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C O N F I D E N T I A L PORT AU PRINCE 1083

1. WE HAVE RECEIVED UNCONFIRMED REPORT FROM SOURCE OF UNDETERMINED RELIABILITY THAT FRANCISCO CAAMANO IS IN PORT AU PRINCE HAVING ARRIVED HERE ABOUT ONE WEEK AGO WITH THREE UNIDENTIFIED COMPANIONS. SUPPOSEDLY CAME BY AIR VIA MIAMI FROM UNDISCLOSED POINT OF ORIGIN.

2. REPORT GIVEN EMBASSY BY ONE MARIO GUZMAN CABRAL, DOMREP BUSINESSMAN RESIDING IN RIO PIEDRAS, PUERTO RICO, WHO WAS PRESENTED TO AMB BY DOMREP AMB FAUSTO GUZMAN (NO RELATIVE BUT FRIEND OF LONG STANDING APPARENTLY). SOURCE STATED THAT FOR SOME YEARS HE HAS KNOWN FRANCISCO CAAMANO'S COUSIN, CESAR CAAMANO, AND THAT LATTER REGARDS HIM AS FRIEND AND MISTAKENLY AS POLITICAL SYMPATHIZER. ACCORDING SOURCE, CESAR CAAMANO, WHOM HE SAW IN PUERTO RICO SEVERAL DAYS AGO, CLAIMED TO HAVE JUST RECEIVED REPORTS OF HIS COUSIN'S ARRIVAL IN PORT AU PRINCE FROM ONE DR. FAUSTO MARTINEZ. SOURCE SAID MARTINEZ IS DOMREP COMMUNIST AND BELONGS TO PRO-CHINESE CAMP. MARTINEZ WAS APPARENTLY UNABLE OR UNWILLING REVEAL NAME AND NATIONALITY UNDER WHICH FRANCISCO CAAMANO TRAVELLING.  
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