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TO: SFRAN

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RE: A. FRAN 1551 (IN 36911)

B. FRAN 1552 (IN 36914)

CADORY/BDJ

1. HAVE DISCUSSED WHITE BOOK WITH ~~1~~ ~~IT WAS CONSENSUS THAT~~
~~WE SHOULD SEE HEINE~~ ~~ONCE MORE IN ORDER DISCUSS POSSIBILITY DROP~~ ^{PINC} ~~WHITE~~
~~BOOK ALTOGETHER OR REVISE OBJECTIVELY THESIS AND STATEMENTS.~~ RECOGNIZING
HEINE ~~IS~~ NOT IN POSITION STOP PUBLICATION WE SHOULD TELL ~~HEINE~~ ^{HEINE} WE ~~ARE~~ ^{Cannot}
^{agree with} NOT IN AGREEMENT WITH BASIC THESIS ^{WHITEBOOK} WHICH SEEMS TO BE THAT U.S. SUPPORTED A
MOVEMENT DESIGNED TO UNDERMINE THE CONSTITUTIONAL ORDER. IF WHITE BOOK
PUBLISHED IN PRESENT FORM WE MAY BE FORCED ^{PUBLIC} ISSUE DENIAL THOSE PORTIONS
REFLECTING ADVERSELY AND UNFAIRLY UPON U.S.

2. ~~1~~ WILL DISCUSS IN DETAIL UPON HIS RETURN.

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Key conclusions:

1. Plan safe TD not to carry on a "partisan fight" vs. Soviets but to supply partisan assistance to regular western troops opposing Soviets. Such assistance has always been valuable to a belatedness, nor has the threat of reprisals ever deterred effective action by a courageous people.
2. Action in densely populated parts never contemplated.
3. TD was initiated for military purposes only, - as Zinn well knows from project outline proposal in the is track. If BDS propaganda was political, it was not criminal.
4. "Proscriptions list" didn't exist in form Zinn alleged, and what did exist was of potential military significance only, to be evaluated and used by US military authori-

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his only. "Massnahme zur Bekämpfung
jungem russische Unruhe" was Topp's
personally, & in no sense a
T.D. document; besides, an un-
biased construction of it makes
it not so bad.

5. Dissolution of T.D. has been ac-
complished; US High Commis-
sioner has explained that it was
formed before there was a Ger-
man govt. able to make ne-
cessary preparations to help
US resist; US and Fedrep
trying hard to bring US &
German peoples into mutually
sympathetic alliance; — hence,
this gratuitous attack (no matter
how disguised) on US in-
tentions, competence, sincerity,
etc. can serve no good pur-
pose, but may well frustrate
the over-all efforts to effect
broad alliance & mutual understand-
ing.

Communists also confirmed by White Book:

1. That anti-Communism B.D.I. is Fascist terrorist organization;
2. That US sponsors return of Fascism;
3. That Coca-Cola Co. is capitalist exploiter and doer of political evil;
4. That only US interest in Germany is as common-felder;
5. That Western Europe cannot be defended vs. Russian invasion;
6. That Western Germany ~~will not fight the last~~ would be no problem for Russians & occupy her - ~~and~~ West Germans believe resistance futile;
7. That W. German capitalist democracy does not evoke the defensive dedication which Communism evokes;

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8. That there are bad Germans
as well as good Germans and
that the potential strength
of the former should dis-
courage U.S. and Allied
aid and sympathy.

Believe Whiteboards
~~Whiteboards~~ represents
insidious attempt
make political capital
out of SDV incident.

Urge one more attempt
of discussion with
Allen & Feine in
effort to 1) Drop white
board altogether
2) Revise these - - -
- - - to more
direct statements

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2. Point out that if
WB published as
in ref we may
be forced to reply
that whatever political
capital gained within
Germany will be more
than lost in eyes
of U.S. new administration
whose good will
often now apparently
so anxious to develop.

3. Advise - there discussion
with [] I. J. S. G.
refuse administrative request
from news re country report

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1. BELIEVE WHITE BOOK REPRESENTS FURTHER EFFORT TO MAKE PARTISAN POLITICAL CAPITAL OUT OF BDJ INCIDENT. URGE THAT ONE MORE ATTEMPT BE MADE TO PERSUADE OLLENHAUER AND HEINE TO:

- A. DROP WHITE BOOK ALTOGETHER OR
- B. REVISE THESES AND STATEMENTS OBJECTIVELY, ~~TO PROVIDE~~
~~AN ANALYSIS OF BDJ WHICH WILL REFLECT UPON NEITHER US~~
~~NOR THEM.~~

2. ALTHOUGH WE REALIZE THAT SIMILAR ATTEMPTS HAVE BEEN MADE IN THE PAST, WE FEEL THAT APPROACH SHOULD BE BASED ON POINT BY POINT EXAMINATION OF STATEMENTS AND CHARGES CONTAINED IN THE WHITE BOOK.

insupportable and correct as far as it
~~3. AS REVIEWED IN REFERENCES, THE WHITE BOOK CONFIRMS THE WILDEST COMMIE CHARGES WHILE REFLECTING NO GREAT CREDIT ON THE SPD FOR LENDING SUCH SUPPORT. COMMUNIST CHARGES PICKED UP IN THE WHITE BOOK ARE:~~

- ~~X A. THAT ANTI-COMMIE BDJ IS FASCIST TERRORIST ORGANIZATION.~~
- B. U.S. SPONSORS RETURN OF FASCISM IN GERMANY.
- ~~X C. COCA-COLA IS CAPITALIST MEDDLER IN INTERNAL GERMAN POLITICS.~~
- ~~X D. ONLY U.S. INTEREST IN GERMANS IS AS CORN FODDER.~~
- E. WESTERN EUROPE CANNOT BE DEFENDED AGAINST SOVIET AGGRESSION AND WESTERN EUROPEANS SHOULD SUBMIT WITHOUT A STRUGGLE

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- F. WESTERN GERMANY CAN BE OCCUPIED BY RUSSIANS SECURELY AS WEST GERMANS WILL ~~NOT~~ RESIST ^{XX} EITHER AGGRESSION ^W OR OCCUPATION.
- G. WEST GERMAN DEMOCRATIC STATE DOES NOT INSPIRE PATRIOTISM OR DEFENSIVE DEDICATION WHICH COMMUNISM EVOKES.
- ~~H. POTENTIAL STRENGTH OF BAD GERMANS IS SO GREAT AS TO DISCOURAGE ALLIED AID AND SYMPATHY TO GOOD GERMANS.~~
3. FAULTY CONCLUSIONS IN WHITE BOOK ARE ~~VERIFIED~~ ^{REFUTABLE} AS FOLLOWS:
- A. TD PLAN NOT TO CARRY ON A PARTISAN FIGHT AGAINST SOVIETS BUT TO SUPPLY PARTISAN SUPPORT TO REGULAR WESTERN TROOPS OPPOSING SOVIETS. SUCH ASSISTANCE HAS ALWAYS BEEN VALUABLE TO A BELLIGERENT AND THE THREAT OF REFRISALS HAS NEVER DETERRED EFFECTIVE ACTION BY COURAGEOUS PEOPLE.
- B. GUERRILLA WARFARE IN DENSELY POPULATED PARTS OF GERMANY WAS NEVER CONTEMPLATED.
- C. TD WAS CREATED FOR MILITARY PURPOSE ONLY, AS ZINN KNOWS FROM SEIZED EVIDENCE.
- D. PROSCRIPTION LISTS DID NOT EXIST IN FORM ALLEGED BY ZINN AND EXISTING LISTS WERE OF POTENTIAL MILITARY SIGNIFICANCE ^{BND} ONLY TO BE EVALUATED BY U.S. MILITARY AUTHORITIES ONLY.
- E. ~~MANUAL FOR FIGHT AGAINST INTERNAL UNREST WAS PERSONAL PROPERTY OF TOPP AND NOT A TD DOCUMENT. BESIDES AN OBJECTIVE REVIEW SHOWS IT IN A MUCH BETTER LIGHT.~~
- F. DISSOLUTION OF TD HAS BEEN ACCOMPLISHED; U.S. HICOM HAS EXPLAINED THAT IT WAS FORMED BEFORE THERE WAS A GERMAN GOVERNMENT IN POSITION TO MAKE NECESSARY DEFENSE PREPARATIONS.

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- G. REFERENCE TO ALLIED ATOM BOMBS DESTROYING WESTERN GERMANY HAS NO RELATION TO TRUTH.
- H. WE MIGHT POINT OUT ALSO THAT BY PUBLISHING WHITE BOOK SPD IS ALIENATING THOUSANDS OF YOUNG GERMANS WHO WERE IDEOLOGICALLY MOTIVATED TO JOIN BDJ. THESE YOUNGSTERS WILL LUMP SPD WITH COMMIES NOW. IT WOULD BE FAR BETTER TO LET BDJ DIE BY ATTRITION RATHER THAN PROVIDE EXPANDED BASE FOR EXTREMIST PROPAGANDA.

~~HERCEFORE~~
4. WE FEEL THAT IF WHITE BOOK IN PRESENT FORM IS PUBLISHED WE MAY BE FORCED TO REBUT. THIS SHOULD BE CONVEYED TO OLLENHAUER IN SENSE THAT ~~U.S. IS TRYING TO~~ *New U.S. administration attempting* BRING U.S. AND GERMAN PEOPLE INTO MUTUALLY SYMPATHETIC ALLIANCE; HENCE, THIS ATTACK, NO MATTER HOW DISGUISED, ON U.S. INTENTIONS, COMPETENCE AND SINCERITY CAN SERVE NO GOOD PURPOSE BWT MAY WELL FRUSTRATE THE HIGH LEVEL EFFORTS TO EFFECT A BROAD ALLIANCE AND MUTUAL UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN AMERICANS AND GERMANS, INCLUDING THE SPD. *This point particularly important*

5. HAVE DISCUSSED FOREGOING WITH [] WHO AGREES. PLEASE ADVISE YOUR VIEWS. ALSO REQUEST YOUR OPINION ON POSSIBLE COUNTER PROPAGANDA IF SPD REFUSES TO COMPROMISE.

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REPEAT EUROPE IS ALSO GIVING UNNECESSARY SUPPORT TO COMMIE ARGUMENTS,

F) BY PUBLISHING WHITE BOOK, SPD IS ALIENATING THOUSANDS OF YOUNG GERMANS WHO WERE IDEOLOGICALLY MOTIVATED TO JOIN ~~THE~~ BDJ; THESE YOUNGSTERS WILL LUMP SPD WITH COMMIES NOW AS NEVER BEFORE. IT WOULD BE FAR BETTER TO LET BDL DIE BY ATTRITION RATHER THAN PROVIDE ~~AN~~ EXPANDED BASE FOR ~~THE~~ EXTREMIST PROPAGANDA.

G) PROSCRIPTION LISTS, OF COURSE, NEVER EXISTED AS ZINN ADMITTED.

3. IT SHOULD BE POINTED OUT THAT, IF WHITE BOOK IN PRESENT FORM IS PUBLISHED, WE MAY BE FORCED TO REBUT. THEREFORE INTERNAL POLITICAL ADVANTAGES GAINED BY SPD WILL BE MORE THAN OFFSET BY LOSS OF GOOD WILL OF NEW ADMINISTRATION WHICH OLLENHAUER IS NOW APPARENTLY SO ANXIOUS TO DEVELOP.

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4. THEREFORE WE FEEL THAT IF WHITE BOOK IN PRESENT FORM IS PUBLISHED WE MAY BE FORCED TO REBUT. THIS SHOULD BE CONVEYED TO OLLENHAUER IN SENSE THAT NEW U.S. ADMINISTRATION ATTEMPTING BRING U.S. AND GERMAN PEOPLE INTO MUTUALLY SYMPATHETIC ALLIANCE; HENCE, THIS ATTACK, NO MATTER HOW DISGUISED, ON U.S. INTENTIONS, COMPETENCE AND SINCERITY CAN SERVE NO GOOD PURPOSE BUT MAY WELL FRUSTRATE THE HIGH LEVEL EFFORTS TO EFFECT A BROAD ALLIANCE AND MUTUAL UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN AMERICANS AND GERMANS, INCLUDING THE SPD. (EGQA-9103) THIS POINT PARTICULARLY IMPORTANT IN VIEW ~~WHICH REPORTS ON~~ OLLENHAUER'S EFFORTS TO ESTABLISH ~~PUBLICATION OF WHITEBOOK AS OUTLINED REFS~~ RAPPORT WITH U.S. ~~WHO~~ MIGHT PREJUDICE HIS MEETINGS HERE.

5. HAVE DISCUSSED FOREGOING WITH AND (STOP) ~~WHO~~ ~~REFERS~~ ~~TO~~ ~~THE~~ ~~MEASURES~~ REQUEST YOU DISCUSS WITH REBER AND ADVISE CONCUR IN ADVISABILITY ~~IF~~ ~~SPD~~ ~~REFUSES~~ ~~TO~~ ~~COMPROMISE~~ NEW APPROACH

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2. ALTHOUGH WE REALIZE THAT SIMILAR ATTEMPTS HAVE BEEN MADE IN ~~THE PAST~~, WE FEEL THAT APPROACH SHOULD BE BASED ON POINT BY POINT EXAMINATION OF STATEMENTS AND CHARGES CONTAINED IN THE WHITE BOOK.

3. BASIC OBJECTION HERE IS TO WHITE BOOK THESIS THAT "PARTISANS AT HOME AND ATOM BOMBS OF WESTERN ALLIES WOULD ELIMINATE THE NECESSITY OF A GERMAN LIBERATION" AND THEREFORE "IT IS OBVIOUS . . . THAT T/S WAS NOT INTENDED BY ITS INITIATORS FOR MILITARY TASKS BUT FOR THEIR OWN POLITICAL OBJECTS". THIS PLUS REFERENCE TO EDJ CONNECTION WITH OCCUPATION POWER DISTORTS COMPLETELY U.S. POLICY ON GERMANY AND IMPLIES THAT U.S. SUPPORTED MOVEMENT DESIGNED UNDERMINE CONSTITUTIONAL ORDER. OTHER MISSTATEMENTS, ESPECIALLY THOSE PARROTING COMMIE LINE, ONLY SERVE TO SUPPORT LINE THAT WESTERN EUROPE IS UNDEFENDABLE AND THAT U.S. HAS ULTERIOR MOTIVES.

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5. HAVE DISCUSSED FOREGOING WITH [REDACTED] AND [REDACTED] SHOP WHO CONCUR IN ADVISABILITY NEW APPROACH. REQUEST YOU DISCUSS WITH REBER AND ADVISE. ALSO REQUEST YOUR OPINION ON POSSIBLE COUNTER MEASURES IF SPD REFUSES TO COMPROMISE.

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