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PERSONAL RECORD QUESTIONNAIRE

PART II - OPERATIONAL INFORMATION

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CASE OFFICER:

1. If feasible, subject should fill in Part I of PRQ in his own hand.
2. Part II of PRQ is classified, must be filled in by the Case Officer and is not to be shown to subject.
3. Headquarters will not be able to provide an Operational Clearance unless it receives answers to 271 questions on page 1 of Part I (Items 1 to 127), and to all questions of Part II (Items 36 to 38).
4. In emergency these answers, keyed to Items 1 to 12 by number, and with summary of Part II, may be eabled to Headquarters, followed promptly by pouch with complete data.
5. Fully completed PRQ must be sent to Headquarters as soon as possible, two copies of Part I (including copy in subject's handwriting, if possible) and one copy of Part II.
6. Data required later must be sent to Headquarters in PRQ format on a continuing basis.
7. All pages of both parts will bear the PRQ number, composed of (a) Station symbol (a) PRQ (a) number assigned consecutively by the field station; e.g. YGA/PRO/10.

36. Cryptonym AEMARSH/14

37. How, when and where was subject first contacted or developed?
Subject has been affiliated with Latvian Emigre Affairs since the early 1940's. During this time, various Agency Staff and Contract Employees have been in contact with him. He has provided the Agency with information on Latvian Emigre affairs as well as information on Redskin, FI potential assets.
38. Could subject be turned over quickly and in a secure manner to someone else for handling? Yes To whom? To any mature and informed US Case Officer
39. Best estimate of subject's motivation Subject is a patriotic Latvian Nationalist who is severely engaged in trying to help free his native country from Soviet occupation. He is pro-Western in ideology and believes that Communism has no place in the Baltic States.

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40. With what agencies and files has subject's name been checked? When?

Result? What else has been done to verify biographical information

furnished by subject? RI, Green List, Division and Field Traces from POB, MOB, SIUT, FRAN and HELS show no derogatory information. The allegation from a field trace from [redacted] which tend to show that Subject has been a pro Nazi or Fascist collaborator do not appear to be feasible since it is quite improbable for him to have been an inmate in the Nazi Sachsenhausen concentration camp for 33 months had he collaborated with the Axis powers. Biographic information on Subject was supplied by AEXERO/1 who has known him during the past 30 years. This info checks out with that info obtained from requested traces.

41. What control exists over subject at present? How can it be increased?

Subject is a member of the Committee for Free Europe and his salary is furnished him by another Agency component, IO Division.

42. For what service does he think he is working? What does he think

becomes of his information?

Subject knows that he is in contact with CIA and knows that the information he provides is used for Intelligence purposes.

43. Explain fully subject's past or present connection with any

intelligence service.

Subject has been an informant for CIA for the past 7 years

44. What type of information has subject furnished? What type is he

best qualified by education and experience to furnish? Give

evaluation of information received. Subject has furnished biographic information on Latvian Nationals who were/are potential Redskin and Redsox agents. He is qualified to furnish some socio-political, economical and geographic information on the Latvian SSR; biographic information on Latvian and Baltic nationality Redskin potentials. Information of intelligence value which he receives from his extensive Baltic emigre contacts. Information which has been furnished by Subject has been considered reliable.

45. If subject's duties are to be other than intelligence gathering, explain. Subject will spot potential Redskin and Redsox agent personnel.
46. Has he been given special training as an agent? Explain.
No
47. How and from whom does he obtain information?
Due to Subject's membership in the Committee For Free Europe and due to his extensive contacts with leading Baltic personalities he is able to obtain information of intelligence value.
48. Is it proposed to pay subject a regular salary? If so, amount per week, month, etc. Explain any other methods of payment, such as exchange commodities.
Due to the fact that Subject receives financial support from another component of this Agency no salary will be paid. Subject will be compensated for operational expenses.
49. Have any promises or commitments whatsoever (not covered elsewhere in this form) been made to subject? Explain.
None
50. Are subject's language abilities and other characteristics such that he could pass as a native of a country or region other than his own? Explain.
No

51. What is subject's social standing? Aristocracy, upper middle class, lower middle class, peasantry, etc.?
Formerly aristocracy, presently middle class
52. What are subject's personal habits? Liquor, drugs, gambling, mistresses or lovers?
He is not known to indulge in any excesses
53. Evaluation of subject's character, reliability, security.
Agency Staff and Contract personnel who have been in contact with Subject have reported him to be most cooperative. He is straightforward, conscientious and considered reliable.
54. With what other foreign power would subject be most likely to collaborate because of his ideology, obligation, etc.? Explain.
Subject has the likelihood collaborate with an independent, democratic government if such were established in Latvia again.
55. What special abilities, talents, or qualifications are possessed by subject which would conceivably be of value for other operations in the future?
Subject has knowledge of and he is in contact with leading Latvian and Baltic emigre personalities. Subject's extensive contacts will be exploited for FI and Redskin operations
56. Attach samples of subject's signature and handwriting in all languages known to him, also a recent, dated photograph, and fingerprints.

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57. How was information in Part I obtained?

The information was obtained from [] who has known him during the past 30 years and from Field and Headquarter's traces.

58. Other miscellaneous operational data and comments.