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SUBJECT : Underground movements and personalities in Hungary.

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FARKAS, Ferenc, leading member (ideologist) of the Hungarian Christian Socialist Party states that through his connections and conversations with KELETY, Bela, commander of the SM armed security organization called "WHITE GUARD" he has found the following traces of other underground resistance groups operating in Hungary:

a. "TEMPLUMS KENNY" Order of the Knight Templars, a roman catholic underground resistance group with apparent connections to the cistercian order. The group has approx., 7000 members, their head is ~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~ KERT, Pal, Budapest, Szondi utca 93 & 97, assistant head and ideologist is Dr. KOCH, Kurt, Budapest, Pali Kalman ter (?) 2. KELETY, Bela White Guard commander takes active part in the leadership of the Knight Templars. FARKAS conducted negotiations with KOCH to bring the two groups together. Purpose of the order is to conduct armed underground fight against the enemies of the roman catholic church, in this case the communists. The order's european president resides in VIENNA and the order in Hungary has constant contact with him, how he did not know, FARKAS observed though that KOCH repeatedly received code letters.

b. LIPLAK, Aurel former hungarian army captain, former instructor of the Hungarian Military Academy, was CC of FARKAS at the ACADEMY. The superintendent of the Academy in those days was SASKA, Elemer vezertárnagy (major general?) now in the US Zone of Austria. Kety thought hat SASKA is in contact with the Americans.

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c. KARVAZ, Kalman, former Hungarian Army and rural police Lt. Academy classmate of FARKAS. Subject has a well kept secret connections with a western intelligence service. He is either technical or radio officer of a group in Hungary. KARVAZ's family consisted of several high ranking anti fascist army officers. He himself was always anti nazi and anti communist. It appears that KARVAZ separates himself from all resistance groups in order to keep his cover and security

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