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3. ADVANTAGE OF STATEMENT REF B IS THAT U.S. GOVERNMENT PER SE NOT SO SERIOUSLY IMPLICATED, BUT PROTECTION STILL PROVIDED GERMAN DEFENDENTS SINCE THEY HAD NO WAY ~~(PORTION GARBLED, BEING SERVICED)~~ OF KNOWING WHICH IS ACTS OFFICIAL POLICY, WHICH NOT. HOWEVER BELIEVE REBER WOULD BUY ALTERNATE, PARA 4, REF A, IF STATE APPROVES. (BONN PLEASE CLEAR THIS POINT WITH REBER MONDAY AND INFORM).

4. RE PARA 1, REF A. MUST RECOGNIZE POSSIBILITY STATEMENT WILL BE PUBLISHED, BUT SEE NO REASON WHY GOVERNMENT WILL NOT KEEP WORD AND REFER TO IT ONLY IN GENERAL TERMS WHEN REPORT MADE TO BUNDESTAG.

5. WE HAVE BEEN FORTUNATE IN HAVING NO PUBLICITY DURING PRELIMINARY HEARINGS. REASON FOR THIS OBVIOUSLY ZINN'S PROMISE TO GOVERNMENT NOT TO STIR UP MATTER THIS STAGE. ESSENTIAL TO MAINTAIN ESTABLISHED FEELING OF GOVERNMENT WE COOPERATING FULLY IN OBTAINING SOLUTION THIS COMPLICATED AND DELICATE PROBLEM.

END OF MESSAGE

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DIRECTOR, CIA

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SR REP, FRANKFURT

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CORRECTION

CORRECT PARA 1 TO READ:

"1. YOU HAVE NOW HAD CHANCE TO REVIEW STATEMENT FORWARDED REF  
B. SEPPINGS SIGNED TODAY".....

CORRECT PARA 3 LINE 2 TO READ:

"PER SE NOT SO SERIOUSLY IMPLICATED, BUT PROTECTION STILL  
PROVIDED GERMAN DEFENDANTS SINCE THEY HAD NO WAY OF KNOWING WHICH  
GARWOOD'S ACTS".....

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