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6. XI.</p> <p>12. Artimova, Sergejs, dzim. 1896. g. 26. jūn.
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PARIS-333		(PARIS-334)																									
APPLICANT																											
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BAUMANIS Valdemars			Male																								
B. ALIASES																											
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<p>SUBJECT is a member of the Union Lettone en France (Latvian Union in France) and is the delegate for the French departments of Morbihan, Loire-Inférieure and Maine-et-Loire. SUBJECT served in the Latvian Army (Feb 1927-June 1941) and attained the rank of major.</p> <p>Employment: 1925-1927: YMCA secretary, RIGA. 1927-1941: military service, RIGA. 1941-March 43: ass't director of a lumber firm, RIGA. Aug 44-May 47: Concentration DP camps at GERSDORF, NEUBRANDENBURG, PUTLOS and LUBECK, Germany; since July 1947: Director of athletics, Club of Physical Education, LORIENT (Morbihan), France</p>																											
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TO: Department of State
Attention: Mr. A. N. Abajian
Office of Investigations
Refugee Relief Program

FROM: Deputy Director, Plans

SUBJECT: BAUMANIS, Valdemars

1. Reference is made to your SI memorandum IEP-571, dated 1 April 1955, subject as above, where name you desired checked against the files of this office.

2. The files of this office reflect the following information concerning an individual who is believed to be identical with the subject of your request.

3. The following information concerning Valdemars BAUMANIS, Latvian, born 19 April 1905 was compiled by SHAEP during World War II, from unknown sources:

Promoted to SS Sturmabfuhrer,
15th Waffen SS Grenadier Division
(Lett Nr. 1). (30 January 1945.)

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SUBJECT Valdemars BAUMANIS
 DOB 19 Apr 05
 POB Liepaja, Latvia
 RESIDENCE Lorient, France

SPONSOR

John Robert Stager, 155 McIntyre Court, Valparaiso, Ind.

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CLASS	ESCAPEE	IRP CONTROL NO.	FRS-333	DATE
PLACE	PARIS - FR.			
TO	Visa Section	AMBASSY, PARIS	FRANCE	5P
FROM	IRP	AMBASSY, PARIS	FRANCE	
SUBJECT	Name	(Surname)	(First Name)	(Middle Name)
	BREMANIS	Jeniss		
	Aliases	None		
REFERENCES	Birth Certificate No PA/932 issued by Latvian Legation at PARIS on 15 Feb 1951. Marriage Certif. No PA/935 issued by Latvian Legation at PARIS on 15 Feb 1951. Passport No PA/938 issued by Latvian Legation at LONDON, England on 3 Oct 1945. French Residence Card No L76-AC-05586 issued by Pref. at VANNES (Morbihan) on 19 June 1947. (See continuation sheet)			
1. DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH	CHECKED: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO			
SOURCES	According to Birth Certificate listed above, SUBJECT was born at LIEPAJA, Latvia, on 11 July 1905.			
2. NATIONALITY (Present)	CHECKED: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO (Stateless, Latvian)			
NATIONALITY (Former)	CHECKED: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO			
REMARKS	SUBJECT's present and former nationality are in consonance with data in pertinent reference documents.			
3. RESIDENCE (Present)	CHECKED: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO (French residence checked by French police)			
RESIDENCE (Previous)	CHECKED: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO (Residence in Germany checked by IRP STUTTGART)			
REMARKS	LIEPAJA, Latvia; 1905-1924; RIGA, Latvia; 1924-1944; GERSDORF, Pomerania, Germany; Aug 1944-Dec 1944; NEUBRANDENBURG, Germany; Jan 1945-Apr 1945; PUTLOS, Holstein, Germany; May 1945-Oct 1945; UNRRA Team 100, LUBECK, Germany; Nov 1945-May 1947; LORIENT (Morbihan), France; July 1947 to present.			
4. FOREIGN TRAVEL	Foreign travel since entering France checked by French Police.			
REMARKS	SUBJECT has travelled abroad as follows: Germany, Personal affairs; Month of July 1951. Germany, Personal affairs; Month of Sept 1952. Germany, Personal affairs; Two weeks in July 1953. Germany, Personal affairs; Month of April 1954.			
PARENTAGE	CHECKED: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO (Parentage confirmed by reference documents)			
REMARKS	Father: BRISMANIS , Jeniss (deceased) Mother: KALINS , Anna (LIEPAJA, Latvia)			
MARITAL AND FAMILY STATUS	CHECKED: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO			
REMARKS	According to Marriage Certificate listed above, SUBJECT was married to BRISMANIS , BRISMANIS , 29 April 1930 in RIGA, Latvia. The Marriage Certificate of wife shows date of marriage on 20 April 1930.			
PHYSICAL AND MENTAL CONDITION	REMARKS: SUBJECT appears to be in good health with no apparent physical or mental defects. Data based on interview and French police report.			

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" CONTINUATION SHEET "					
TO	Visa Section	(City)	(Country)		
FROM:	IRP,	(City)	(Country)		
SUBJECT:	Name	(Surname) BAUXANIS	(First Name) Valdemars	(Middle Name)	SEX Male
	Aliases				
REFERENCE DOCUMENTS:					
French Labor Permit No E 157571 issued by Ministère du Travail at VAINES on 2 Oct 1952. Permanent.					
1. DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH CHECKED: <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO					
SOURCE:					
2. NATIONALITY (Present) CHECKED: <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO					
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SAMMANIS Valdemars

YES NO

REMARKS: SUBJECT stated that he attended school and college for 14 years in RIGA; studied political studies in economics.

SUBJECT claims service in the Latvian Army, Feb 1927-June 1941, and from March 1943 until 4 May 1945, attaining the rank of major. A report to IRP, PARIS, received 27 May 1955, reveals that SUBJECT was in the 1st Waffen SS Grenadier Division (Latvian) during World War II. (See continuation sheet)

REMARKS: SUBJECT has no political affiliations, past or present. Investigation disclosed none.

13. ORGANIZATION MEMBERSHIP

REMARKS: SUBJECT is a member of the Latvian Union in France and is the delegate of this organization for the French Départements of Morbihan, Loire-Inférieure, and Maine-et-Loire. Investigation has disclosed no other organization membership.

14. OTHER CONSULAR DISTRICT RECORD

AmComGen STUTTGART, IRP reported: No derogatory information. AmCom HAMBURG reported: No record; BERLIN Document Center reported: No derogatory information; AmCom CHERBOURG reported: No derogatory information.

15. EMERGENCY AND EMPLOYMENT CHECKED:

YES NO French employment checked by French Police.

REMARKS: SUBJECT, 1927-1927; YMCA secretary, RIGA. 1927-1941; military service, RIGA. 1941-44; assistant director of a lumber firm, RIGA, Aug 1944-May 1947; Concentration and DEPORTATION CAMP, NEUBRANDENBURG, PUTLOS and LUBECK, Germany. Since July 1947; Director of the Club of Physical Education, LORIENT (Morbihan), France.

16. REFERENCE AND NEIGHBORHOOD CHECKS

The French police report on SUBJECT states that nothing derogatory has been found with regard to his conduct and moral character.

17. SUMMARY STATEMENT: An investigation, in accordance with Section 11 (a) of Public Law 203, has been conducted with the results specified in the body of this report. No information has been developed which would appear to affect adversely subject's eligibility under Public Law 203. Information has been developed which may affect subject's eligibility under Public Law 203.

Prepared by BATES

Investigator

Brd L. WHITING - Operations Officer

Reviewed By

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FA NAME: Valdemar

IRP NO. PARIS 111

EDUCATION CHECKED: YES NO

REMARKS:

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10. MILITARY HISTORY
DESCRIBED: Berlin Document Center in a report to IRP, PARIS, received 13 May 1943 reveals that SUBJECT entered the Waffen SS 31 March 1943, served in the 17th Waffen Gren Division SS (Letzt.), and was promoted to Waffen-Sturmabfuhrer SS 1st Lt. Source: SS Officers' File.

11. POLITICAL HISTORY
REMARKS:

12. ORGANIZATION MEMBERSHIP
REMARKS:

13. OTHER CONSULAR DISTRICT RECORD
REMARKS:

14. OCCUPATION AND EMPLOYMENT CHECKED: YES NO
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DEROGATORY INFORMATION:

In the Preliminary Questionnaire and in the course of interviews, SUBJECT claimed service in the Latvian Army from Feb 1927 to Mar 1943 to 4 May 1945. However, IRP, STUTTGART revealed that SUBJECT was a 1st Lieut. in the 15th Waffen SS Grenadier Division (Latvian) during 1943 (re-evaluated). Berlin Document Center reports that SUBJECT entered the 15th Waffen Gren Division SS (Lett.1), and was 1st Lt. and Waffen-Sturmabfuhrer 30 Jan 1945. Source: SS Officers' File.

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23 February 1950

MEMORANDUM FOR: RI/FI

SUBJECT : Subject of DRP-430

1. According to a usually reliable covert source of this Branch, subject is described as follows:

Born April 19, 1905 in Latvia. Present residence is: 56, rue Marechal Foch, Lorient, France. Is a well-known Latvian sportsman and basketball coach. Was a former officer of the Latvian Army. During World War II was a commander of a supply unit in the 15th Division of the Latvian Legion and held the rank of Major. Subsequent to the war he was a refugee in Germany from where he emigrated to France. He was employed as a basketball trainer with the Basketball Club of Lorient. During the mid-30's, among athletic circles in Latvia, subject had the reputation of, and was commonly believed to be, a homosexual.

2. In order not to do subject an injustice, it should be noted that our source does not have knowledge of the commission of any specific homosexual act by subject but merely reports the existing belief regarding subject current at that time. On the basis of his observations of subject's appearance and actions, source is also of the personal opinion that subject is a homosexual.

3. A possible source of information regarding subject's character is Aleksandrs Vanags, presently employed as a soccer coach for the Strassbourg Racing Club, Strassbourg, France. Vanags is known to be a long-time acquaintance of subject both in Latvia and France.

4. For any further information regarding this memorandum, please contact [handwritten initials] or [handwritten initials], Room 2607 "J" Building, extension 8545.

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