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MEMORANDUM FOR:
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ATTENTION:

FROM:
 Chief, Operations Group

SUBJECT: Name Trace and Records Search--
 Colonel Boris T. Pash;
 Otto brecht Alfred Von Bolshwing;
 Artur Adolf Konradi; and
 Dr. Heinrich Graf Von Meran (Merna)

REFERENCES: A. OGC 78-5719 dated 29 August 1978 (C)
 B. United States Department of Justice
 (INS) Memorandum dated 18 July 1978

1. (S) An intensive search of the files of this Directorate revealed the following information on the individuals listed in the above references.

A. Colonel Boris T. Pash

There is no indication that PASH ever had contact with Bishop Valerian Trifa and no indication in Trifa's file that PASH was a contact of or even known to Trifa. PASH was interested in the Russian Orthodox Church (ROC) in San Francisco, California, and in May 1971 he alerted this Agency, after his return to active Army duty, of his concern that the ROC was possibly penetrated by Soviet intelligence. You may wish to contact the FBI for further information on Subject. PASH was a military detailee of this Agency from 1951 to 1953 and returned to active duty after that time. You

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may wish to consult U.S. Army files for further information regarding his active duty. As of May 1971 PASH's address was:

California

This search has revealed no indication whether Colonel PASH would be willing to speak truthfully or otherwise, to the U.S. Department of Justice, Immigration and Naturalization Service.

B. Artur Adolf Konradi

KONRADI was a German intelligence chief in Romania from 1938 to 1940. The latest information on KONRADI was from the British Army Prisoner of War interrogators which indicated that in 1946 KONRADI was in Dusseldorf, Germany, address Finkenweg 46, Dusseldorf, Bissingheim. KONRADI was never contacted or debriefed by this Agency. There is no information on his German intelligence contacts in Romania.

C. Dr. Heinrich Graf Von Meran (Merna)

MERAN has been described as secretary of the German Legation and a German agent during World War II in France, Turkey, and Austria. The files reflect no post-1944 information or address, and therefore no indication whether MERAN is still living.

D. Otto brecht Alfred Von Bolshwing

As of this date we have surfaced two CI memoranda which we are prepared to make available to the Department of Justice via

however, because this individual was involved in illegal activities, guidance from the Office of General Counsel is required. There are approximately two linear feet of information on BOLSHWING, most of which concerns operational matters that are not directly related to

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your request. Information on BOLSHWING will follow in a separate memorandum.

2. (U) The processing of this case was closely coordinated with [] On 27 October 1978 he reviewed all the DO information surfaced as a result of this search and specifically requested the above information be included in this memorandum.

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