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UNSUBS: BOMBING OF CUBANA AIRLINES DC-8, NEAR BARBADOS, WEST INDIES,

OCTOBER 6, 1976, NEUTRAL ITY MATTERS-CUBA-WEST INDIES.

REFERENCE SAN JUAN NITEL TO BUREAU DATED SEPTEMBER >3, 1976,
CAPTIONED, "COORDINACION DE ORGANIZACIONES SEVOLUCIONARIAS UNIDAS

(COORDINATION OF UNITED REVOLUTIONARY OPSANIZATIONS) (CORU)

NEUTRALITY MATTERS-CHBA."

ON OCTOBER 20, 1976, A CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE PAST ADVISED AS FOLLOWS:

FROM A TRIP TO MIAMI WHERE HE CONFERRED WITH CORU MEMBERS IN THAT CITY, ADMITTED THAT CORU WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE BOMBING OF THE

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CUBANA AIRLINES DC-8 ON OCTOBER 6, 1976. CARRERA STATED THAT AS

FAR AS HE WAS CONCERNED THIS BOMBING AND THE RESULTING DEATHS, WERE

FULLY JUSTIFIED BECAUSE CORU WAS "AT WAR" WITH THE FIDEL CASTRO

REGIME. CARRERA CITED THESFACT THAT A WOMAN ABOARD THE CUBAN AIR
LINER WAS A RELATIVE OF ONE OF THE CORU MEMBERS AND THAT THIS WAS

REGRETTABLE BUT THAT SUCH PERSONAL TRAGEDIES WERE NOT IN ANY WAY

GOING TO STOP CORU FROM CONTINUING ITS ACTIVITIES AGAINST E

CUBAN GOVERNMENT. CARRERA INDICATED THAT CORU WAS PLEASED TO SEE

THE PUBLICITY GIVEN THE ALLEGATION OF U. S. GOVERNMENT INVOLVEMENT

IN THE BOMBING BECAUSE SUCH PUBLICITY HAS SERVED TO TAKE SOME OF

THE "HEAT" OFF OF CORU.

CORU IS MADE UP OF FIVE ANTI-CUBAN TERRORIST ORGANIZATIONS.

IT WAS FORMED IN SANTO DOMINGO, DOMINICAN REPUBLIC AND IT IS
REPORTEDLY HEADED BY DR. ORLANDO BOSCH, A UNITED STATES FUGITIVE.

CARRERA STATED THAT THE BOMBING OF THE DC-8 HAS CAUSED SOME SERIOUS DEBATES WITHIN CORU AND IT IS NOW APPARENT THAT AT LEAST ONE OF THE MEMBER "ACTION" GROUPS WILL WITHDRAW FROM CORU. FOR THIS REASON, CARRERA STATED, THE DISTRIBUTION OF THE NEW CORU BONDS WHICH HAD BEEN APPROVED BY MIAMI CORU MEMBERS WILL HAVE TO BE POST-PONED UNTIL IT IS KNOWN WHICH OF THE MEMBER "ACTION" GROUPS ARE NO

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LONGER WILNG RE WITH CORU. AS IT STANDS NOW, THE ROUGH
DPAFTS FOR THE CORU BONDS INDICATE THE FIVE MEMBER "ACTION" GROUPS
WHOSE NAMES APPEAR ON THE FACE OF THE BOND. IT IS ANTICIPATED
THAT THE MONEY RECEIVED FROM THE SALE OF THESE BONDS WILL BE USED
TO FINANCE FUTURE CORU ACTIVITIES.

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