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United States Senate

MEMORANDUM

Betsy,

Has Mr. Esterling

(Luba) been checked
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TO: SENATOR

FROM: PETER L.

SUBJECT: INTERVIEW RE CUBA TRIP FOR SPANISH LANGUAGE RADIO STATIONS

You will recall that I told you that the owner of the largest network of Spanish language is interested in getting a report from you on the Cuba trip in the format of an interview with a respected, moderate leader of the anti-Castro Cuban-American community. Eaton's network consists of the following stations: New York - WBNX; Washington - WFAN; Miami - WFAB; Hollywood - KALI.

Eaton called again today to propose that the interview-discussion be conducted by Mr. Carlos Marquez ~~is~~ Sterling, identified as a former Presidential candidate against Batista, a former President of the Constituent Assembly and presently a teacher in New York. ~~is~~ Sterling was described as a respected, anti-Castro moderate. He is willing to fly to Washington for a taping of the interview in your office.

I promised to discuss this with you and call Eaton back today or tomorrow. (Eaton's phone is tel. 652-7707 ; Carlos Marquez ~~is~~ Sterling tel. 212 744-5734)
I have briefed Jean McKee on the above and said that we would proceed unless the New York office had any problems.

Recommendation: Assuming ~~is~~ Sterling passes an FBI check, I recommend that you go ahead with this as rapidly as possible. Eaton believes that such an interview could reduce the fears and apprehensions on the Cuban-American community, some of whom have a wild, emotional fear of betrayal or 'sell-out'.

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