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14. <p>LIPPING, ELMAR [] MET IN MUNICH TWO ESTONIANS, ROMULUS MANDEL AND ELMAR LIPPING, FROM THE ESTONIAN LABOR SERVICE COMPANY STATIONED IN NUERNBERG. BOTH MUST BE PRESUMED AWARE OF [] OFFICIAL AIS COVER. MANDEL REPORTED TO [] THAT HE HAD RECENTLY MADE THE ACQUAINTANCE OF ONE E (?) WALLENSTEIN, GERMAN NATIONAL AND LATE REFUGEE FROM SOVIET CAPTIVITY IN FALL 1956, NOW RESIDING EITHER IN HEIDELBERG OR FRANKFURT/MAIN AND WORKING FOR A TELEPHONE EQUIPMENT PRODUCER. WALLENSTEIN TOLD MANDEL HE HAD FORMERLY SERVED WITH THE GERMAN EMBASSY IN BUKAREST/RUMANIA; THAT HE WAS ARRESTED BY THE SOVIETS AFTER THEY ARRIVED IN RUMANIA (TIME NOT GIVEN); THAT HE WAS SENTENCED BY THE SOVIETS TO 25 YEARS IN PRISON IN 1947; THAT HE SERVED SOME OF HIS SENTENCE IN VORKUTA. WALLENSTEIN THEN TOLD MANDEL THAT HE HAD MET THE SWEDISH DIPLOMAT RAOUL WALLENBERG IN VORKUTA IN 1955 OR 1956. WALLENSTEIN SAID THAT THIS WAS THE SAME RAOUL WALLENBERG WHO WAS ARRESTED BY THE SOVIETS IN BUDAPEST/HUNGARY IN 1945. WHILE UNABLE TO ASSESS THE VALIDITY OF THE ABOVE, [] NOTED THE BIG DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE WALLENSTEIN STORY ABOUT RAOUL WALLENBERG AND THE RECENT OFFICIAL SOVIET NOTIFICATION OF THE SWEDISH GOVERNMENT THAT WALLENBERG HAD DIED IN THE LUBIANKA IN MOSCOW IN 1947.</p> <p>ELMAR LIPPING POSSIBLY IDENTICAL WITH [] DOB: 7 MARCH 1906 POB: RIGA/LATVIA; ADDRESS: ALTE REGENSBURGER STRASSE 9, NUERNBERG. IN JUNE 1952 UNDER CONSIDERATION FOR RECRUITMENT BY ZIPPER WHICH, HOWEVER, DID NOT MATERIALIZE.</p>						
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