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New Reports of CIA Death Plots

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Time Magazine reported yesterday that it had been told by "credible sources" that the Central Intelligence Agency had been "involved in assassination plots" against the Caribbean leaders Fidel Castro, Rafael L. Trujillo and Francois Duvalier.

The magazine said its "sources contend that the CIA enlisted the hired-gun help of US Mafia figures in several unsuccessful at-

tempts to kill Cuban Premier Castro both before and shortly after the CIA-planned Bay of Pigs invasion of Cuba in 1961."

The magazine said its sources asserted that the CIA "backed the successful drive to overthrow" General Trujillo, whose 31 years as dictator of the Dominican Republic ended with his death by shooting in May 1961. The sources said the agency thought President Trujillo was "getting too friendly with the Communists."

It said the CIA "collaborated with Haiti leaders of a group of at least 200 rebels" who tried unsuccessfully to overthrow President Duvalier, dictator of Haiti, in 1963.

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