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1. AT LEAST TWENTY SIX MORE SOVIET SHIPS CURRENTLY EN ROUTE TO CUBA. REFUGEE SOURCE REPORTS EQUIPMENT FOR SAM SITE PROBABLY MOVED TO ISLE OF PINES IN LATE AUGUST. ANOTHER SOURCE WITH CUBAN NAVY CONTACTS REPORTS MORE TORPEDO BOATS AND TWO TYPES ANTI-SUB SHIPS EXPECTED TO ARRIVE IN CUBA FROM SOVIET UNION LATE 1962 AND EARLY 1963.

2.

[REDACTED]

3. CONTINUING READOUT OF [REDACTED] MATERIAL OF 8 SEPTEMBER REVEALS SECOND CRUISE-TYPE SURFACE-TO-SURFACE MISSILE SITE NEAR PORT ARTHUR.

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4. SOVIETS HAVE PUT VENUS PROBE INTO PARKING ORBIT AND TRIED INJECTION OF VEHICLE INTO VENUS TRAJECTORY ON 12 SEPTEMBER. WE ARE NOT ABLE TO TELL AT THIS TIME WHETHER OPERATION HAS FAILED OR SUCCEEDED.

5. BRAZILIAN WAR MINISTER ORDERED ALL FEDERAL MILITARY FORCES INTO STATE OF ALERT ON MORNING 13 SEPTEMBER. ON PREVIOUS DAY THIRD ARMY IN RIO GRANDE DO SUL ORDERED INTO ALERT BY COMMANDER GENERAL JAIR DANTAS RIBIERO WHO SAYS THERE MAY BE AN UPRISING IF CONGRESS REFUSES TO GO ALONG WITH GOULART'S EFFORTS TO RESTORE POWER TO PRESIDENCY. REPORTS [REDACTED] SUGGEST GOULART MAY USE MILITARY TO SHUT DOWN CONGRESS. CIVIL WAR IS SUBJECT OF SPECULATION.

6. [REDACTED] DIED SUDDENLY OF HEART ATTACK ON 12 SEPTEMBER. I HAVE SENT CONDOLENCES ON BEHALF BOTH OF US AND AGENCY.

END OF MESSAGE

LT. GEN. MARSHALL S. CARTER
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