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| COUNTRY        | USSR (Baltic)     | REPORT          | [REDACTED]        |
| SUBJECT        | Port of Leningrad | DATE DISTR.     | 16 September 1954 |
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1. At 0805 hours on 29 May 1954 while [REDACTED] ship was enroute to Leningrad, a naval vessel was observed at position N 58-20, E 20-00 proceeding at high speed on a northerly course. [REDACTED] described the vessel as having one gun on the foredeck, a mast aft of the bridge, a slanted stack, a short aftermast, and one gun on the afterdeck. 25X1
2. At 1050 hours on 29 May, a naval vessel of the same type as that described above passed position N 58-52, E 21-20. [REDACTED] (See Sketch No. 1). This vessel was engaged in an exercise with a larger vessel [REDACTED] (See Sketch No. 2). Both vessels disappeared in a northerly direction. 25X1
3. On 30 May a naval vessel of the same type [REDACTED] was observed in Kronshtadt Harbor. 25X1
4. At 0900 hours on 31 May, a naval vessel [REDACTED] with the name MINSK painted on the stern frame was observed being towed up the canal in Leningrad.<sup>1,2</sup> A submarine [REDACTED] was towed down the canal by two tug boats. The submarine was longer than [REDACTED] ship, which was 265 feet overall. (See Sketch No. 3) 25X1
5. On 4 June two naval vessels passed [REDACTED] ship at a great distance. (See Sketch No. 4). On the afterdeck there appeared to be two white deckhouses or containers. 25X1
6. At 1900 hours on 4 June, at a position eight nautical miles north of Seyskari Island (N 60-02, E 28-23) eight submarines were observed proceeding in line formation. They entered a bay on the south side of the island. 25X1

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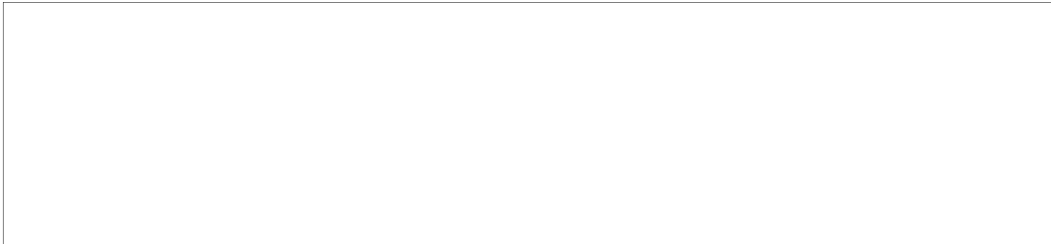
1.  Comment:  referring to the Morskoy Canal.
2.  Comment: Naval Vessel , the MINSK, is a destroyer of Leningrad Class.

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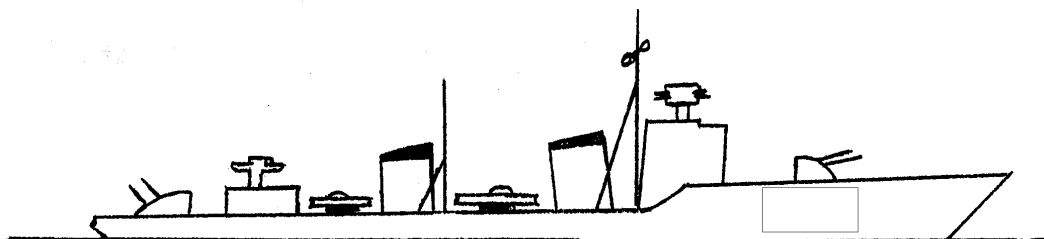
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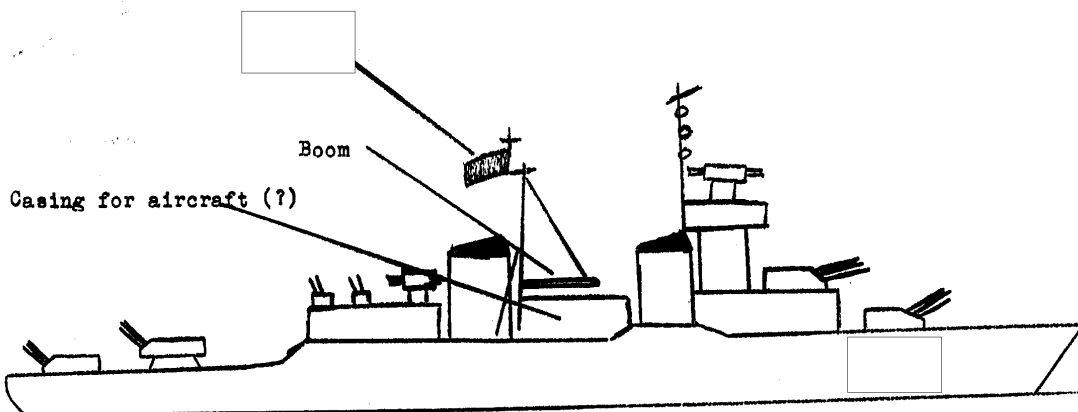
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Sketch No. 1:  
Sketch of Soviet Naval Vessel:



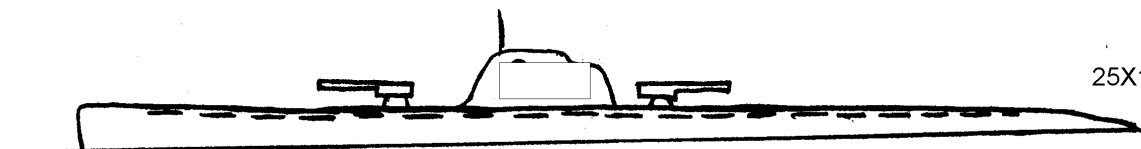
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Sketch of Soviet Naval Vessel:



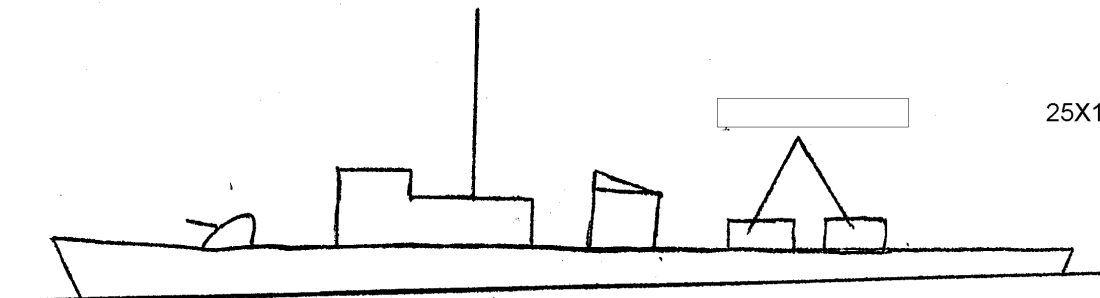
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Sketch No. 3:  
Sketch of Soviet Submarine:



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Sketch No. 4:  
Sketch of Soviet Naval Vessel:



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