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“I, Freddy Lugo, declare the following to the Commander of Police in Trinidad and Tobago. I remember that during the second or third day of my detention in the Commissary of Trinidad and Tobago, Mr. Hernan Ricardo Lozano was desperate to read the newspapers and when he tried to read them, he told me the following that in the end the objective had been achieved. I, Freddy Lugo, asked Mr. Hernan Ricardo Lozano what was the achieved objective, and he responded that of the explosion of the Cubana Airlines plane that he was reading about in the newspaper. He also told me that he had been in Jamaica with a false passport, and that he had tried to bomb a Cubana Airlines plane by placing a suitcase with a bomb as checked luggage. He also told me that he had been in Trinidad and Tobago and he carried out an attack against the Embassy of Guyana with a bomb with the assistance of another person. I also remember that the day that we were in Barbados, he placed two phone calls to Caracas. During one I was able to overhear that he spoke to his mother and told her to give the telephone number of the Village Beach Hotel in Barbados to Mr. Luis Posada so that he could call and to tell him that there was a problem. The other call that he made I believe was to his girlfriend and he told her to call Sr. Pan y Agua [Mr. Bread and Water] and to give him the telephone number of the Village Beach Hotel in Barbados. I am sure that he received a call, but I do not know about what or with whom he spoke, if it was with Mr. Posada or Mr. Bread and Water. When he took the call, he told me, please Freddy leave for a moment. And when he finished talking, he told me, we’re going to take a taxi, and I told him, Good, I suppose we are going to eat, and he didn’t answer me. Later in the taxi, I asked him who Mr. Pan y Agua was because I found it amusing that someone would have that name, and he told me that it was a dear friend of his named Orlando Bosch.”

Freddy Lugo. 21-10-76.”