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MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT:

Preliminary Report--Cuba/Red China Involvement
in Promoting Violence in the United States

1. There have been no indications in the clandestine operations field that Cuba or Red China have engaged in promoting rioting or mass violence in the United States. In recent years, a small number of cases have come to the attention of this Agency and presumably a larger number to the Federal Bureau of Investigation in which Cubans have been recruited or co-opted to perform clandestine missions in the United States. The primary objectives of these missions have been, however, to collect information on U.S. Government plans and policy vis-a-vis Cuba, and data on the efforts of Cuban exiles to overthrow Fidel Castro. None of these operations were determined to have been targeted directly or indirectly at fomenting violence.

2. In the propaganda field, however, Robert Williams, a disaffected American Negro, broadcast a radio program from Havana called "Radio Free Dixie" which was directed primarily at the American Negro, inciting revolt and action against the Whites. Williams fled to Cuba via Canada about three years ago, and he was connected with the Revolutionary Action Movement, an extreme leftist Negro militant group in the United States. His broadcasts from Havana stopped about July 1966 and he has been reported in Peking since that time. (see report on next page)

3. According to a sensitive source, the Chief of the Prensa Latina UN office was instructed by the Havana office in June 1967 to contact Stokely Carmichael to obtain an interview.

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