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COUNTRY Germany (Soviet Zone) REPORT [redacted]

TOPIC Soviet Troops Departing from Cottbus and Luebben

EVALUATION [redacted] PLACE OBTAINED [redacted]

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1. Trucks [redacted] each towing a gun of 100 to 120 mm, entered the Alvensleben Kaserne, Cottbus (N 52/A 57), on 13 April 1951, coming from the direction of Seelow (O 53/V 55). Truck [redacted] was identified at the Funcker Kaserne. [redacted] Sachsendorf Kaserne [redacted] units stationed [redacted] departed for Weisswasser on 15 April. 50X1-HUM
2. Six boxcars and 30 flatcars were prepared for the loading of troops at the Luebben (N 52/A 28) railroad station on the morning of 15 April. [redacted] four troop trains, each consisting of about 6 boxcars and 30 flatcars, [redacted] left Luebben for Weisswasser during the night of 14 April. 50X1-HUM
3. On 15 April [redacted] trains of about 70 axles have been assembled at a rate of 2 to 4 trains per day since 13 April. The trains were loaded with troops at the Cottbus railroad station at night and left for Weisswasser. 50X1-HUM
4. A troop train of 2 flatcars carrying four 76.2-mm AT guns and 24 boxcars loaded with billeting equipment and baggage stood along the ramp of the Cottbus railroad station on the morning of 17 April. Soldiers wearing red-bordered black epaulets with artillery insignia were securing the AT guns on the flatcars. \*

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\*  Comment. The loading operations were linked with the movement of units of the 9th Mezz Div from Cottbus and Luebben to Weisswasser.

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