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AGENT REPORT (SR 300-330-10)		DAR-7139
1. NAME OF SUBJECT OR TITLE OF INCIDENT  Personality of Intelligence Interest [REDACTED], Salzburg, Austria	2. DATE SUBMITTED <i>Read [unclear]</i>  3. CONTROL SYMBOL OR FILE NUMBER 10 September 1964	
4. SUMMARY OF INFORMATION <div style="text-align: right; margin-bottom: 5px;">             NK-450-A-1-05192-( )              4/CS-24761           </div> <p>On 9 September 1964 Informant [REDACTED] submitted the following information concerning Ing. Richard MUDR-LETT, a former chief of the German Intelligence (Abwehr) during World War II, residing Schwarzstrasse 20, Salzburg, Lara Salzburg, Austria:</p> <p>SUBJECT, owner of the firm Edeka, import, export and wholesale, Schwarzstrasse 20, Salzburg, claims not to be engaged in intelligence activities at present although he takes considerable interest in information or news connected with intelligence. In this capacity and as a self-styled expert on German and other intelligence organizations SUBJECT made a number of comments on the recent defection of Mr. Otto John, Chief of the Office for the Protection of the Constitution (amt fuer Verfassungsschutz), to the Soviet bloc. SUBJECT stated that it was his opinion that during World War II, John and his brother worked for German Military Intelligence under Admiral Wilhelm Canaris and when things began looking unfavorable for Germany, began to work for the British Intelligence Service and finally defected to the British when the assassination attempt against Adolf Hitler failed on 20 July 1944. Following this reasoning John possibly learned through his contacts with the Soviet bloc that a new war will soon begin in the Far East centering around Formosa, stronghold of the Nationalist Chinese and that this war may well spread to Europe. John also was strongly aware that the French Parliament would not ratify the European Defense Community treaty. Such an act would then be followed by revolutionary events in Germany, during which the Communists might succeed in forestalling a civil war preceded by an insurrection, murder of general strikes. Recent strikes in Hamburg and Lara Bavaria, Germany, were a prelude to this trend, possibly a dress rehearsal by the Communists. SUBJECT stated that imminent major political changes are always heralded by defections of chiefs of intelligence services to the other side. This was noted during World War II in Germany. Even before the plot against Hitler, <u>and Goytsch, first name unknown, chief of German Intelligence in Turkey, defected in 1943 to British Intelligence after he learned of Allied plans for an invasion of the European continent.</u> SUBJECT stated that a person who had once made a change of national allegiance should not be trusted further.</p> <p>b. SUBJECT also expressed interest in several local persons of intelligence interest including <u>Georg [unclear], a former collaborator of Wilhelm Keetli, former GIB official, Willi Rokitta, friend of Baron Viktor Kroin, alleged French Intelligence agent, and one Ottilie [unclear], Salzburger, wife of Police Counsellor (Polizeirat) <u>Herr, Franz Gieba, and Franz [unclear], alleged NS agent.</u></u> SUBJECT stated that in addition to a well furnished</p>		
5. TYPED NAME AND ORGANIZATION OF SPECIAL AGENT 650th SIG Region A (65018 Jrg)	6. SIGNATURE OF SPECIAL AGENT <i>CS 0071 034</i>	

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apartment at Residenzplatz 9, Salzburg, Uebl who manages an office for Rokitta has expanded his offices to the extent of taking five office rooms at the Griesgassen Durchbruch, Salzburg. SUBJECT believed that this was an intelligence cover and that Rokitta and Skrein are now collaborating by pooling their information. Skrein sends his material to the FIS and Rokitta and Uebl to the West German Intelligence Service. SUBJECT's interest in Ottilie Klieba, owner of the firm "Warge", a translation, secretarial, and credit agency, Wangplatz 6, Salzburg, has been aroused frequent visits of Austrian State Police Investigators who inquired of him to determine whether or not Ottilie Klieba is an agent of the German Intelligence, despite the fact the Ottilie Klieba's husband is a leading official in the Salzburg Police. SUBJECT also stated that Franz Horant, alleged RIS agent, currently in the Land Court (Landesgericht) jail Salzburg, made several attempts to lure him to Vienna, Austria, for a conference with a Soviet colonel promising him immunity from arrest. SUBJECT claims to have told Horant that if the Soviet colonel wanted to confer with him, he could come to Salzburg and would be able to promise the Soviet colonel that nothing would happen to him. Horant told SUBJECT that the colonel was interested in offering SUBJECT a high position in the RIS. SUBJECT stated that in 1953 he was similarly approached by one Sonja, last name unknown, a refugee staying in a DP camp in Salzburg, who formerly worked as a female agent in Budapest, Hungary. Sonja wanted SUBJECT to visit a Soviet lieutenant colonel in Vienna stating that the Soviets wanted to offer SUBJECT a field grade commission and promised SUBJECT that he would not be arrested. Sonja left the Salzburg area in late 1953 is currently believed to be in Vienna. (C-6)

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