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1. Following are general requirements on CUBA which may be put to INDEVOUT:

- a. Extent and nature of Soviet and Bloc military aid to Cuba.
- b. CHICOM technical support to Cuba.
- c. Cuban reaction to large sales of sugar to Bloc countries and to the trade agreements signed with the USSR, Poland and East Germany.
- d. Type projects CHICOMS and Soviets are working on in Cuba.
- e. Evidence of shipment and transshipment of strategic materials to the Bloc by indirect routes.
- f. Evidence of Cuban Communist ties with Sino-Soviet Bloc representatives or agents.
- g. Mission, activities and identities of Cuban intelligence officers in the area.
- h. Cuban personnel being sent to the Bloc for training.
- i. Cuban support to leftist groups in other Latin American countries.
- j. Comprehensive information on the National Agrarian Reform Institute of Cuba.
- k. Indications of a power struggle or split among top Cuban leaders.
- 1. Actual control over the Cuban regime.
- m. Stature of Raul ROA in the inner circle.
- n. Precautions taken to prevent possible assassination attempts of top Cuban officials.
- o. Organization, strength, capability and loyalty of Cuban Armed Forces.
- p. Extent of Communist infiltration and control of Cuban Government organizations and the Armed Forces.
- q. Cuban diplomatic dealings with Soviet diplomats in the area.
- r. Attitude of Cuban Government officials and people towards:
 - (1) Aid from Bloc
 - (2) Fidel CASTRO
 - (3) "Che" GUEVARA
 - (4) United States
- s. Evidence of direct intervention in Cuban foreign affairs by "Che" GUEVARA.
- t. Evidence of corruption of the CASTRO regime such as: banking of money in Switzerland for later personal use, etc.
- u. Use made of the Cuban diplomatic pouch in connection with Soviet and Bloc activities in Latin America and the rest of the world.

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- 2. The above requirements are of a general nature and are the same as those served on Cuban sources world-wide. It is anticipated that INDEVOUT'S response to these general requirements will generate more specific requirements tailored to his indicated capabilities.
- 3. In regard to information on Cuban diplomatic personnel and their activities in Europe, any information developed on this subject may be considered useful. General requirements among the foregoing, related to this subject, are nos. g, h, q, t, and u,

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