

PROJECT STATUS REPORT			REPORTING PERIOD February 1951:		
1. CRYPTONYM	2. DIVISION OR BRANCH	3. COUNTRY	· ·	4. DATE ORIGINALLY APPROVED	
a. Program b. Project CADROWN	EE/PP/G	I	Berlin	a. Program b. Project	
5. NAME OF CASE OFFICER	ROOM NO. 2112 K	EXTENSION SI 3929	GNATURE OF	hee thee industry	
6. TYPE OF PROJECT FI PP TPM SUPPORT					
7. STATUS TO OPERATIONAL LIQUEDATING					
8. PERSONNEL ASSIGNED 0/	S U.S. 9. FY ALLOTMEN	T TO DATE	10. FY	OBLIGATIONS TO DATE	
U.S]	as of	end of January	

NOTE: This operation is engaged in developing stay-behind assets for wartime tasks consisting of Escape and Evasion, limited sabotage, drop zones and W/T facilities. In order to achieve these objectives, it is organizing and training assets during the cold war period. At present it has 80 cadre groups which are distributed geographically in accordance with the pattern of population concentration in the East Zone.

a. The German Mission recommended that CADROWN be phased out because it believed that it was not possible to maintain a paramilitary apparatus of the size of CADROWN over a long period of time without an inordinate number of arrests. Subsequent investigation indicated to German Mission that they should not attempt to salvage apparent CADROWN assets and continue the operation in any modification of its present form. Instead, the German Mission proposed for East German paramilitary operations a new concept of recruiting a small number of independent nuclei to support the requirements of the German Mission war plan, 1-53.

b. The new concept of a more limited East German staybehind program and the phasing out of CADROWN was concurred in by the home office with the suggestion of the possible utilization of the remaining secure CADROWN assets in current operations wherever possible. The field was also asked for the disposal plans for the CADROWN principal agent, and the CADROWN staff.

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