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MEMORANDUM FOR: SR/COP

SUBJECT

Tentative Documentation Requirements for Spring 1955

REDSOX Agents

1. In order that a general, very tentative requirement for documentation for REDSOX agents to be dispatched spring 1955 may be levied upon TSS, the following plans are submitted:

a. Lithuania:

It is our intent to dispatch two Lithuanian agents to the Lithuanian SSR in the spring of 1955. A general, preliminary operational plan has been approved by SR/COP. One agent has been recruited for this operation; however, his utilization is dependent upon the recruitment of another agent who is to be the unofficial "leader" of the team. Several prospects have been spotted for this job; one of them is to be assessed very shortly. Training for both agents is to begin approximately 1 January 1955.

b. Estonia:

Should the need for another SAFARI-type mission into the northwest USSR not develop, it is planned to use AEHIKER/2 for an Estonian mission in the spring of 1955. At present a companion for AEHIKER/2, who is presently located in Sweden, is being cleared and will be assessed when clearance is received. Until a firm decision as to what type of mission AEHIKER/2 will be utilized on is reached, he will attend a commercial radio school and Russian language course. It is assumed that this decision will be reached by 1 January 1955, at which time the companion agent will have been cleared and assessed, enabling both agents to enter training approximately 1 January 1955.

c. Latvia:

In view of the fact that CAMBARO/2 and CAMUSO/2 have postponed their exfiltration (probably until spring 1955) these agents will continue to run the risk of being apprehended, thereby compromising the entire network of support and intelligence reporting agents which they have established. For this reason it may be wise to instruct these agents to sever all connections with a number of their recruits and to send to these recruits

guidance and materiel support through an agent whom we would dispatch in the spring of 1955. Three prospective agents have been spotted who may be utilized on this type of a mission. One of these has been assessed. No definite plans for recruitment and training have as yet been made.

2. Needless to say, the above plans are most tentative and will need to be discussed with all concerned in a great deal more detail prior to their implementation; however, it is felt that for documentation requirement needs, it could be stated to TSS that we plan to need documentation for two Lithuanian agents, two Estonian agents, and one Latvian agent.

Acting Chief, SR/2

