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25X1 SECURITY INFORMATION REPORT COUNTRY Bulgaria 5 June 1953 DATE DISTR. SUBJECT 1. Sketch of Malko Turnovo 2. Sketch of the Malko Turnovo NO. OF PAGES Militia Headquarters DATE OF INFO. REQUIREMENT NO. 25X1 REFERENCES PLACE ACQUIRED This is UNEVALUATED Information THE SOURCE EVALUATIONS IN THIS REPORT ARE DEFINITIVE. THE APPRAISAL OF CONTENT IS TENTATIVE.

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The freehand sketch of Malko Turnove, to be found on page 3 of this report,

On page 4 will be found a sketch of the Malko Turnove

Militia and State Security Headquarters. Following that the key to the Exetch of the town:

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- 1. Eastern Orthodox Church, on the Church Square.
- 2. Communist Party Headquarters, on the Church Square facing the church. It is a 2-story, grey, brick building, measuring 7-8 by 20 meters. The ground floor is occupied by a stationery and a dress shop. The second floor contains the Communist Party Headquarters, which occupy the whole floor.
- 3. Post Office Building, on the Church Square. It is a 2-story, grey, rectangular building, of brick, measuring about 7-8 meters on each side.
- 4. The State Savings Bank, next to the Post Office on a side street which leads to the Church Square.
- 5. The People's City Council Building, opposite the State Savings Bank on the side street leading to the square and in the second block from the square. It is a 1-story, brick building built before 1944 and not yet plastered. It measures about 7 meters square and about 10 meters in height. At the tentrance of the building there is a stairway of about 10 steps.
- 6. The Militia and State Security Headquarters is next to the People's City Council Building in the second block of the side street leading to the square. It is a 2-story brick building about 15 meters square. The ground floor is occupied by the Militia while the second floor contains the State Security Headquarters. There are generally 25 to 30 persons on duty in the building during the day, and about 10 to 15 persons at night.

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- 7. Coffee House.
- 8. Scrap Iron Yard.
- 9. Agricultural Products Administration.
- 10. State Highway Commission.
- 11. Barber Shop.
- 12. Grain Warehouse of the Agricultural Products Administration.
- 13. Park which contains a fountain.
- 14. Restaurant.
- 15. Hotel.
- 16. Fountain.
- 2. The only new construction in Malko Turnovo since September 1944 is the new maternity hospital which was completed in 1951. The new hospital is not located in the central part of Malko Turnovo and therefore is not shown on the sketch of this report.

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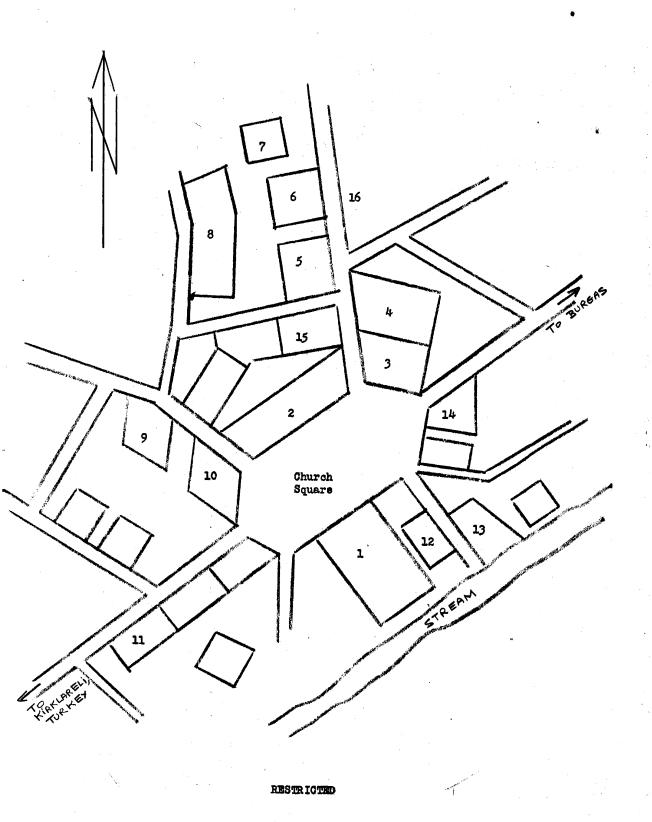
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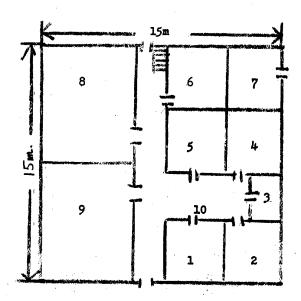
Freehand Sketch of Malko Turnovo (Not Drawn to Scale)



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Malko Turnovo Militia and State Security Headquarters - Ground Floor (Freehand Sketch not Drawn to Scale)



Key:

- City Registration Office and File Room.
- 2. Militia Commanding Officer's Office.
- 3. Squad Room.
- 4. Cells.
- Cells.
- 5. Wash Room and Toilet.
- 7. Storeroom.
- 8. Empty Room.
- 9• Dormitory.
- 10. Hallway.

Note: Item 6 of the map on page 3 shows the location of this building which contains the Malko Turnovo Militia Headquarters on its ground floor and the State Security on the second.

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