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7. SOURCE: DUS 508-19-65, and from well placed unwitting sources.

1. (C) Source, a senior officer in the Army, states that the Rio de Janeiro Police were well prepared for any threat of subversion in Rio de Janeiro. They had carefully acquainted themselves with the facts concerning the manifesto of the intellectuals which had been published by the Correio da Manha, a newspaper of rather leftist tendencies. The distribution of this manifesto in the Largo de Sao Francisco during the students mass meeting resulted in the arrest and imprisonment of several subversive leftists writers and of an ex-Jango Goulart Minister, Engineer Helio Almeida, the arrest and imprisonment of port worker Manoel Jeronimo Dias, who was ex-Vice President of the Union of Port Workers, for having attempted to enter the port area of Rio de Janeiro against the order of the port commander Captain Oswaldo Lins. Captain Oswaldo Lins, by the way, was named as port captain a short time ago in order to prevent any subversive activity in the port of Rio and to resestablish order in the port area which has always been a focal point for red activities.

2. (C) Source reports that the police and the military were well prepared in advance for the student mass meeting and the attempt by subversive elements to take the meeting over, However, sourcesstates that nobody seemed to have been prepared for the more recent guerilla trouble in the south of the country.

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