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On May 7 in Havana, Sergei Barykin, president of Russian sugar purchasing agency Prodintorg, told Reuters that the agency has no plans to import Cuban raw sugar in the second half of 1992 because Russia will be processing its own sugar beet harvest. In the first quarter of 1992, Cuba delivered 500,000 metric tons of raw sugar to Russia in return for 900,000 MT of oil products. Barykin said the two nations were currently implementing the exchange of similar amounts, traded on the basis of world market prices, for the second quarter of the year. Under a preferential long-term trade agreement, Cuba shipped four million MT per annum to the former USSR. President Fidel Castro said recently that the average price on Cuban sugar exports this year was around US\$190 per MT. (Basic data from Reuters, 05/07/92)

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