

OPERATIONS STAFF ROUTING

FROM: [Redacted]

DATE: 1 MAY 1963

Sequence	Unit	
1	Chief, Ops Staff	14 May
2	Dep/Ch, Ops Staff	
3	Chief, OGB	15 May
	Chief, BB	
	Chief, PAB	
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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chairman, COMOR

SUBJECT: BRASS KNOB Coverage of Cuba

1. Attached are the following:
 - a. a table showing BRASS KNOB coverage of the COMOR Highest Priority Targets for Cuba during 1-8 May.
 - b. a table showing BRASS KNOB coverage of all COMOR targets during the same period.
 - c. a map showing the locations of the COMOR targets with arrows indicating those not covered during 2-8 May.
2. Two of the COMOR targets were not covered during 2-8 May. None of these was in the highest priority category. About 93 percent of the total land area of Cuba was covered by photography with 25 percent or less cloud cover.

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Attachment A to CWG-BK-24

BRASS KNOB Coverage of Highest Priority
Targets during 1-8 May 1963
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TARGET	DATES																															TOTAL	
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	SORTIES	DAYS COVERED
Siguanea Cruise Missile Site	1		1					1																								3	3
Banes Cruise Missile Site	1																															1	1
Santa Cruz del Norte Cruise Site	1			1			1	1																								4	4
Camilo Cienfuegos A/F	1	1						1	1																							4	4
Camaguey A/F	1			1					1																							3	3
Holguin A/F	1	1	1			1																										4	4
San Antonio de los Banos A/F	2	1			1	1	1	1																								7	6
Mariel Naval Base	1				1	1	1	1																								5	5
Banes Naval Base	1				1																											2	2
Cienfuegos Naval Base	2				1		1																									4	3
Santiago de Cuba Port	1		1	1																												3	3
La Isabella Port	1	2																														3	2
Caibarien Port	1	1						1																								3	3
Cardenas Port	1	2						1																								4	4
Casilda Port				1	1			1																								3	3
Matanzas Port	1	1			1		1																									4	4
Havana Port	1	1			1		1	1																								5	5
Guantanamo Area			1	1																												2	2
Pinar del Rio Military Camp					1		1	1	1																							3	3
Artemisa Military Camp		1			1	1																										3	3
Holguin Military Camp	1				1		1																									3	3
Remedios Military Camp	1							1																								2	2
Santiago de los Vegas Military Camp	1				1		1		1																							3	3
Torrens (Lourdes) Army Camp	1				1	1	1	1																								5	5
Limonar Military Camp	1	1			1		1		1																							4	4
Camaguey Military Camp	1								1																							2	2
			1	1																												2	2
Managua Ammo. Storage	1	1			1			1																								4	4
Bejucal Ammo. Storage	1	1			1	1	1	1																								6	6
	1	1			1	1		1																								5	5

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Attachment B to CWG-BK-24

BRASS KNOB Coverage of ALL COMOR
Targets during 1-8 May 1963

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	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	SORTIES	DAYS COVERED			
San Cristobal MRFM No. 1	1						1	1																										3	3	
San Cristobal MRFM No. 3							1	1	1																									4	4	
Guanajay ITRM No. 1	2	1					1	1	1	1																								7	6	
Segua La Grande MRFM No. 1	1	1							1	1																								4	4	
Segua La Grande MRFM No. 2	1	1							1	1																								4	4	
Remedios ITRM	1	1							1	1																								4	4	
San Cristobal MRFM No. 4	1	1					1	1																										4	4	
Guanajay ITRM No. 2	2	1						1	1	1																									6	5
Tapaste Storage	1						1	1	1																									4	4	
Santa Lucia SAM No. 1																																		0	0	
San Julian SAM	1			1	1		1																											4	4	
La Coloma SAM		2					1	1	1																									5	4	
Marciel SAM										1	1	1																						3	3	
Matanzas SAM	1	1					1			1																								4	4	
Bahia Honda SAM										1	1																							2	2	
Havana E. SAM	1						1	1	1	1																								4	4	
Cienfuegos SAM	1						1	1	1																									3	3	
Segua La Grande SAM	1	1								1																								3	3	
Caharian SAM	1	1								1																								3	3	
Sancti Spiritus SAM	1	1					1	1	1																									5	5	
Chaparra SAM	1	1					1	1	1	1																								5	5	
Los Angeles SAM								1	1	1																								2	2	
Jiguani SAM								1	1																									1	1	
Siguanea SAM								1	1																									3	3	
Manzanillo SAM								1	1																									1	1	
Manati SAM								1	1	1																								6	6	
Senado SAM								1	1																									4	4	
Chambas SAM																																		2	2	
Esmeralda SAM								1	1	1																								4	4	
Santiago de Cuba SAM	1	1																																3	3	

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Santiago de Cuba SAM Assembly Area	1																																	2	2
Deleite SAM No. 1		2					1	1																										4	3
Santiago de los Vegas SAM Area		1		1				1																										3	3
Ciego de Avila SAM	1	2	1		1		1																										6	5	
Deleite SAM No. 2	1	2						1																										4	3
Pinar del Rio SAM Assembly Area		1			1			1	1																									4	4
Ciego de Avila SAM Assembly Area			1																															1	1
Cifuentes SAM Assembly Area			1						1																									2	2
Victoria de las Tunas SAM Area			1	1				1	1																									4	4
Maldonado SAM			1	1																														2	2
Camaguey SAM	1	1							1																									3	3
Holguin SAM	1	1	1	1					1																									5	5
Managua SAM		1								1																								2	2
Majana SAM		1			1		1																											3	3
Siguanea Cruise Missile		1		1					1																									3	3
Banes Cruise Missile		1																																1	1
Santa Cruz del Norte Cruise Missile		1						1	1																									3	3
Sierra Cruise Missile		1		1		1																												3	3
Campo Florida Poss. Cruise Missile		1			1		1		1																									4	4
Guerra Poss. Cruise Missile							1	1	1																									3	3
Camilo Cienfuegos A/F		1	1					1	1																									4	4
Camaguey A/F		1		1					1																									3	3
Holguin A/F	1	1	1		1																													4	4
Los Canos A/F			1	1																														2	2
Preston A/F	1	1		1	1				1																									5	5
Siguanea A/F		1		1						1																								3	3
Antonio Maceo A/F		1		1	1																													3	3
Coronel Pascual A/F	1	2			1		1	1																										6	5
San Antonio de los Banos A/F	2	1			1	1	1	1																										7	6
San Julian A/F		1			1																													2	2

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Jose Marti International A/F	1	1			1		1																										5	5
Campo Libertad A/F	1				1		1																										4	4
Mariel Naval Air Station					1		1																										4	4
Playa Baracoa	1				1		1		1																								5	5
Managua A/F		1							1		1																						3	3
Col. Martin Marrero A/F		1									1																						2	2
Jaime Gonzales A/F	1	2			1		1		1																								6	5
Bayamo East A/F	1		1		1																												3	3
Pinar del Rio A/F		1			1		1		1																								4	4
Trinidad A/F	1	2		1	1		1																										6	5
Mariel Naval Base	1				1		1		1		1																						5	5
Banes Naval Base		1			1																												2	2
Punta Alegre Port	1	1	1				1																										4	4
Baracoa Port					1																												1	1
Cienfuegos Naval Base		2			1		1																										4	3
Manzanillo Port					1																												1	1
Moa Port					1																												1	1
Santiago de Cuba Naval Base	1	1	1																														3	3
Nuevititas Port	1	1	1				1	1																									5	5
Nueva Gerona Naval Port		1						1																									2	2
La Isabella Port		1	2																														3	2
Caibarien Port	1	1					1																										3	3
Cardenas Port	1	2						1																									4	3
Casilda Port	1	1			1	1																											3	3
Jucaro Port	1	1	1		1		1																										5	5
Santa Lucia Port																																	0	0
Matanzas Port	1	1			1		1																										4	4
Surigidero de Batabano Naval Port	1				1	1		1																									4	4
Havana Naval Base	1	1			1		1		1																								5	5
La Coloma Port	1	1			1		1																										4	4

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Cabanas Port					1	1	1																										4	4	
Bahia Honda Port						1	1	1																									3	3	
Puerto Padre Port Facility			1		1	1																											4	4	
Havana Commo. Site	1	1				1		1	1																								5	5	
Guantanamo Area				1	1																												2	2	
Manzanillo Military Camp					1																												1	1	
Pinar del Rio Mil. Installation						1		1	1																								3	3	
San Antonio de los Banos Mil. Stor.	1	1				1	1	1	1																								6	6	
Artemisa Army Camp			1			1	1																										3	3	
La Boca Military Camp						1	1	1	1																								4	4	
Bahia Honda Military Camp								1	1																								2	2	
Mariel Military Camp						1	1	1	1																								4	4	
Holguin Military Camp	1					1																											3	3	
Camaguey Military Camp	1	1						1																									3	3	
El Jucaro Military Camp	1	1				1			1																								4	4	
Remedios Military Camp	1							1																									2	2	
Alto Cedro Military Camp			1	1																													2	2	
								1	1	1	1																							4	4
	1	1				1	1	1	1																									6	6
Santiago de los Vegas Barr. BN 114		1				1			1																								3	3	
San Jose de las Lajas Mil. Camp			1			1			1																								3	3	
Torrens (Lourdes) Army Camp		1				1	1	1	1																								5	5	
Santa Clara Military Activity		1							1	1																							3	3	
Managua Mil. POL Storage		1							1																								2	2	
Imonar Military Camp		1	1				1		1																								4	4	
Camaguey Military Training Camp		1								1																							2	2	
San German DPO Caridad Finca			1	1	1				1																								4	4	
Largas Troop Concentration			1		1	1			1																								3	3	
Managua Military Inst.		1				1			1																								3	3	
El Cristo Military Area	1	1	1																														3	3	

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Santa Fe (Isla de Pinos) Mil. Area	1							1																										2	2		
Cayo Largo Island Military Area	1	1																																2	2		
Nazareno Military Area	1		1				1																											3	3		
Guanabo Military Area	1		1		1	1																												4	4		
Campo Florida Military Camp	1		1		1	1																												4	4		
Bajuravabo Military Area	1						1	1																										3	3		
Guanabacoa Military Area							1	1																										2	2		
Mestanza Explosive Storage Site	1	1			1		1	1																											5	5	
Loma de Tierra Military Area	1						1	1																											3	3	
Havana Area Military Camp	1	1			1		1																												4	4	
Guane Military Camp								1																											1	1	
Special Area Alpha	2	1			1	1	1	1																											7	6	
Special Area Hotel	1				1	1	1	1																											5	5	
Special Area Bravo Blue	2	1			1	1	1	1																											7	6	
Special Area Bravo Red	2	1			1	1	1	1																											7	6	
Special Area Victor	2	1			1	1	1	1																											7	6	
Special Area Tango	2				1	1	1	1																											7	6	
Landing Beach (Sibonsy)	1		1	1																															7	6	
Landing Beach (Playa Yateritos)			1	1																															3	3	
Landing Beach (Tarara)	2	1			1		1	1																											2	2	
Matanzas Landing Beach	1	1			1		1	1																											6	5	
Peninsula de Hicaros Landing Beach	1	2			1		1	1																											5	5	
Cienfuegos Landing Beach	2				1		1																												6	5	
Mar Verde Beach	1		1	1																															4	3	
Ensenada Colorado Beach	2		1	1			1																												3	3	
Playa Colombo	1																																		5	4	
Playa Flamencos	1		1					1																											2	2	
Playa Flamencos	1		1					1																											3	3	
Nicarao Beach	1		1	1				1																											4	4	
			1	1																																2	2
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Managua Ammo. Storage	1					1																												3	3	
Bejucal Ammo. Storage	1	1				1	1	1																										6	6	
Bara Jagua Storage	1	1				1	1																											4	4	
																																			1	1
	1	1																																	2	2
	1							1																											2	2
	1	1						1	1																										5	5
	1							1	1	1																									3	3
	1							1	1	1	1																								5	5
	1	1						1	1	1	1																								3	3
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