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FM CIA WASHDC
TO RUCBCR/CG EIGHTEENTH AIRBORNE
RUCBCR/CG USA SPWARCEN FT BRAGG NC
RUCBCR/STRAC FT BRAGG
RUCCC/ARLANT FWD HOMESTEAD FLA
RUCDBG/ACIC ST LOUIS MO
RUCDALB/CINCONAD ENT AFB COLO
RUCDSQ/FTD WPAFB DAYTON OHIO
RUCKCF/COMPHIBGRU FOUR
RUCKCF/COMPHIBGRU TWO
RUCKHC/CINCLANT
RUCKHC/CINCLANTFLT
RUCKHC/LANTINTCEN
RUCKHD/CG FMFLANT
RUCKHF/COMPHIBLANT
RUCKUD/COMDR KEY WEST FORCES
RUCRC/ARLANT FT MONROE VA
RUCSBR/SAC OFFUTT AFB OMAHA NEB
RUCSBR/544TH AEROSPACE RTECHWG OFFUTT AFB OMAHA NEB
RUCVSM/4080TH SRW, LAUGHLIN AFB, TEXAS
RUEADX/COMDR TAC LAFBVA
RUEAHQ/HQS USAF WASHDC
RUEAHQ/DIA WASHDC/CIIC-3-A-2
RUEAHQ/DIA PROD CTR
RUEAHQ/JCS/J-2 WASHDC
RUEAJK/COM NINETEENTH AIR FORCE
RUEAJK/4444TH RTS SHAW AFB SC
RUECEM/CMC (CODE AO-2C)
RUECW/DNI WASHDC
RUEKC/JACE AJCC FT RITCHIE MD
RUEKC/HQS USAF (ADV) AJCC FT RITCHIE MD
RUEKDL/CINCSRIKE MCDILL AFB FLA
RUEKMJ/JACE AIRBORNE ANDREWS AFB MD
RUEKVDA/JACE AFLOAT NORFOLK VA
RUEPCR/DIRNSA
RUEPDA/ACSI-IW DA WASHDC
RUEPDA/AMS (AAIA)
RUHAFS/CINCUSARPAC FORT SHAFTER HAWAII
RUHLKM/HQ PACAF HICKAM AFB HAWAII
RUHPA/CINCPAC
RUHPB/CINCPACFLT PEARL HARBOR HAWAII
RULBCR/DIO 15 ND
RULGGCR/COMNAVBASE GTMO
RULGN/COMCARIBSEAFRON
RULGN/DIO 10 ND
RUWDG/COMPHIBPAC
RUWSCR/COMPHIBGRU THREE
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THE FOLLOWING IS FROM THE NATIONAL PHOTOGRAPHIC INTERPRETATION CENTER.
PRELIMINARY SCAN OF BRASS KNOB MISSION 3445, DATED 23
FEBRUARY 1963 REVEALS THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION ON THE PORTS
LISTED BELOW:

MATANZAS (1856Z)--TWO KRASNOGRAD-CLASS DRY CARGO SHIPS REMAIN
AT THE NEW WHARF. THREE HATCHES OPEN AND BOOMS SECURED ON SHIP ON
NORTH SIDE OF PIER. SHIP ON SOUTH SIDE OF PIER HAS ALL HATCHES
SECURED AND BOOMS ACTIVE. TWELVE BOXCARS AND ONE LOCOMOTIVE ON
WHARF.

[REDACTED]
HAVANA (1850Z)--FOUR LGOV-CLASS SHIPS, ONE KIMOVSK-CLASS AND
PROBABLE ORENBURG ARE PRESENT. ONE LGOV-CLASS ANCHORED IN HARBOR
HAS ALL HATCHES SECURED, BOOMS ACTIVE AND ONE SMALL CRAFT ALONGSIDE.
THE OTHER LGOV-CLASS ALSO ANCHORED IN HARBOR, HAS ALL HATCHES
SECURED, BOOMS ACTIVE AND UNIDENTIFIED DECK CARGO. LGOV-CLASS
AT MACHINA PIER HAS ONE HATCH OPEN AND BOOM APPEAR ACTIVE. KIMOVSK
IS ANCHORED IN HARBOR, TWO HATCHES OPEN, BOOMS ACTIVE AND ONE
LIGHTER ALONGSIDE. THE PROBABLE ORENBURG IS DOCKED AT BURRUS
WHARF. ONE HATCH IS OPEN AND BOOM ARE ACTIVE.

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[REDACTED]
SANTIAGO (1955Z)--NO SHIPPING OBSERVED IN CLEAR AREAS.

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[REDACTED]
TUNAS DE ZAZA (1918Z)--KASIMOV REMAINS ANCHORED 1.5 NM SW OF
PORT. FOUR HATCHES ARE OPEN AND BOOMS ARE ACTIVE. SIX LIGHTERS
ARE ALONGSIDE.

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[REDACTED]
CIENFUEGOS (1910Z)--TWO TANKERS ARE AT POL PIERS. FOUR
FREIGHTERS ARE PRESENT--ONE DOCKED, AND THREE ANCHORED IN HARBOR.
TWO AT ANCHOR HAVE LIGHTERS ALONGSIDE. OKHOTSK AND KOVROV ARE
NOT OBSERVED. SLITSK CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED.

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[REDACTED]
NUEVITAS AND PUERTO PADRE ARE CLOUD COVERED.

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