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REPORT NO. [REDACTED]

TOPIC Parndorf Airfield

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EVALUATION [REDACTED]

PLACE OBTAINED [REDACTED]

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DATE OF CONTENT [REDACTED]

DATE OBTAINED [REDACTED]

DATE PREPARED 5 November 1954

REFERENCES [REDACTED]

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PAGES 2 ENCLOSURES (NO. & TYPE) [REDACTED]REMARKS This is UNEVALUATED
Information

1. Between 1000 and 1300 on 13 October 1954, 18 MiG-15s, 2 Yak-11s, 1 Li-2 and 1 biplane were observed at Parndorf airfield. Of the MiG-15s, 2 were parked near the aircraft repair shop. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] One MiG-15 had a portion of its left wing disassembled. A letter, presumably a "Y" was observed at the end of the number and was slightly higher than the number. A yellow stripe, about 10 cm wide, was painted around the second third of the fuselage. There was a 1/10 overcast, a northerly wind of about 5 km/h and good visibility. No air activity was seen. 1

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2. Several motor vehicles were parked between the temporary buildings. The AA gun emplacement was occupied by 5 x 37-mm AA guns. Near each gun there were 2 men who were engaged in some unidentified work. 2 Six tank trucks were parked under the newly-constructed motor vehicle sheds. Five van-like trucks and 2 trailers for van-like trucks were observed in front of the sheds.

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3. The umbrella-type antenna on top of the 6-meter-high mast and the van-like truck were still observed at their previous location. Three pointed tents and 2 house tents were being set up about 100 meters south of the radar set at the northwestern edge of the field. Another 100 meters to the south there was 1 x 37-mm AA gun and 2 searchlights, the latter about 50 meters apart and arranged in a line from northwest to southeast. Small white flags were placed in a N-S row across the field and in line with the Parndorf railroad station. 3

4. Vehicles were seen moving on the southern edge of the field. They went from west to east and east to west. The reason for this traffic could not be determined. [REDACTED]

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5. The air force quarters in Bruck/Leitha were guarded by sentries who wore black-bordered blue apulets. Five men wearing the same service color were seen playing with children in the gardens. No vehicular traffic or

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parked vehicles were seen. 4

1.  Comment. It is believed that Parndorf airfield is still occupied by a Soviet fighter regiment.


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2.  Comment. The AA gun emplacements had been vacant for a long period.

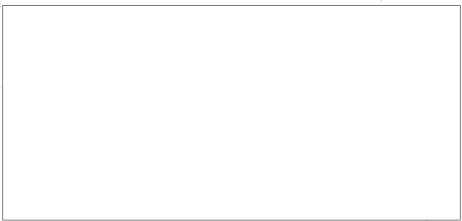
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4.  Comment. Elements of the air force personnel stationed at Parndorf airfield are quartered in Bruck/Leitha.

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