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TO : Chief, FDP through Chief, STW

DATE: 12 December 1951

FROM : Chief C N.C.T.

SUBJECT: GENERAL Operational
SPECIFIC ~~X~~ Bulgarian National Front Proposition to SHAF

1. On 18 December 1951 C 1 told C 1 that he had been in personal contact with Bogomir MARINOFF. SUBJ IN CONTACT WITH FIS
2. MARINOFF was said by C 1 have presented the enclosed paper to French Colonel ELLIOT (fau), and Intelligence Officer at SHAF.
3. ELLIOT transmitted the paper to C 1 and C 1 was designated to contact MARINOFF.
4. C 1 said that he asked MARINOFF whether the National Front had any operational elements or agent candidates in France. MARINOFF said that he (M) did not know of the existence of any such men either in France or elsewhere, but that a certain (true name of) GASTA had recently arrived in France and could be of greatest assistance in this direction. MARINOFF said that GASTA was a National Front man with recent experience with National Front elements of intelligence value in Greece.
5. C 1 said that he sensed that if MARINOFF actually had anything to offer, he was not ready to offer it at the moment. C 1 left MARINOFF with a promise to think the situation over, discuss it with his superiors, and then call MARINOFF for a future meeting.
6. C 1 suggested that C 1 let MARINOFF cool off for a while, then call him after the first of the new year, and try to pin him (M) down as to whether he has anything of operational interest. C 1 will follow this line.

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