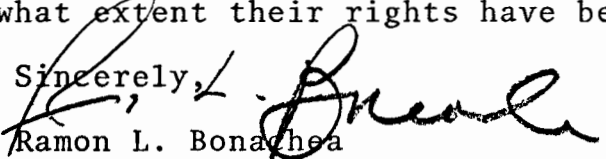
The absurdity of involving two Cuban youths with such an international plot demonstrates the desire of the Carter Administration to pay homage to Fidel Castro's demands that Cuban exiles be curtailed in their anti-Communist activities against the Soviet colony in the Caribbean.

Guillermo Novo is well known in this community. Never involved in an act of violence, Guillermo's conduct has been irreproachable. Ignacio Novo, highly respected in this community, is well known as a constructive Cuban who loves his country of origin. Both are good Cuban leaders whose main cause is the independence of Cuba from Soviet domination.

I am attaching copies of articles describing the death of Mr. Letelier, so that you can clearly see that the Novo brothers are not connected with such an incident. That all the charges are simply by association and implication of the press and liberal quarters in Washington, D.C.

As Congressman, I request that you inquire about the rights of these excellent Cuban freedom loving fighters and to what extent their rights have been violated.

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