

A Cuban Who Went Back Home

A former anti-Castro leader who claimed here that fellow exiles planned to assassinate Secretary of State Henry Kissinger, has been allowed back to Cuba because of his work abroad, the official newspaper Granma reported yesterday.

Carlos Rivero Collado, ex-leader of a Miami based anti-Castro group, told of the assassination plot in a radio broadcast here Sunday night. He gave no details, however.

Granma, which did not report his allegations, said he was "a product of his social upbringing" who took part in anti-Castro activities after fleeing Cuba in 1959. He is the son of Andres Rivero Aguero, a president-elect in the Fulgencio Batista regime overthrown by Premier Fidel Castro.

Rivero Collado came home when he saw the capitalist system produced human misery and found the anti-Castro organizations were immoral and corrupt, it added.

He is believed to be the first prominent member of a U.S.-based anti-Castro organization to return to Cuba.

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