

**SECRET**

25 FEB 1963

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RSP	
GFC	OT
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O 230933Z  
 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  
 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

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GROUP 1  
 Excluded from automatic  
 downgrading and  
 declassification

Declassification Review by NGA/DoD

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RUHPB/CINCPACFLT PEARL HARBOR HAWAII  
RULBCR/DIO 15 ND  
RULGGCR/COMNAVBASE GTMO  
RULGN/COMCARIBSEAFRON  
RULGN/DIO 10 ND  
RULGN/COMPHIBGRU TWO  
RUWDG/COMPHIBPAC  
RUWSCR/COMPHIBGRU THREE  
DA GRNC  
BT

**S E C R E T** CITE CIA-Z-326  
THE FOLLOWING IS FROM THE NATIONAL PHOTOGRAPHIC INTERPRETATION CENTER.  
PRELIMINARY SCAN OF BRASS KNOB MISSION 3440, DATED 22  
FEBRUARY 1963, REVEALS THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION ON THE PORTS  
LISTED BELOW:

HAVANA (1520Z) -- THE ORENBURG, KIMOVSK, AND LGOV REMAIN ANCHORED IN THE HARBOR. THE BAYKAL-CLASS PASSENGER SHIP IS NO LONGER IN PORT. THE ORENBURG HAS FOUR HATCHES OPEN AND ONE BOOM IS OVER THE SIDE. ONE HATCH IS OPEN ON THE KIMOVSK AND THE BOOMS ARE OVER THE SIDE. THE TWO LIGHTERS REMAIN ALONGSIDE THE SHIP. THE AFT BOOM ON THE LGOV IS NOW UNSTOWED, BUT THE DECK CARGO REMAINS THE SAME AS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED. ONE OF THE OTHER TWO LGOV-CLASS SHIPS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED IS NOW DOCKED AT THE SOUTHWEST SIDE OF THE WARD LINE PIER. THE SECOND LGOV-CLASS SHIP REMAINS AT ANCHOR. THE DECK CARGO REMAINS THE SAME ON BOTH OF THE ABOVE SHIPS. A THIRD LGOV-CLASS SHIP IS BERTHED AT THE MACHINA PIER. THE BOOMS OF THIS SHIP ARE SWUNG OVER THE SIDE.

[REDACTED] MATANZAS (1513Z) -- THE TWO KRASNOGRAD-CLASS SHIPS REMAIN TIED UP AT THE NEW WHARF. THE HATCHES REMAIN OPEN ON BOTH SHIPS AND THE BOOMS ARE SWUNG OVER THE SIDE. ELEVEN BOXCARS AND A RAILROAD LOCOMOTIVE ARE ON THE WHARF ALONGSIDE THE SHIPS.

[REDACTED] LA ISABELA PORT (1326Z) -- TWO FREIGHTERS, INCLUDING THE LABINSK, ARE NOW IN THE HARBOR. THE THIRD FREIGHTER PREVIOUSLY REPORTED IS OBSERVED LEAVING THE HARBOR. THE LABINSK HAS TWO HATCHES OPEN AND THE BOOMS ARE SWUNG OVER THE PIER.

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[REDACTED]  
CIENFUEGOS PORT (1500Z) -- THREE FREIGHTERS ARE OBSERVED IN PORT. THE OKHOTSK AND THE KOVROV ARE NOT OBSERVED. THE SLUTSK CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED.

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[REDACTED]  
SANTIAGO DE CUBA PORT (1412Z) -- ONE LARGE TANKER AND ONE FREIGHTER ARE OBSERVED IN PORT. THE KARACHAEVO-CHEKKESSIYA CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED.

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[REDACTED]  
TUNASDE ZAZA PORT (1450Z) -- THE KASIMOV IS ANCHORED APPROXIMATELY 1.5 NM SOUTHWEST OF PORT. FOUR HATCHES ARE OPEN, SEVEN LIGHTERS ARE ALONGSIDE, AND THE BOOMS ARE SWUNG OVER THE SIDE.

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[REDACTED]  
NUEVITAS PORT (1352Z) -- THE KHIMIK ZELENSKIY IS TIED UP AT THE NORTH SIDE OF PASTELILLO PIER 4. THREE HATCHES ARE OPEN AND 14 BOXCARS AND ONE LOCOMOTIVE ARE ON THE WHARF ALONGSIDE THE SHIP. ONE BOOM IS SWUNG OVER THE SIDE.

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[REDACTED]  
PUERTO PADRE PORT (1359Z) -- THE KRASNOVRAD CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED. ONE FREIGHTER IS OBSERVED IN PORT.

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