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 FROM : []
 ACTION: WH (1-2)
 INFO : DCI (3), D/DCI (4), DD/P (L) (5)

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[] (IN 15357) 0931Z 4 FEB 54 ROUTINE
 TO: (OPIM) SLINC INFO: DIR PRECEDENCE
 PBSUCCESS RYBAT CITE: []
 FROM PIVALL

1. LIAISON WITH [] IS THROUGH PERSONAL CONTACT WITH MAJOR []
2. [] ASSURES PIVALL THAT PLANE WILL BE HELD PHYSICALLY SECURE UNTIL CALLIGERIS NOTIFIES HIM AS TO ITS DISPOSAL.
3. [] GAVE GO AHEAD TO TRAINING PROGRAM. [] WHOLLY APPROVES. HAD NEVER DISCONTINUED ENTIRELY. PIVALL HAD PERSONALLY TRAINED THREE POSSIBLE ASSISTANTS FOR CADRE. ALL TURNED OUT EXCELLENT. CAN MAINTAIN ACTIVITIES FOR AT LEAST TEN MORE DAYS WHILE PIVALL IN [] PIVALL HAS BEEN COMMUTING [] EARLY MORNING AND LATE NIGHT.
4. [] WANTS COMMO GEAR MOVED, BUT WILL DO SO ONLY ON REQUEST OF SEEKFORD WHO LEFT WORD WITH [] THAT GEAR WAS NOT TO BE MOVED UNTIL HIS RETURN. [] EXPECTS SEEKFORD TO RETURN THREE OR FOUR FEB.

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5. [] PAID. TURNED OVER SOME RECEIPTS THAT MAY BE OF INTEREST LINC. WILL POUCH. HAVE ALWAYS BEEN CAREFUL WITH HIM. TOO WELL KNOWN HERE AND DRINKS EXCESSIVELY.

6. SALE OF LAUNCH WILL BE COMPLETE 3 FEB.

7. HAVE PERSONALLY MET ONE [] (THRU CHIEF PERSONNEL) WHO HAS A MARKET FOR SPITFIRE AIRCRAFT. ABSOLUTELY NO COMMITMENTS BECAUSE PIVALL COMPLETELY IGNORANT THIS PHASE. [] STATED 18 AVAILABLE PLUS ONE P-39. CLAIMS TO HAVE U.S. PASSPORT, ACQUIRED BY HAVING SERVED U.S. ARMY WORLD WAR TWO. STATION FORT ORD MAJOR PART OF WAR. TRUE NATIONALITY UNKNOWN. CLAIMED TO BE DISTRIBUTOR FOR GENERAL PAINTS INC. SAID HE IS GOING TO U.S. AROUND 14 FEB TO CLOSE OUT \$50,000 DEAL. DID NOT SAY WHAT KIND. CLAIMS TO WORK OUT OF SALV AND SOMETIMES SANJ. SAID HE SPOKE TO SEEKFORD AND DELGADO RE SALE AIRCRAFT.

8. PIVALL RETURNING LINC 5 FEB TO DISCUSS OVERALL CONDITIONS. THINGS CALM HERE SO BEST OPPORTUNITY. FURTHER PIVALL DOES NOT DESIRE OR INTEND MEDDLE IN AFFAIRS LINC HAS NOT ADVISED. INITIALLY CONTRACTED AS TRAINING INSTRUCTOR. PRESENTLY FINDS HIMSELF EVERYTHING FROM INTELLIGENCE SPECIALIST TO CHAPLAIN. HERE SUFFICIENT PROBLEMS TO JUSTIFY TRIP. NO SERIOUS INTERRUPTIONS. ADVISE SOONEST.

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