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1. FOLLOWING BDC SUMMARY PROVIDED AS REQUESTED IN REFTEL:

GUNNE, ROLAND ERICH

POB: AGNETHELN, TRANSYLVANIA

DOB: DECEMBER 11, 1913 (NOTE DIFFERENT DPOB IN REFTEL)

OCCUPATION: BOOKKEEPER, CORRESPONDENT, EDITOR, CLERK

ADDRESS: KRONSTADT/(#)

(HEADQUARTERS OF THE ETHNIC GERMAN GROUP, 1942/44)

2. GUNNE WAS A MEMBER OF THE HITLER YOUTH FROM 1931 TO 1939 AND IS THE HOLDER OF THE GOLDEN HJ BADGE. FROM 1931 ON HE WAS ACTIVE WITHIN SEVERAL ACTIVITIES OF THE ROMANIAN NATIONAL SOCIALIST MOVEMENT. FROM 1932 TO JULY 1933 HE WAS EMPLOYED AS EDITOR BY THE NS PAPER "OSTDEUTSCHER BEOBACHTER". FROM JULY 1933 TO FEBRUARY 1934 HE WAS WITH THE FREIWILLIGER ARBEITSDIENST IN GERMANY. IN 1934 HE ATTENDED COURSES AT THE REICH-

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SJUGENDFUEHRERSCHULE AT POTSDAM AND THE HOCHSCHULE FUER POLITIK, BERLIN. HE WAS SUBSEQUENTLY ACTIVE AS ADJUTANT AND DEPUTY OF THE HITLER YOUTH "POMMERN-MITTE".

3. GUNNE SERVED IN THE ROMANIAN ARMY FROM NOVEMBER 1934 TO OCTOBER 1935; LAST RANK HELD WAS 2D LIEUTENANT. FROM NOVEMBER 1935 TO AUGUST 1939 HE WAS EMPLOYED AS EDITOR OF THE NS PAPER DEUTSCHE TAGESZEITUNG", RESPONSIBLE FOR POLITICAL NEWS AND ECONOMY; SIMULTANEOUSLY AS LEADER OF THE PRESS AND PROPAGANDA SECTION OF THE ROMANIAN YOUTH MANAGEMENT. FROM 1937 TO 1938 HE WAS MANAGING DIRECTOR OF THE NATIONAL PROPAGANDA MANAGEMENT OF THE NS GERMAN PARTY IN ROMANIA.

4. ON SEPTEMBER 23, 1939, GUNNE JOINED THE WAFFEN SS, SS MEMBERSHIP NUMBER 456012. HE HELD THE FOLLOWING WAFFEN SS RANKS: 2D LIEUTENANT, RESERVE, MARCH 1943; 1ST LIEUTENANT, RESERVE, APRIL 1944; CAPTAIN, RESERVE, JUNE 1944. HE SERVED WITH THE FOLLOWING WAFFEN SS UNITS: SS ARTILLERY REPLACEMENT DETACHMENT, BERLIN LICHTERFELDE, SEPTEMBER 1939 TO MARCH 1940; RECRUITING OFFICE OF THE WAFFEN SS, MARCH 1940 TO JUNE 1942; 10TH SS ARTILLERY REPLACEMENT REGIMENT, MUNICH, MARCH TO JUNE 1942; 6TH SS ARTILLERY REGIMENT "ADOLF HITLER", FROM JUNE 26, 1942; DETAILED TO THE 8TH WAR RESERVE OFFICER CANDIDATE COURSE AT THE SS SCHOOL TOELZ, SEPTEMBER TO DECEMBER 1942; SS CORPS MORTAR DETACHMENT, FROM DECEMBER 12, 1942; SS OPERATIONAL HEADQUARTERS, UNTIL MAY 20, 1944; STAFF DETACHMENT, SS PERSONNEL MAIN OFFICE, FROM MAY 1944 AND DETAILED TO THE REICH SECURITY MAIN OFFICE. IN MARCH 1940, GUNNE HAD BEEN DETAILED TO THE SD WHICH SENT HIM FOR INTELLIGENCE SERVICE AFFAIRS TO THE BALKANS. HE WAS ESTABLISHED IN THE LIAISON OFFICES AT THE OFFICE OF THE MAIN DELEGATE FOR ROMANIA AND AT THE OFFICE OF THE GERMAN MAIN AGENT FOR THE RESETTLEMENT FROM THE SOVIET UNION.

5. DURING THE BALKAN CAMPAIGN, GUNNE WAS ACTIVE WITHIN THE "EINSATZGRUPPE GRIECHENLAND DES CHEFS DER SICHERHEITSPOLIZEI UND DES SD", (SPECIAL COMMAND OF THE SECURITY POLICE AND THE SECURITY SERVICE IN GREECE). IN JULY 1941, HE WAS APPOINTED AS LEADER OF THE ETHNIC GERMAN GROUP IN ROMANIA. IN MARCH 1942, HE RETURNED TO SERVE IN MILITARY FORMATIONS OF THE WAFFEN SS. IN 1944 HE WAS ASSIGNED AS COMMANDER OF THE GERMAN DEFENSE GROUP TO THE ROMANIAN MINERAL OIL REGION, BY OFFICE VI OF THE REICHSSICHERHEITSHAUPTAMT. HE FAILED TO RETURN FROM THIS ASSIGNMENT AND WAS LISTED AS MISSING SOMETIME DURING FALL OF 1944. LEDSKY

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