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Date: 13 July

TO : Chief of Base, Fulda

FROM : Chief of Mission, Frankfurt

SUBJECT: General - Operational / DATA/US EXTRADITION

Specific - Eng. Max Klinger

REF : EOLA-5717, 23 April 1954

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Re-75576

SUBJECT: Central Registry Check Re: Ing. Max KRAMER

TO: Commanding Officer
Department of Army Detachment
APO 757, US Army

1. Reference is made to your letter No. 4159, subject as above, dated 6 May 1956.

2. In compliance with your request, the name of SUBJECT was checked against the files of Central Registry, 65th CIC Group; the following information was disclosed:

Max KRAMER, your request. Information is held on one Karl-MAY or MAY not be identical to Max KRAMER, your request. KRAMER was arrested by the 510th OIS Detachment at PUNZBERG on 13 June 1945 and charged with being an National Sozialistische Deutsche Arbeiter Partei (National Socialist German Workers Party) (NSDAP) member since 1923, a close friend of HITLER, and having been in PARIS (date not indicated) to handle slave labor to be sent to Germany. On 2 August 1945 he denied all charges for which he was arrested. (B-2) In August 1945 KRAMER admitted having been a member of the NS Volkswohlfahrt (National Welfare Organization) (NSV) in 1939, the NS-Kriegeropfervervorsorgung (NSKOV) in 1934 and the NS Bund der Deutschen Freikorps in 1935. (B-3) In August 1945 an investigation by an Allied Intelligence Agency disclosed no evidence to substantiate charges on arrest report. In April 1946 KRAMER was reported to have spent some time in ST. GERMAIN, France, during the Hitler regime, with the title of "Der Bevollmächtigte fuer Nordwestfrankreich" (The All Powerful Ambassador for Northwest France). (No evaluation) In September 1946 it was reported that he was under town arrest in BAD TOLZ and that a request had been made by the Public Health authorities of BAD TOLZ to have KRAMER placed in a sanatorium in MUNCH. (B-2) In February 1947 KRAMER was being cleared for extradition to France (reason not indicated). (There is no indication as to whether or not he was extradited). (B-2) (CONFIDENTIAL)

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