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COUNTRY BOLIVIA/CUBA/BRAZIL

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SUBJECT 1) CUBAN PROMISE TO BOLIVIAN EXILES TO STEP UP PACE OF REVOLUTIONARY ACTIVITY

2) POSSIBLE ASSASSINATION OF PROMINENT BOLIVIAN WITHIN NEXT FEW MONTHS IN RETALIATION FOR DEATH OF "CHE" GUEVARA

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SOURCE

1. RAUL ROA GARCIA, CUBAN FOREIGN MINISTER, ON HIS ARRIVAL IN THE UNITED STATES [REDACTED] CARRIED A VERBAL MESSAGE FROM FIDEL CASTRO RUZ TO THE BOLIVIAN EXILES IN THE UNITED STATES TO THE EFFECT THAT THE BOLIVIAN CONFLICT WOULD BE RENEWED. THE MESSAGE ALSO STATED THAT THE CUBAN GOVERNMENT NOT ONLY DID NOT PLAN TO CHANGE ITS PROGRAM OF REVOLUTIONARY ACTIVITY, BUT IT MIGHT EVEN STEP UP THE PACE OF REVOLUTIONARY ACTIVITY. ROA MENTIONED THAT TAMAYO (FNU), THE BOLIVIAN GUERRILLA, WAS STILL ALIVE. [REDACTED] COMMENT: THIS MAY REFER TO CUBAN LT. LEONARDO TAMAYO NUNEZ WHO IS KNOWN AS "URBANO."

5 11 OCTOBER 1967, "URBANO" WAS STILL ACTIVE AS ONE OF THE FOREIGN
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3 GUERRILLAS IN BOLIVIA. [REDACTED]
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2. A PROMINENT BOLIVIAN MILITARY FIGURE, POSSIBLY PRESIDENT RENE BARRIENTOS ORTUNO OR GENERAL ALFREDO OVANDO CANDIA, MIGHT BE ASSASSINATED WITHIN THE NEXT TWO OR THREE MONTHS, IN REVENGE FOR THE DEATH OF "CHE" GUEVARA.

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