

**October 28, 1962**  
**Telegram from the Brazilian Embassy in Havana**  
**(Bastian Pinto), 5:30 p.m., Sunday**

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**Summary:**

Pinto discusses the details of a visit by UN Secretary-General and Albino Silva.

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FROM THE EMBASSY IN HAVANA  
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SECRET—EXTREMELY URGENT  
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Question of Cuba.

353 - SUNDAY - 1730hs - I request to communicate immediately to the Minister of State: This government will receive with much pleasure General Albino Silva. The flight authorization has already been granted, but, in view of the emergency measures, it is indispensable to know with all urgency the type of plane, the insignia [indicativo] and the name of the commander [pilot]. The secretary-general of the United Nations has just communicated to this government that he will arrive in Havana the day after tomorrow, Tuesday [30 October].

LUIZ LEIVAS BASTIAN PINTO