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FROM: Chief of Station, Miami					
SUBJECT: Operations/2.21/1.11/1.11/1.11					
ACTION REQUIRED: State Department Report					
ACTION REQUIRED: None, FYI					
1. An ATAT interview, <b>Adolfo NUNEZ Garcia</b> , reported on 17 December 1961 that he had that day, by chance met <b>RAMON S. GIRONA</b> , a former delegate of Dr. Aureliano GARCIA, at the New Orleans Airport. <b>201-284303</b>					
2. <b>NUNEZ</b> stated that <b>GIRONA</b> said that he was returning that day from a trip to Panama and Guatemala. In Panama he had talked to President CHIARI and had found him to be intimidated, but, to the contrary, when he had talked to President GARCIA in Guatemala he had found him extremely anxious to have GARCIA hospitalized. <b>GIRONA</b> had asked <b>GIRONA</b> about his visit to CHIARI, and then <b>GIRONA</b> expressed his opinion, <b>GIRONA</b> said it was logical because CHIARI was extremely cowardly.					
3. According to <b>NUNEZ</b> , <b>GIRONA</b> further said that a short time ago he had been called by Mr. Bob Smith, Chief of the Cuban Desk in the State Department, and that Smith had told him not to fool around with <b>GARCIA</b> or Julio GARCIA because he was who had the support of the U.S. was <b>SMITH</b> , and that as he, Smith, had knowledge of the great work done by <b>GIRONA</b> , he did not want him to continue losing more time.					
4. <b>NUNEZ</b> added that <b>GIRONA</b> said that a few days later he received a phone call from <b>SMITH</b> . <b>GIRONA</b> told <b>SMITH</b> that he will help <b>SMITH</b> , because it was requested, but he would never have done so by his own wish.					
5. <b>NUNEZ</b> said that <b>GIRONA</b> continued his travel on to Washington, where he resides at 1119 - 7th Street, N.W., Washington 7.					
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