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THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION RECEIVED IN THE OFFICE OF NAVAL
INTELLIGENCE BY TELEPRINTER CIRCUIT (TWX) AT 1415 MAY 9, 1942

FROM: DISTRICT INTELLIGENCE OFFICE 3RD NAVAL DISTRICT
TO: DIRECTOR NAVAL INTELLIGENCE
TEXT: INFORMANT, RELIABILITY UNKNOWN, STATES THAT AN
ENGLISH LANGUAGE NEWSPAPER IN BUENOS AIRES PUB-
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NAVAL MESSAGE

NAVY DEPARTMENT

RADIO

DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM AMCON BARRANQUILLA COLOMBIA	FOR ACTION	OPNAV	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY			RRRRR
DATE 9 MAY 1942			DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM 0010	INFORMATION		PRIORITY
DECODED BY LANIGAN			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY BLAND			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

LT. (JG) BURROWS

081540 MCR 3471

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FOR: OPNAV

COM FIFTEEN

North coast Colombia

AT MANAURE, A SUSPICIOUS SHIP (TANKER) OF ABOUT 6000 TONS, WITHOUT
FLAG OR NAME, SPENT LAST NIGHT, LEAVING 6:30 LOCAL TIME THIS MORNING.

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FROM AMCON BARRANQUILLA, COLOMBIA	FOR ACTION	OPNAV COMFIFTEEN	PPPPP PRIORITY
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE
DATE 8 MAY 1942.			DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM 1940	INFORMATION		PRIORITY
DECODED BY SCOTT			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY SCOTT			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

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MCR 3346

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TEXT			

THE FOLLOWING IS MORE DATA ON MY PRIORITY. REPORTED BY
RELIABLE OFFICER SALT ADMINISTRATION. ONLY SALT SHIPS
ORDINARILY USE MANAURE. MANAURE REPUTED CENTER FOR
SUBMARINE REFUELING ACTIVITIES GOAJIRA PENINSULA.

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FROM <u>COM 14</u>	FOR ACTION	OPNAV	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY _____			ROUTINE
DATE <u>7 MAY 1942</u>			DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM _____	INFORMATION		PRIORITY
DECODED BY <u>LANDIS</u>			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY <u>PHILLIPS</u>			DEFERRED

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KELLY

6231/ NCR 2269

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YR 25246 APRIL, STADEP REPORTS TO EMBASSY THAT ACADIA'S TRIP TO PERU CANCELLED OR DELAYED ~~MEM~~ PENDING OBTAINING SERVICES OF LARGER VESSEL. URGENTLY RECOMMEND THAT LARGE VES BE OBTAINED AND THAT ARRIVAL DATE IN CALLAO BE GIVEN IN ORDER THAT PERUVIAN AUTHORITIES CAN BE ASSURED OF ARRIVAL AND DATE SO AS NOT TO CAUSE LETDOWN IN THEIR ENTHUSIASM AND EFFORTS TO EXPEL UNDESIRABLES. THIS HIGHLY DESIREABLE AND ARRIVAL DATE NECESSARY IN ORDER MAKE PLANS FOR CLOSING THEIR BUSINESS AND ASSEMBLY.

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FROM <u>COMINCH</u>	FOR ACTION	COMEASTSEAFRON COMGULFSEAFRON COMCARIBSEAFRON	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY <u>ADM KING</u>			ROUTINE
DATE <u>6 MAY 1942</u>			DEFERRED
TOR CODEROM <u>1302/2029</u>	INFORMATION	CINCLANT ALUSNA RIO COMTASKFOR 23	PRIORITY
DISCQD BY <u>CLUNT/NEWHOUSE</u>			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

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BRAZILIAN SS MIDOSI X TIRADENTES X POCONO X MOGY AT NEW YORK
AND ARACAJU AT NEW ORLEANS LOADED WITH LEND LEASE MATERIAL
NOW READY TO SAIL FOR BRAZIL AND ARE TO BE ESCORTED AS FAR
AS TRINIDAD X LISTED SPEEDS ARE TEN DASH ELEVEN KNOTS X
COMEASTSEAFRON ADVISE WHEN NEW YORK SECTION CAN BE ESCORTED TO
KEY WEST COMGULFSEAFRON SAME FOR SHIP AT NEW ORLEANS X WHEN
ARRIVAL DATE ALL FIVE AT KEY WEST IS KNOWN COMCARIBSEAFRON
ADVISE WHEN ESCORT KEY WEST TO TRINIDAD CAN BE UNDERTAKEN X

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DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM COMINCH		COM EASTSEA FRON COM GULFSEA FRON COM CARIBSEA FRON	PRIORITY ROUTINE DEFERRED
RELEASED BY ADM KING			
DATE 6 MAY 1942			
TOR CODEROOM 1342/2429		CINCLANT ALUSNA RTO COM TASC FOR 23	PRIORITY ROUTINE DEFERRED
DECODED BY CLUNT / NEWHOUSE			
PARAPHRASED BY			

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

LT KELLY #71239 COR 2340
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TEXT

URGENTLY RECOMMEND IMMEDIATE APPROVAL ALLIANCE
BRAZILIAN SS MIDOSI X TIRADENTES X POONE X MOGY AT NEW YORK
AND ARACAU AT NEW ORLEANS LOADED WITH LEND LEASE MATERIAL
NOW READY TO SAIL FOR BRAZIL AND ARE TO BE ESCORTED AS FAR
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FROM <u>COMTASKFOR 23</u>	FOR ACTION	OPNAV	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY _____			ROUTINE
DATE <u>5 MAY, 1942</u>			DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM <u>244</u>	INFORMATION	BUAER BUDOCKS CINCLANT CTU 23.6.1	PRIORITY
DECODED BY <u>BRINKLEY</u>			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY <u>SMITH</u>			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

LT KELLY

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TEXT

URGENTLY RECOMMEND IMMEDIATE APPROVAL ALLOTMENT \$15000
 FOR IMMEDIATE CONSTRUCTION TEMPORARY FACILITIES NATAL
 LAND PLANE BASE FOR PATRON 83. BUAER 011930 OPNAV
 012314. INSTRUCTION NATAL MY 051732 WILL TAKE 2 OR 3
 MONTHS TO COMPLETE AFTER APPROVAL. GENERAL GEMES BRAZIL-
 IAN AIR FORCE ASSURES MECNO FURTHER DIPLOMATIC ARRANGE-
 MENTS NECESSARY. BUILDINGS TO BE PLACED ON BRAZILIAN AIR
 FORCE PROPERTY. APD READY TO IMMEDIATELY START THIS CON-
 STRUCTION. PRESENT HOUSING VERY UNSATISFACTORY.

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FROM <u>COMTASKFOR 23</u>	FOR ACTION	OPNAV	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY _____			ROUTINE
DATE <u>5 MAY, 1942</u>			DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM <u>1940</u>	INFORMATION	BUAER BUDOCKS CINCLANT	PRIORITY
DECODED BY <u>JONEB</u>			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY <u>SMITH</u>			DEFERRED

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LT KELLY

051732 NCR 1508

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PRESENT JOINT ARMY NAVY LAND AND SEAPLANCE BASE PROGRAM BRAZIL
SATISFACTORY EXCEPT INCREASE LAND PLANE BASE FACILITIES AT
NATAL AND RECIFE AS FOLLOWS INCREASE BARRACKS FROM 6 TO 8
ENLISTED LATRINES FROM 1 TO 2. NO FURTHER DIPLOMATIC
ARRANGEMENTS FOR FOREGOING NECESSARY. APD READY TO START
CONSTRUCTION ON RECEIPT OF APPROVAL FROM NAVY DEPARTMENT.
LOCAL US ARMY ENGINEER LT COL ASENSIO CONSULTED. URGENTLY
RECOMMEND IMMEDIATE APPROVAL

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FROM ALUSNA SANTIAGO	FOR ACTION	OPNAV	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY			RRRRR
DATE MAY 2, 1942			DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM 1937	INFORMATION		PRIORITY
DECODED BY BIRNBAUM			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY CAMPBELL			DEFERRED

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FOLLOWING CHILEAN NAVAL MOVEMENTS. ASARAUCANO LEFT VALPO
24 FOR TOCOPILLA. BB LATORRE AND SEVERAL SUBS AND TENDERS
IN TALCAHUANO. DD RIQUEL MEL LEFT VALPO 29 FOR TALCAHUANO.
CL CHACBUCO DINCOQUIMBO, AO RANCAUA PD VALPO, DD SERRANO
IN TOCOP, DD VIDELA IN CHANARAL, TRAINING SHIP LAUTAR O
IS NEAR WEST COAST USA

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FROM AMCON BARRANQUILLA, COL.	FOR ACTION	OPNAV	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE
DATE 2 MAY 1942	INFORMATION		DEFERRED
TON CODEROM 1730			PRIORITY
DECODED BY HERRINGTON			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY HERRINGTON			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

ENS. SIEGLER

011425 MCR 9804

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TEXT			

YOUR 302355 LETTER FORWARDED BY COURIER VIA TRINIDAD MORNING
 OF MAY 1. STORES NATURE; TENT UNKNOWN, DELIVERED BY "HUNDREDS"
 DUG OUT CANOES. SUBMARINE SURFACED INBOARD PUNTA CANON.
 DEPARTED EARLY MORNING OF APRIL 10TH. MY SOURCE, WITNESSES,
 DELAY, ETC, COVERED IN LETTER.

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BADO.....200P.....PIA.....00.....20T.....

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DATE **3 MAY** CODEROOM - NOTICE OF CHANGE OR CORRECTION (EXT.3904)

ON (SECRET) (~~CONFIDENTIAL~~) (RESTRICTED) (INCOMING) (OUTGOING) DISPATCH,

AMCON BARRANQUILLA, COL.

011425

MCR 9804

FROM

DATE / TIME

CODEROOM NR.

CORRECT HEADING () TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

FROM:

FOR ACTION:

FOR INFO :

CORRECT TEXT (X) PORTION INDICATED (CORRECTION UNDERLINED) TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

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CORRECTION AUTHORIZED BY **MERCO WO.**

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NAVY DEPARTMENT

DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM <u>A LAUSHA BOGATA</u>	FOR ACTION	OPNAV	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY _____			ROUTINE
DATE <u>2 MAY 1942</u>			DEFERRED
TOR CODEROM <u>030/2</u>	INFORMATION		PRIORITY
DECODED BY <u>HEINZE</u>			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY <u>JENKINS</u>			DEFERRED

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ROONEY

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(PAGE ONE OF TWO)

REFERENCE YOUR 302128Z. COLOMBIAN CHIEF OF STAFF IS OF OPINION THAT SUBMARINE DID NOT AND COULD NOT PROVISION AT BAHIA HONDA FOR FOLLOWING REASONS;

COASTAL DEFENSE BATTALION WITH HEADQUARTERS AT RIO HACHA MAINTAINS OUTPOSTS AND SMALL GARRISONS AT PORTS OF ~~EL~~ MANAURE, PUERTO LOPEZ, AND BAHIA HONDA ALL IN GUAJIRA PENINSULA.

AIR OBSERVATION BASED AT URIBIA MAKES DAILY RECONNAISSANCE OF COASTAL WATERS IN THAT AREA.

ON APRIL 4TH COLOMBIAN AIR PATROL DISCOVERED SUBMARINE OPERATING SEVERAL MILES OFFSHORE BUT BOAT SUBMERGED BEFORE IDENTITY COULD BE ASCERTAINED.

ON APRIL 9TH, 11TH, AND 16TH AMERICAN PATROL AIRPLANES REPORTED CIRCLING OVER BAHIA HONDA AND ADJACENT AREAS

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FROM	FOR ACTION		PRIORITY
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE
DATE			DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM	INFORMATION		PRIORITY
DECODED BY			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY			DEFERRED

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AND MADE NO REPORT TO COLOMBIAN AUTHORITIES OF ANY
SUBMARINE ACTIVITIES IN THOSE WATERS.

REF; COMMENT REQUESTED ON APPEARANCE OF NAZI SUBMARINE
AT BAHIA HONDA, COLOMBIA.

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FROM OPMNAV	FOR ACTION	ALUSHA	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY GRIFFIN		SANTIAGO, CHILE	ROUTINE
DATE 1 MAY 1942	INFORMATION	CINCPAC CCSERVFORPAC COMSOEASPA	DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM 2301/18T			PRIORITY
DECODED BY			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY YEAGER			DEFERRED

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BLOVIN

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TEXT

REFERENCE YOUR REPORT APRIL 2, SUBJECT LOGISTIC POLICY FUEL OIL. FOR ESTABLISHING RESERVE POOL OF FUEL OIL IN CHILE FOR NAVY AND ISUE TO COMMERCIAL SHIPS WHEN NO OTHER SUPPLY AVAILABLE, LATIN AMERICAN SUPPLY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS FOLLOWING: MAKE APPLICATION LOGALLY TO WILLIAMSON BALFOUR CO. AGENTS FOR INTERNATIONAL PETROLEUM CO., STATING THAT NAVY DESIRES 10,000 TONS MAINTAINED AT ALL TIMES FOR ITS OWN USE. BASED ON EXPERIENCE WITH ISSUED PORT OR PORTS WHERE FOREGOING TO BE STORED LEFT YOUR DISCRETION BUT SUGGEST CONSIDERATION ONE HALF IN EACH ANTOGAGASTA AND VALPARAISO. ANY EXPENSE INVOLVED SHOULD BE COVERED BY REQUEST TO BUSANDA FOR SPECIAL ALLOTMENT. IF PRACTICABLE FUEL OIL OF TALARA ORIGIN DESIRED BECAUSE OF APPROXIMATION TO NAVY SPECIAL GRADE. IF NOT BEST ATTAINABLE COMMERCIAL FUEL IS ACCEPTABLE. ADVISE ACTION TAKEN.

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FROM ALUSNOB MACEIO	FOR ACTION	OPNAV	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY			RRRR ROUTINE
DATE 1 MAY 1942			DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM 1704	INFORMATION		PRIORITY
DECODED BY OLIVER			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY HILL			DEFERRED

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KELLY**011220 NCR 9091**

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010930 BRAZ MINE LAYER CAMAQUA FROM SEA.**COMINCH.....ACTION****FILE.**DECLASSIFIED
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FROM OPNAV 10	FOR ACTION	ANCON BARRANQUILLA COLOMBIA, S.A.	PRIORITY
RELEASED REAR ADM. WILKINSON			ROUTINE
DATE APRIL 30, 1942			DEFERRED
FOR CODEROOM	INFORMATION		PRIORITY
DECODED BY			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY			DEFERRED

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FOR MR. HUGHES, FURNISH ANY ADDITIONAL DETAILS THAT ARE AVAILABLE
REFERING YOUR 292130. *attached*

(CORRECTED PARAPHRASE)

(REFERENCE 292130: NIGHT OF APRIL 9, LARGE NAZI SUBMARINE BAHIA HONDA
COLOMBIA, RELIABLE CONFIRMED REPORT.)

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FROM AMCDN BARRANQUILLA, COL.	FOR ACTION	OPNAV	<u>URGENT</u>
RELEASED BY			PRIORITY
DATE 30 APRIL 1942			ROUTINE
TOR CODEROM 3345	INFORMATION	COM 15	DEFERRED
DECODED BY HERRINGTON			PRIORITY
PARAPHRASED BY SIEGLER			ROUTINE
			DEFERRED

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NS.SIEGLER

292130 MCR 8251

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TEXT

JUST OBTAINED A RELIABLE CONFIRMED REPORT THAT A LARGE NAZI
SUBMARINE PROVISIONED AT BAHIA HONDA ON THE NIGHT OF APRIL 9TH.

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Columbia

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FROM CTF 23	FOR ACTION	OPNAV	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE
DATE 29 APRIL 1942	INFORMATION	CINCLANT	DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM 0745			PRIORITY
DECODED BY HAMPTON			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY LELAND			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

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TEXT PANAMERICAN HARMONY OPNAV 272130, MY 242126 PARAGRAPH THEY
 AGREE (1) TO RELEASE BRAZILIAN SHIPPING WITHOUT CONVOY PROTECTION.

(2) TO OPERATE THE FOLLOWING FORCES AS INSHORE PATROL IN ACCORDANCE MY PRESENT AND FUTURE RECOMMENDATIONS: 2 CRUISERS 6 MINEIROS, 3 SUBMARINES WHEN OVERHAULS ARE COMPLETED AND NEW DESTROYERS NOW COMMISSIONED

(3) TO HAVE ARMY TAKE IMMEDIATE STEPS FOR PROPER DEFENSE OF PORTS USED BY UNITED STATES FORCES

(4) TO HAVE AIR GIVE FULL COOPERATION IN ACCORDANCE MY PLAN

(5) TO OPEN ALL PORTS REPAIR FACILITIES AND AIRFIELDS TO THIS FORCE

(6) TO INCREASE DRIVE ON AXIS SUPPORTERS

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PRESIDENT REQUESTED ME TO ACT AS HIS SECRET NAVAL ADVISOR AND I AGREED.

FOLLOWING COMMITMENTS MADE BY ME. (1) UNITED STATES TO

~~SECRET~~

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NAVAL MESSAGE

NAVY DEPARTMENT

DRAFTER		EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
CTF 23		FOR ACTION		PRIORITY
FROM				ROUTINE
RELEASED BY				DEFERRED
DATE		INFORMATION		PRIORITY
TOR CODEROOM				ROUTINE
DECODED BY				DEFERRED
PARAPHRASED BY				

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME	DATE	TIME	GCT
EXPEDITE DELIVERY DEPTH BOMBS PROJECTORS AND SOUND EQUIPMENT			

FOR MINEIROS.

MY 251311 TO COMINCH (NCS NR 61). APPROVED UNDER LEASELND
THIS WILL GIVE 6 SPLENDID ANTISUBMARINE HUNTERS FOR INSHORE
PATROL.

(2) TO PATROL SEAPLANES AS PRACTICABLE AND TO USE MY GOOD
OFFICES TO SEE THAT BRAXILIAN SHIPPING GETS THE SAME PROTECTION
AS UNITED STATES FROM CARIBBEAN TO THE UNITED STATES.

(3) TO TRAIN SOME OF THEIR PERSONNEL AS PREVIOUSLY AUTHORIZED
AND IN ADDITION TO TRAIN SOUND PERSONNEL PREFERABLY IN UNITED
STATES SCHOOLS.

(4) TO USE INFLUENCE MINESWEEPING UNIT WHEN MADE AVAILABLE
IN BRAZILIAN HARBORS AS REQUIRED.

MY 282230. (5) TO HELP EXPEDITE ARMING OF NEW DESTROYERS
WHICH THEN BECOME AVAILABLE FOR DUTY.

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AIRMAIL LETTER TO BE SENT FROM RECIFE WILL ELABORATE.

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RECORD COPY: 16..... 17..... CNO..... 200P..... P1A.....

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NAVY DEPARTMENT

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FROM <u>A USNA R10</u>	FOR ACTION	OPNAV	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY <u>29 APRIL 19 2</u>			ROUTINE
DATE <u>0935</u>			DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM <u>FELTON</u>	INFORMATION		PRIORITY
DECODED BY <u>HILL</u>			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY			DEFERRED

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LT KELLY

281910 NCR 7737

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME	DATE	TIME	GCT
TEXT			

BRAZ GOVT HAS ORDERED BRAZ MERSHIPS RESUME SAILINGS NORTH OF RECIFE
 BAND IN NORTH AMERICAN TRADE

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17.....COMINCH.....TG.....FILE.

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NAVY DEPARTMENT

DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM ALUSNOB NATAL	FOR ACTION	OPNAV	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE
DATE 27 APRIL 1942			DEFERRED
TOR CODER ROOM 262156	INFORMATION	<i>File on Rio Alusnob Recife</i>	PRIORITY
DECODED BY HEUFNER			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY HUTCHINSON			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

ROUTED-FULTON

201317 NCR 6419

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME	DATE	TIME	GCT
TEXT			

(THIS IS INFO COMTASKFOR 23, COMINCH, CINCLANT, ORIGINATOR COMPATRON 52)

READY COMMENCE TRAINING BRAZILIAN AIR CORP OFFICERS AND MEN AT NATAL. ~~COMINCH~~ COMINCH 032145. REQUEST ADVISE APPROXIMATE DATE REPORTING. INSTRUCTION WILL BE SUPERVISED BY COMPATRON 83.

COG...COMINCH

13...16...17...FILE...

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DRAFTER		EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM	ALUSMOB NATAL	FOR ACTION	OPNAV	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY				ROUTINE
DATE	27 APRIL 1942			DEFERRED
TOR CODEROM	0025	INFORMATION	Alusna Rio Alusnob Recife	PRIORITY
DECODED BY	PENNE			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY	C ALLEN			DEFERRED

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ROUTED BY FULTON

202106 NCR 6430

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(OPNAV PASS TO COMTASKFOR 23)

PAN AIR INTERNATIONAL SOUTHBOUND PLANE REPORTS 3 MEDIUM SIZE STEAMERS, 1 SCHOONER AND SEVERAL TUGS AND LIGHTERS ABOUT TUTOYADON ON THE WEST BRANCH OF THE PARNAYBA RIVER. OTHER RECENT REPORTS HAVE INDICATED THAT SHIPPING ACTIVITY AND CONCENTRATION IN THIS BRANCH ARE OUT OF PROPORTION TO ITS SMALL ECONOMIC IMPORTANCE.

(PASSED TO COMTASKFOR 23 AS 270247)

ACTION: 16.....

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DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM <u>COMINCH (F-35)</u>	FOR ACTION	CTF 23 ADMIRALTY CINCSA	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY <u>MCARMODY</u>			ROUTINE
DATE <u>25 APRIL 1942</u>			DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM <u>0706/0802</u>	INFORMATION	CINCLANT	PRIORITY
DECODED BY <u>HIGGINS/CLUNT</u>			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

250645 CCR 1986

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TEXT			

FOLLOWING INFO FROM SOURCE OF UNKNOWN RELIABILITY:
 AN UNIDENTIFIED GERMAN UNIT ON COURSE NORTH CONTACTED
 GERMAN EMBASSY BUENOS AIRES EARLY MORNING 24 APRIL FROM
38-18S 39-07 W

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FROM ALUSNOB NATAL	FOR ACTION	OPNAV	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE
DATE 25 APRIL 1942			DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM 0242	INFORMATION		PRIORITY
DECODED BY STINER			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY HILL			DEFERRED

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LT KELLY**241852 NCR 5343**

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TEXT			

FERRY COMMAND PLANES ENROUTE HERE REPORT SUSPICIOUS SHIPS ~~ENEMY~~
OR ENEMY EVIDENCES AS SIGHTED AND OVER ATLANTIC REPORT 15 MIN
~~XXXX~~ AFTER SIGHTING. HOWEVER UNDERSTAND PAN AIR FERRIES AND CLIPPERS
INSTRUCTED MAKE NO RADIO REPORTS WITH RESULT REPORTS ON NATAL LAGOS
HOP FOR INSTANCE MAY BE SOME 24 HOURS DELAYED. INVITE ATTENTION
THIS LOSS OF EFFECTIVE PATROL REPORTS.

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COMINCH.....2100.....BADO.....CNO.....2100P.....39.....17.....FILE

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NAVY DEPARTMENT

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FROM CTF 23	FOR ACTION	COMINCH OPNAV	ROUTINE
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE
DATE 24 APRIL 1942			DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM 2332/2300	INFORMATION		PRIORITY
DECODED BY WINTER/WINTER			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

242126 CCR 813

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TEXT			

Do not have
 REFERENCE OPNAV 192000. HAVE BEEN SUCCESSFUL IN GETTING
 WHOLEHEARTED APPROVAL FROM BRAZILIAN PRESIDENT AND MINIS-
 TER OF MARINE FOR SUGGESTED BRAZILIAN NAVAL SUPPORT AND
 COLLABORATION WITH ~~MY~~ MY FORCE. THIS MUTUAL CONFIDENCE
 AND COOPERATION WILL NOT ONLY BE NULIFIED BUT ANTAGONISM
 WILL BE AROUSED UNLESS THE AMERICAN AMBASSADOR CAN SIGN
 THE POLITICAL MILITARY AGREEMENT WITH ARTICLE SEVEN
 BEING INCORPORATED AS VERBALLY UPON WITH BRAZILIAN
 GOVERNMENT PRIOR TO RECEIPT OF SUBJECT REFERENCE. I
 CANNOT TOO STRONGLY RECOMMEND THE DEPARTMENTS FULL SUPPORT
 OF THE AMBASSADOR. ADVISE.

COPY DELIVERED TO OPNAV CODEROOM.

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