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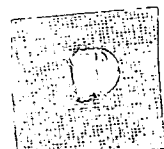
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Informant explained that he obtained this information as a sample of the material the "Negro" agent that has access to discarded Federal documents furnishes to the Soviets. He stated that this particular page is of no value and was to be destroyed by the Soviets; therefore, he was able to pick it up. He said "they" get even more important papers and documents from this source and what they get is supplied in large bundles and boxes about 3-4 times a year. According to informant, VADIM V. SOROKIN contacts this agent. After contact, SOROKIN takes the material to his apartment, sorts it as to what is important and then brings it to the Sovdel where the unimportant papers are burned. Informant had no other information with which to identify this Negro agent, and he did not know where he works. However, informant said that this agent has been helping the Soviets for the past 2-3 years. He did not know who contacted this agent prior to SOROKIN. (S) (u)

[Soviet Agent in Washington, D.C.] (S) (u)

Informant advised that the highly placed Soviet source in the Government in Washington, D.C., furnished some information to the Soviets in 1959, either orally or in document form, which indicated that the US had some information they obtained relating to the Soviets. Informant stated that when the GRU obtained this information from this agent, it started an investigation by "our" (Soviets) intelligence. One KORNIUK (PH) or KORNEEV (PH) told him that the information furnished by this agent was very important and he (the agent) is contacted by IVAN I. BARABANOV. (S) Informant described BARABANOV as the head of the GRU legal residency at the Embassy and a Colonel in the GRU. (S)

Informant was unable to further identify this agent or the branch of the US Government by which he is employed, but he said that this person is very important and is currently furnishing information to the Soviets. Informant said this individual has been an agent for the Soviets for 4-5 years and not only furnishes military information, but other types of information. (S) (u)

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According to informant, as a result of this individual furnishing information relating to the Soviets, which touched off an investigation by Soviet intelligence, four people were removed from operations. One of these people was named (PUSTAEV (PH)) and he will attempt to furnish the (S) names of the others at a future date. (S)

[ANATOLI B. SENKIN] (S)(U)

Informant advised that SENKIN returned to the US, but he did not as yet have an opportunity to speak with him in any great detail. He noted, however, that he requested SENKIN's return to the US. Informant said that SENKIN is in "our" group (the Special Group of the GRU) and is, therefore, assigned tasks to support and document illegal agents. SENKIN told informant, however, that there has been no change in the Soviet Union pertaining to the current government policy relating to the downgrading of the military and the GRU as an intelligence agency. SENKIN has also advised informant that some illegals have been trained for dispatch to the US, but have not as yet been sent although they probably will be dispatched in the near future. (S)(U)

SENKIN also told informant that the main task for this group in regard to documentation for illegals is still to obtain information regarding the Selective Service System of the US, area breakdown, etc. (S)(U)

[Main Targets of GRU in US] (S)(U)

In response to a request, informant advised that the following are the main GRU targets in the US: (S)(U)

1. To prevent surprise attack on USSR and get information regarding same.
2. Describe activities at Naval bases.
3. Describe activities at anti-aircraft positions.
4. Get samples and documents of military operations, techniques and scientific and technical data.

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Informant went on to say that VASILI SOLOVEV told him that the GRU had five operations on last Saturday (2/17/62) in which technical information and documents were obtained. Informant explained that he knows that these targets were items such as radio sets, tubes, etc., and the GRU agents involved were SOROKIN, one or two operations; GALAGIN, one - he got some documents, and POLEZHAEV, who got some oral information. (S)(u)

Informant was able to identify LEONID ALEKSANDROVICH GULEV (First Secretary) and IVAN Y. VYRODOV (Third Secretary) as the two GRU agents in the General Group at the Soviet UN Delegation, whose names he could not recall on 2/16/62. (S)(u)

GRU Agents in Sovdel Residency,
United Nations (Section) (S)

Informant then reviewed an alphabetical typewritten list of Soviet nationals employed by the UN Secretariat and pointed out the following Soviets as members of the GRU UN Group, which group he advised had responsibility for contacts of legal agents in the US: (S)

ANDREI IVANOVICH GALAGIN
(Director of International Atomic Energy Agency)
head of group

ALEKSANDR MIKHAILOVICH DRUZHININ
(Chief, European Languages Service)

NIKOLAI ANDREEVICH GOLOVKO
(Senior Projects Officer, UN Special Fund)

KELSI FEDEROVICH PETRYASHEV
(Translator, Russian Section)

ALEKSEI PETROVICH POLEZHAEV
(Economics Affairs Officer, Resources and
Transport Branch)

VIKTOR NIKOLAEVICH SIMONOV
(Librarian)

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VIKTOR IVANOVICH STARCHAK
(Translator-Trainee, Russian Section)

YULI NIKOLAEVICH STOZHKO
(Political Affairs Officer)

ANATOLI YAKOVLEVICH TURANOV
(Translator)

IGOR ALEKSANDROVICH VOLKOV
(Translator, Russian Section)

Informant further reiterated that IVAN DMITRIEVICH EGOROV, (Administrative Officer, Office of Personnel) and YURI STEPANOVICH ZHEMCHUZHNIKOV (Chief, Russian Section) were in the GRU Special Group (S)

Informant stated that he learned that "someone" at the United Nations is able to "steal" secret material from his "boss" at the UN without the "boss" being aware of it. (Subsequently identified as YULI NIKOLAEVICH STOZHKO). (S)

(S) KGB Personnel at UN Secretariat (S)

Informant pointed out the following Soviet employees of the UN Secretariat (as agents of the KGB): (S)

PETR ILLARIONOVICH BAGRI
(Statistician, Department of Economic and Social Affairs) (u)

ALEKSANDR ALEKSANDROVICH BESSMERTNYKH
(Translator) (u)

RIMMA MIKHAILOVNA BOGOSLOVSKAYA
(Secretary to the Under-Secretary, Department of Political and Security Council Affairs) (S)

VADIM ALEKSANDROVICH BOGOSLOVSKI
(Personal Assistant to Under-Secretary, Department of Political and Security Council Affairs) (S)

OLEG DMITRIEVICH BRYKIN
(Translator) (u)

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BORIS IVANOVICH BUKATIY
(Translator, Russian Section)

ANATOLI FILIPPOVICH GLUSHCHENKO
(Associate Political Affairs Officer,
Political Affairs Division)

VITALIY LEONIDOVICH GULYAEV
(Translator-Trainee, Russian Section)

YURI VASILEVICH KAMENSKY
(Economic Affairs Officer, Division of
General Economic Research)

VIKTOR MECHISLAVOVICH LESIOVSKI
(Technical Assistance Administration)

VLADIMIR IVANOVICH NOVIKOV
(Translator)

EVGENI VALERIANOVICH PAVLOV
(Industrial Development Division, Bureau of Technical
Assistance Operations, Economic and Social Affairs
Department)

VALERI GORGONEVICH PRIBYTKOV
(Translator-Trainee, Russian Section)

VIKTOR IVANOVICH RASSADIN
(Special Adviser, Bureau of Social Affairs)

LEONID GRIGOREVICH SHATOV
(Legal Officer, Treaty Section,
Office of Legal Affairs)

YURI VLADIMIROVICH ZAITSEV
(Political Affairs Officer)

Informant's (identification of KGB personnel) according (S)
to his own words, is not all inclusive or as complete or accurate
as his (identification of GRU personnel, as he admits the KGB (S)
identification) is based on his estimates of these persons, their
activities, and general knowledge and association with these
persons. (S)

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Informant further identified IGOR VASILEVICH CHECHETKIN (Chief of Policy Coordination, Office of Controller) as a person of high rank in the Soviet "State Department". Informant explained that [the GRU UN Group, like the GRU General Group, has responsibility to contact and develop agents, but STARCHAK and PETRYASHEV have a special task and "go together" all over the country on weekends, every weekend, Saturdays, Sundays and Mondays to look at military installations." They observe movements, take pictures, note changes and look for new bases. According to informant, they use their cars and have a special camera that fits into a special part of the car so that pictures can be taken discreetly. They do not go on bases, however, because this might compromise them. Informant explained further that the KGB also has people (legals) who do this (S)

[Tass News Agency] (S)(u)

A list of Tass News Agency correspondents and other Soviet correspondents was displayed to informant and he identified the following (S)(u)

VLADIMIR I. BOGACHEV,
The only member of [the GRU General Group] (S) at Tass. (S)

Informant named all of the following persons [as KGB agents:] (S)

Tass Correspondents - DANILOV, ALEKSANDR Y.
PONOMAREV, LEONID S.
SAGATELYAN, MIKHAIL (Washington, D.C.)
TURKATENKO, NIKOLAI D.
VASILEV, GENNADI V.
VASHEDCHENKO, VLADIMIR V.
(Washington, D.C.)

[Pravda Correspondent - STRELNIKOV, BORIS G.] (u)

Ecomicheskaya Gazeta Correspondent - LOPUKHIN, MIKHAIL M.

Trud Correspondent - KURDYUMOV, NIKOLAI V.

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Izvestia Correspondent - KONDRASHOV, STANISLAV N.

Radio Moscow Correspondent - KALUGIN, OLEG D.

Selskaya Jizn Correspondent - LAURINCHYUKAS, ALBERTAS

(S)(u)

Amtorg Trading Corporation

From a list of Amtorg Trading Corporation and Intourist employees, informant identified the following: (S)(u)

- [GRU - General Group] (S)
- GENNADI I. GOROKHOV (Employee)
- SERGEI V. ZHDANOV (Chief Engineer) (S)
- [KGB] (S)
- KONSTANTIN P. SEMENOV (Employee) (u)

The above individuals were the only Soviets from the Amtorg Trading Corporation identified by informant, although the names of all Soviets employed there were examined by informant. (S)(u)

[GRU Personnel At Soviet Embassy Residency] (S)(u)

Informant was shown pages 49 and 50 (Embassy of the USSR), "Diplomatic List - Department of State, December, 1961". He identified the following persons (as GRU agents) (S)

- [Head of GRU] (S)
- IVAN I. BARABANOV (First Secretary)
- Assistants
- BORIS G. KOLODYAZHNY (First Secretary)
- MIKHAIL A. SHUMAEV (Second Secretary)
- Others
- VIKTOR A. OSIPOV (Second Secretary)
- GEORGI N. BOLSHAKOV (Assistant Information Secretary)
- Lt. Colonel ALEXANDR G. MANTROV (Assistant Military Attache)

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Informant stated that KOLODYAZHNY is [the only Illegal (S) Support Section officer] at the Embassy. He said that in all there are probably over 15 individuals [in the GRU residency] (S) at the Embassy, and generally they are broken down by groups as they are at the Sovdel. (S)

Informant advised that he knows of a [Radio-Technical (S) Group] at the Embassy that [monitors communications from military (S) installations] between Washington, D.C. and New York, and Washington, D.C. and Chicago. According to informant, [this is (S) done from an apartment] which he believes to be located in Arlington, Virginia, the residence of one of the [members of the legal (S) residency]. He said [MANTROV] is the head of this [Radio-Technical (S) Group] in Washington, D.C. (S)

Informant explained that this [monitoring of military (S) installation lines] is done by very special Russian radio equipment that covers "4, 13, 16 Channels, a wide field". He said the [broadcasts of the military are in code, but they (S) are recorded by Soviet monitors and the recordings] are sent back to Moscow to be analysed. He said [the monitoring] in (S) Washington, D.C., is more successful than that done at the Soviet Estate, which is at Oyster Bay on Long Island. He described the [equipment as very elaborate and technical, some (S) pieces as large as a bedroom dresser (he pointed out a specific chest of drawers in the bedroom) and other equipment that is carried in a "suitcase"]. He said he was not [technically (S) qualified to operate the equipment] or explain its specific use. He mentioned that the utilization of this [equipment is (S) such that the monitoring has to be in a direct line with the transmissions from "tower to tower"] He mentioned that the [transmissions from the "Pentagon" are monitored] and are sent (S) to Moscow [for "decoding"]. The [monitoring at] Long Island and (S) in Washington, D.C., are the same type, the only difference being in the location. He said [conversation (messages)] going (S) out of Washington, D.C., and those coming back [are monitored] (S)

Informant speculated that this might be done from [BOLSHAKOV's apartment or MANTROV's apartment], but he is not sure. (S) He mentioned that BOLSHAKOV was formerly an assistant to (Marshal) ZHUKOV. (S)

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Concerning the Embassy (residence) informant mentioned that General DUBOVIK (Lt. General VLADIMIR A. DUBOVIK, Military Attache) once held the position of SOLOVEV (VASILI I., Counsellor and Head of the GRU residency at the Sovdel), but due to the downgrading of the GRU military, he is now only subordinate to BARABANOV in Washington, D.C., even though BARABANOV holds only a Colonel's rank. Informant said that DUBOVIK is now only a figurehead.

Informant advised that KOLODJAZHNYI in Washington, D.C., now has a "task" to find a man who was here and to get all his documents. He said it is important that the man be 33-34 years of age, "or between 1928-1937". He said this person would already be included or registered in Selective Service. Informant said KOLODJAZHNYI told him he has 3-4 men in mind for this and got "them" from jury duty records and has a connection where he can get this information. In this regard, KOLODJAZHNYI is working on the documentation of "our man" (to be sent here). Informant reiterated that he knows almost for certain that there are no GRU illegals operated from Washington, D.C. It appears that the individual to whom informant has reference is undoubtedly BORIS G. KOLODYAZHNY.

Informant has advised that one of the primary problems of the Soviets is obtaining documentation of their illegals through Selective Service and this is one of the main tasks of the GRU.

PETR VNUKOVSKI

Informant advised that VNUKOVSKI is scheduled to arrive in the US on 3/10/62, to replace VASILI I. SOLOVEV (as head of the GRU residency) in NY. Informant again stated that this is in no way significant and it is not, to his knowledge, an indication of increased intelligence activities by the GRU. Informant described SOLOVEV as "well regarded" and as having "more brains than VNUKOVSKI".

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