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[Redacted]

1. [Redacted] units of the 4 Field Army under the command of FANG Ch'iang (2455/1730)¹ moved from Tungkuan (113-46, 23-02) Hsien to positions at Aot'ou (113-15, 24-14), Bias Bay, Shayuyung (114-24, 22-36), Kueilingtao² (7898/7881/1497), and Swatow.³ [Redacted] 5,000 men wearing the insignia of the 9 Detachment (chiu chih tui 0046/2655/7130) moved into the Tungkuan area to take up the positions vacated by FANG Ch'iang's troops.⁴ 50X1-HUM

2. Fifty Soviets arrived at Canton [Redacted] 50X1-HUM

3. KAO Fu (7559/0479), a native of Tanshui (114-28, 22-47) and a regimental commander in the Kwangtung-Kwangsi Column⁵, revolted against the Communists after they executed his brother in Tanshui. KAO fled to the mountains near Huiyang (114-26, 23-05), where the Communists are now searching for him. [Redacted] KAO has 300 men under his command.⁶ 50X1-HUM

1. [Redacted] Comment. According to available information, FANG Ch'iang commands the 44 Army, which was last reliably reported in the Canton area.

2. [Redacted] Comment. Possibly Kueilingchou (115-26, 22-40). 50X1-HUM

3. [Redacted] Comment. This should be regarded as an amplification of the information [Redacted] which reported the coastward movement of all units of the 4 Field Army in the East River area. 50X1-HUM

4. [Redacted] Comment. [Redacted] the Chinese Communist use or chih tui (2388/7130) as a substitute designation for regiment. As neither the 9 Regiment, Division, nor Army is in this area, possibly the 9 Detachment reported here is a militia or public security unit. [Redacted] 50X1-HUM

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5.  Comment. This column is believed to be inactivated.

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6.  Comment. Although the date of KAO's revolt was not stated, presumably it occurred sometimes in October.

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