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Latin American Trade Conference in Moscow

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1. We have not yet learned from you whether or how you were able to make use of the suggestions made in ref A. In view of the fact that this first story about the Moscow trade conference - further illustrated by the article we sent you with ref B - was meant to build up some background for the black operation initiated with HUL-A-793, we are very anxious to hear about your progress along these lines.

2. If you should feel unable to obtain adequate treatment of this matter in the local press and radio, we would have to play it much more strongly via SHERWOOD. Thus far, however, we have generally avoided to use the same texts for your outlets as well as for SHERWOOD, in order not to subject the newspapers and radio stations with which you are in contact, to accusations of "conspiracy" with SHERWOOD. It is therefore desirable in this as in any other similar case that you inform us by cable if, upon receipt of an editorial theme, manuscript, etc., you find that you cannot use it through any of your local channels - which you are in the best position to judge.

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JENNIFER C. DUNBAR

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