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OF CERTAIN CUBAN EXILES IN THE ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN F.
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2. ACCORDING TO ONE REPRESENTATIVE IN SINGAPORE, JAMAICA, A FAIRLY RELIABLE SOURCE HAS REPORTED THAT EDUARDO M. F. Y. C. LEZCANO, MINISTER-EMBASSY OF THE GUINEA-BISSAU IN WASHINGTON, MADE CERTAIN ALLEGATIONS ON 28 SEPTEMBER 1977 CONCERNING THE ROLE OF CUBAN EXILES IN THE ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY. MONTEZ MADE THESE ALLEGATIONS DURING THE COURSE OF HIS ADDRESS TO THE MONTHLY MEETING OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF CUBA MEMBERS ASSIGNED TO JAMAICA. THE MEETING WAS HELD IN THE CUBAN EMBASSY, MONTEZ SAID, AMONG OTHER THINGS, THAT CUBAN EXILES SUCH AS FRANCIS CLARK AND OFFICER W. I. A. Z. LAR (FNU) AND OTHERS WERE INVOLVED IN THE ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT KENNEDY. MONTEZ REFERRED TO THE ASSASSINATION IN THE CONTEXT OF A SECURITY LECTURE IN WHICH MONTEZ CLAIMED THAT COUNTER-REVOLUTIONARY ACTIVITIES BY CUBAN EXILES HAD INCREASED IN RECENT MONTHS. MONTEZ SAID SECRET INFORMATION WAS OBTAINED THAT TELLING THAT IN THE KENNEDY ASSASSINATION. MONTEZ DID NOT MENTION ANY OTHER CUBAN EXILES OR NAME OF ANY FURTHER PERSONS. MONTEZ DID NOT CERTIFY THE SOURCE OF HIS INFORMATION, ALTHOUGH HIS SOURCE WAS THE