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FROM: VIENNA ROUTINE
TO: SPECIAL OPERATIONS 24 MAR 47
ACTION: FBM (1-2) IN 11228
INFORMATION: ADSO (3-4), COPS (5), REG (6), FBK (7)

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CORRESPONDENCE FOR PARAS B1 (1) SOA AR-380-8. COPY # 7
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TO: WASHF INFO: LOND, HEID CITE: VIEN

RE #WASH 0534.

1. KLATT AND KALMAN TRANSFERRED IN CUSTODY USFET CIC AGENT BY MILITARY TRAIN FROM FRANKFURT TO SALZBURG 10 MARCH. TURNED OVER TO CIC SALZBURG AND NOW LIVING IN CIC HOTEL, OLD FOX CLAMTANYGTG (AS RECEIVED-BEING SERVICED).

2. COL. HOWARD (ALSO REC'D HOWAR.B) TOOK NO ACTION ON VERBAL AGREEMENT WITH DD III. BY NEW GENERAL ORDER CIC CAN NO LONGER INTERN ON SECURITY GROUNDS, CAMP MARCUS W ORR SCHEDULED TO BE TURNED OVER TO AUSTRIAN AUTHORITIES WITH IN NEXT MONTH OR TWO.

3. WE HAVE DECIDED NOT TO ATTEMPT INTERN OR IMPRISON KLATT BECAUSE: A. FACTORS POINTED OUT PARA 2 ABOVE. B. INTERNMENT OR IMPRISONMENT WOULD PROBABLY RESULT IN SPREAD OF KNOWLEDGE TO FELLOW PRISONERS REFERENCE KLATT'S ACTIVITIES AND CONNECTIONS. C. PUNITIVE ACTION MIGHT FURTHER ENBITTER KLATT TO POINT OF

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4. FOLLOWING DISPOSITION PLANNED:

A. KLATT AND KALMAN NOT BE ALLOWED RESIDE SALZBURG.
CIC WILL FIND RESIDENCE IN COUNTRY, PROBABLY IN MITTERSILL.

B. CIC HAS SEVERELY WARNED KLATT NOT TO UNDERTAKE FURTHER
INTELLIGENCE ACTIVITY AND NOT TO REACTIVATE INTELLIGENCE CONTACTS.

C. CIC THOROUGHLY BRIEFED REFERENCE KLATTS ACTIVITIES
AND CONTACTS AND WILL MAINTAIN SURVEILLANCE.

D. TELEPHONE AND MAIL CENSORSHIP WILL BE IMPOSED WHERE
POSSIBLE.

5. KLATT ASKED CIC FOR VANCE BY NAME. WAS TOLD VANCES UNIT
DISSOLVED AND VANCE RETURNED US. CIC STATES KLATT IN POOR
PHYSICAL CONDITION. APPEARING HAVE NO WISH ENGAGE IN FURTHER
INTELLIGENCE ACTIVITIES. STILL INTENDS MARRY KALMAN.

6. POUCHING FURTHER DETAILS.

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