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Results of LCFLUTTER Examination of STERANT-1

REF : FJEW-675, dated 4 August 1954

1. Forwarded under separate cover are the results of the LCFLUTTER examination of STERANT-1 with comments made by [] and [] E, the two LCFLUTTER operators who conducted the subject examination. At the case officer's suggestion [], during his preliminary interviews with STERANT-1, covered the agent's past history in great detail, which brought to light new EI and clarified many aspects of STERANT-1's past, which heretofore have remained vague or unknown. This aspect of STERANT-1's examination will be forwarded as a separate dispatch as soon as it has been edited.
2. An examination of the LCFLUTTER results revealed that STERANT-1 reacted in two general areas of questioning. It is obvious that STERANT-1's wife suspects that he is employed by some PEPRIME intelligence organization, and that IDENTITY A is also aware of this connection. In the first case, that of the wife, the case officer feels that STERANT-1 can control the situation; in addition the wife is ignorant of the sponsor's true identity as well as STERANT-1's alias which he has registered with the Japanese Immigration officials; therefore, there is little security risk in what the wife might suspect or know about STERANT-1's present employment status. The case of IDENTITY A appears to be a little more serious. STERANT-1 denies that he has revealed the identity of his sponsor or the nature of his work to IDENTITY A; however, it must be assumed that IDENTITY A has pieced together enough information from his many contacts with STERANT-1 to know that the subject is an agent of some PEPRIME intelligence organization. The extent of STERANT-1's contacts with IDENTITY A are reported in detail in the general report referred to in paragraph one above.
3. STERANT-1 has been told to tighten up his personal security and specifically warned about his future contacts with IDENTITY A, which should, over a period of time, taper off and eventually discontinue altogether. The [] will closely monitor STERANT-1's relationship with IDENTITY A and require that STERANT-1 submit written reports covering any contact which

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he might have with IDENTITY A in the future.

4. Local file checks have been requested on all names appearing in the reports compiled from the examination of STERANT-1. The results of the checks will be forwarded to as soon as obtained.

Enclosures:

1. IDENTITY in dupl. - under separate cover
2. LCFLUTTER report dtd. 28 Sept 1954 in dupl. - under separate cover
3. LCFLUTTER report dtd. 15 Dec 1954 in dupl. - under separate cover

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