

19 February 1953

MEMORANDUM A

To: STC/SFB  
From: Chief, SR/W  
Subject: CASSIARY A (Agent Cryptonym)  
Reference: SR/W MEMORANDUM B of this date

1. Request operational clearance for the above subject to be used as agent in project AERODYNAMIC. His cover will be SPUR.
2. Part II PRQ is attached.

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~~XXXXXXXXXX~~

Please return it when no longer needed by you.

3. In any investigation to be made of subject, general government interest, ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ (should not) be shown. The following comments relative to the sensitivity of the investigation or specific coverage desired should be pointed out for the benefit of I&SS, who will conduct a domestic investigation. ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~

(Signed)              

Attachments: 1

DECLASSIFIED AND RELEASED BY  
CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY  
SOURCE METHOD EXEMPTION 3B2B  
NAZI WAR CRIMES DISCLOSURE ACT  
DATE 2005

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PERSONAL RECORD QUESTIONNAIRE

PART II - OPERATIONAL INFORMATION

/PRO/

INSTRUCTIONS TO CASE OFFICER:

1. If feasible, subject should fill in Part I of PRO in his own hand.
2. Part II of PRO is classified, must be filled in by the Case Officer and is not to be shown to subject.
3. Headquarters will not be able to provide an Operational Clearance unless it receives answers to all questions on page 1 of Part I (items 1 to 12), and to all questions of Part II (items 36 to 58).
4. In emergency these answers, keyed to items 1 to 12 by number, and with summary of Part II, may be cabled to Headquarters, followed promptly by pouch with complete data.
5. Fully completed PRO must be sent to Headquarters as soon as possible, two copies of Part I (including copy in subject's handwriting, if possible) and one copy of Part II.
6. Data acquired later must be sent to Headquarters in PRO format on a continuing basis.
7. All pages of both parts will bear the PRO number, composed of (a) Station symbol (b) PRO (c) number assigned consecutively by the field station; e.g. PGA/PRO/10.

36. Cryptonym CASCONARY 4

37. How, when and where was subject first contacted or developed?

FIRST CONTACTED BY  
IN FALL 1948.

38. Could subject be turned over quickly and in a secure manner to someone else for handling? To whom?

YES TO ANY QUALIFIED CASE OFFICER.

39. Best estimate of subject's motivation

SUBJECT IS STRONG NATIONALIST  
AND COMPLETELY DEVOTED TO IDEA  
OF LIBERATING HIS HOMETLAND AND  
ESTABLISHMENT INDEPENDENT NATION

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40. With what agencies and files has subject's name been checked? When?

Result? What else has been done to verify biographical information furnished by subject?

SUBJECT RECEIVED DC 1 JUNE 1950.

41. What control exists over subject at present? How can it be increased?

SUBJECT COMPLETELY SUBORDINATE TO [ ]  
THRU WHOM WE COULD EXERT CONTROL. SUBJECT  
INDICATED TO US FOR HIS IMMIGRATION TO U.S. AND IS  
PRESENTLY OUR PAYROLL.

42. For what service does he think he is working? What does he think

CIA  
becomes of his information?

43. Explain fully subject's past or present connection with any intelligence service.

NONE OTHER THAN WITH CIA.

44. What type of information has subject furnished? What type is he

best qualified by education and experience to furnish? Give

evaluation of information received.

SUBJECT HAS ON OCCASION PROVIDED US INFO ON THE  
UKRAINIAN EMIGRATION AND INFO ON THE UKRAINIAN  
UNDERGROUND MOVEMENT. HIS INFO WAS CONSIDERED  
RELIABLE AND WAS OBTAINED FIRST HAND.

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45. If subject's duties are to be other than intelligence gathering,

explain. SUBJECT'S PRINCIPAL DUTIES HAVE BEEN SPOTTING, ASSESSING AND RECRUITING AGENTS PROVIDED US BY [ ] IN THE PAST HE HAS ALSO BEEN LIAISON OFFICER BETWEEN [ ] AND OURSELVES AND HAS BEEN RESPONSIBLE FOR DISCIPLINE AND MORALE

46. Has he been given special training as an agent? Explain.  
 NO! PRESENTLY ENROLLED COVERT TRAINING COURSE OF [ ] AGENTS TRAINED AND DISPATCHED BY US

47. How and from whom does he obtain information?

SEE 44 and 45

48. Is it proposed to pay subject a regular salary? If so, amount per week, month, etc. Explain any other methods of payment, such as exchange commodities.

SUBJECT HAS BEEN RECEIVING \$200 MONTHLY SINCE JUNE 1952. PRIOR TO JUNE 1952, SUBJECT RECEIVED NO SALARY FROM US

49. Have any promises or commitments whatsoever (not covered elsewhere in this form) been made to subject? Explain.

NO.

50. Are subject's language abilities and other characteristics such that he could pass as a native of a country or region other than his own? Explain.

SUBJECT COULD PASS AS POLE OR POLISH-JEW. HAS LANGUAGE QUALIFICATIONS

51. What is subject's social standing? Aristocracy, upper middle class, lower middle class, peasantry, etc.? *UKRAINIAN SUBJECT WAS MEMBER OF UPPER MIDDLE CLASS.*
52. What are subject's personal habits? Liquor, drugs, gambling, mistresses or lovers? *SUBJECT IS HEAVY SMOKER AND ENJOYS DRINK NOT ONLY ON SOCIAL OCCASIONS*
53. Evaluation of subject's character, reliability, security. *SUBJECT IS COMPLETELY DEVOTED TO CAUSE OF HIS COUNTRY WHICH HE HOPES TO HELP SET FREE. NATURE OF U.S. RELATIONSHIP WITH HIS GROUP REQUIRES THAT SECURITY BE MAINTAINED FOR SELF-PROTECTION OF GROUP AS WELL AS U.S. INTERESTS. SUBJECT'S RELIABILITY HAS BEEN PROVEN IN*
54. With what other foreign power would subject be most likely to collaborate because of his ideology, obligation, etc.? Explain. *ALMOST FIVE YEARS CLOSE CONTACT OUR ORGANIZATION WITH ANY POWER CAPABLE OF ASSISTING URRAINIA ACQUIRE INDEPENDENCE AND WHICH PROMISED TO DO SO.*
55. What special abilities, talents, or qualifications are possessed by subject which would conceivably be of value for other operations in the future? *SUBJECT WELL EDUCATED AND HAS PROVEN MILITARY EXPERIENCE. WOULD BE GOOD DM THIS OR ABENT INSTRUCTOR HAS BEEN CAPT 1 OPS OFFICER FOR APPROX 5 years.*
56. Attach samples of subject's signature and handwriting in all languages known to him, also a recent, dated photograph, and fingerprints. *ALREADY ON HAND.*

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57. How was information in Part I obtained?

DEBRIEFING OF SUBJECT BY CASE OFFICER

58. Other miscellaneous operational data and comments.

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