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FROM Chief of Base, Munich

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SUBJECT { GENERAL Operational/REDWOOD/AEQUOR/KUCAGE
SPECIFIC Transmittal of Soviet Article re AEQUOR Team II

- REFERENCES:
- A. EGMA-24872, 22 January 1957
 - B. MUNI-0979 (on 35230)
 - C. DIR-49082 (out 70004)
 - D. EGMA-25154, 7 February 1957
 - E. EGMA-25271, 11 February 1957

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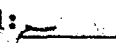
1. Transmitted under separate cover is an article which appeared in the 20 January 1957 edition of Identity A. The article in question is a follow up to those which appeared in the earlier editions of the same newspaper (in which the Soviets revealed that they had apprehended AEQUOR Team II) and presents several items (a photograph and a document) which purport to be documentary proof that the AEQUOR agents are associated with, and hence were dispatched by, AECAMBISTA-1.

2. The persons appearing in the photograph are Identity B, AECAM-POSANTO-9 and Identity C. (Please note that Identity C is an employee of BGCALLUS at the present time.) According to AECAMBISTA-11, the photograph, to the best of his knowledge, was taken at Louvain where the above three were in attendance at the University. (See also Para. 1 of Contact Report No. 11, Reference E.)

3. The photograph of the document appearing in the article is allegedly one with which AEQUOR Team II was equipped for the purpose of effecting contacts in the Byelorussian SSR in the name of AECAMBISTA-1 (and 4). According to AECAMBISTA-4, he cannot recall that he prepared or signed a document of this type for AEQUOR Team II; he did, however, issue documents similar to the one reproduced to Byelorussian prisoners of war who were returning from German PW camps during World War II. Because the document carries a date of "20.6.194", AECAMBISTA-4 is inclined to believe that it may be one which was obtained by the Soviets from a returning PW who had received it earlier from AECAMBISTA-1.

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Attachments

- A - Newspaper Article - Separate Cover
- B - Identities - Separate Cover

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