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SUBJECT: ALBANIAN LEADER HOXHA

REF: DIRECTOR 621681

1. BONN CAN NOT COMMENT ABOUT THE RUMORED DEATH OF  
ALBANIAN LEADER ENVER ((HOXHA)), BUT WE WISH TO CALL HQS  
ATTENTION TO AN ARTICLE THAT APPEARED IN THE "FRANKFURTER  
ALLGEMEINE ZEITUNG" ON 20 JULY. THE ARTICLE, ENTITLED "A  
NEW TONE IN ALBANIA," WAS WRITTEN BY VIKTOR ((MEIER)), "FAZ"  
EAST EUROPEAN CORRESPONDENT WHO WORKS OUT OF VIENNA AND IS,  
IN OUR OPINION, ONE OF THE BEST-INFORMED JOURNALISTS ABOUT  
MATTERS EAST EUROPEAN. MEIER DOES NOT MENTION ANY RUMORS ABOUT  
HOXHA'S DEATH-- PERHAPS THAT IS SIGNIFICANT IN ITSELF BECAUSE  
HE HAS GOOD CONTACTS WITH YUGOSLAVS. MEIER POINTS OUT THAT  
THE MAN WHO MORE AND MORE IS COMING TO THE FOREFRONT AND IS  
THE "LEADING MAN" IN ALBANIA IS RAMIZ ((ALIA)), ALSO PLAYING  
A SIGNIFICANT ROLE IS ADIL ((CARCANI)).

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- 2. ASSUME FAZ ARTICLE WILL SOON BE AVAILABLE IN HQS.
- 3. WISH TO ASSURE HQS THAT VERY RELIABLE SOURCES REPORT  
THAT TITO IS STILL DEAD.
- 4. NO FILE. DECL: OADR DRV HUM 4-82. ALL SECRET.

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