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re heavy bombing of Surovop
not heard from Cuba

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10/29/62 Whitehouse

1) Intelligence - Venezuelan sabotage ordered from Cuba on 10/27

- Cuban intercept of message to military units not to fire; instructions to SAM sites not decoded.
- Peiping note to Cuban Amb that U.S.S.R. untrustworthy ally and that Checos will be ready earlier

Brazilian Gen Silva going with U-Thant to Cuba with instructions ^{from ~~you~~ alert} to work out stable Castro regime

2) Coordinating Committee

3) Blockade & Reconnaissance - Cheryl's report in conf with Pike

- recce orders for today - 6-8 low altitude flights over MRBMS (subject of 232 defedline) * status of quarantine - not lifted; ships in station ²⁴⁻²⁸ pending

UN arrangements for port inspections

- UN surveillance - combination of air & ground no reserve of AF reserve call-up for time being

Composition of U-Thant group

Reintroduction of Cuban subversion of LA - expand "plan" in Caribbean theme

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* pending satisfactory UN air reconnaissance

