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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR TRACES

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- 1. ACTION REQUIRED: REQUEST ADDEE TRACES ON SUBJECT PARA
- 2. PLEASE ADVISE WHICH PORTIONS RELEASABLE TO LIAISON.

2. NAME: RYOICHI ((SASAKAWA))

DPOB: 4 MAY 1899, MINOMO-SHI, OSAKA-FU, JAPAN
PRESENT ADDRESS: 2-32-13, SENGOKU, BUNKYO-KU, TOKYO,
JAPAN

EDUCATION: TOYOKAWA-MURA PRIMARY SCHOOL, 1914

CAREER: 1918 - JOINED THE JAPANESE NAVY

1932 - ESTABLISHED THREE COMPANIES: KOKUSUI
MINING, IRIDOSMINE, MORIKAWA BORING

1942 - MEMBER OF JAPAN'S HOUSE OF
REPRESENTATIVES

1945 - IMPRISONED AS AN A-CLASS WAR CRIMINAL

1948 - RELEASED FROM PRISON

1955 - CHAIRMAN, TOKYO MOTORBOAT RACING ASSOC.,
- CHAIRMAN, FEDERATION OF PREFECTURAL
ASSOCIATIONS OF MOTOR RACING

1962 - CHAIRMAN, THE JAPAN SHIPBUILDING
INDUSTRY FOUNDATION

ACTIVITIES: 1926 - FORMED AN ASSOCIATION OF NATIONAL
DEFENSE

1931 - MARCH ADVISOR, KOKUSUI-TAISHU-TO
(PUBLIC NATIONALIST PARTY);
SEPTEMBER, PRESIDENT, PUBLIC
NATIONALIST PARTY

1932 - FORMED NATIONALIST AVIATION
FEDERATION

1933 - REORGANIZED ABOVE FEDERATION TO THE
NATIONALIST VOLUNTEER FLYING CORPS
AND BECAME A COMMANDER OF THIS
CORPS

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(2)(A) Privacy

(2)(B) Methods/Sources

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- 1939 - WENT TO ITALY AND MET PM MUSSOLINI
- 1942 - PRESIDENT, KOKUSUI-DOMEI
(NATIONALIST LEAGUE, RENAMED FROM
KOKUSUI-TAISHU-TO)
- 1961 - VICE CHAIRMAN, WAR VETERANS ASSN.
OF JAPAN
 - ADVISOR, CONGRESS OF ALL JAPAN
 - NATIONALIST ORGANIZATION
- 1969 - HONORARY PRESIDENT, INTERNATIONAL
OVERCOME-COMMUNIST LEAGUE
- 1972 - EXPRESSED HIS INTENTION TO RETIRE
FROM RIGHTIST ACTIVITIES
 - RETIRED FROM HONORARY PRESIDENT
OF INTERNATIONAL OVERCOME-COMMUNIST
LEAGUE

(NOTE: HE WAS VERY ACTIVE NATIONALIST BEFORE WW II.
AFTER WW II, THOUGH HE HELD HONORARY POSTS IN
SOME RIGHTIST ORGANIZATIONS, HIS RIGHTIST
ACTIVITIES WERE RATHER PASSIVE.)

3. [] , A [] OFFICER, REQUESTED AVAILABLE
INFORMATION ON SUBJECT PARA 2. [] RECEIVED INFORMATION FROM
[] DIVISION 1 SUPERINTENDENT THAT SUBJECT AND FORMER
GENERAL, AND 9 SEPTEMBER 85 COUP SUSPECT, ((KRIANGSAK))
CHAMANAM HAVE HAD A LONG AND RATHER CLOSE RELATIONSHIP. []
ALSO LEARNED THAT RETIRED MAJOR GENERAL ((SUTSAI)) HATSADIN
RECENTLY VISITED SUBJECT IN JAPAN, POSSIBLY ON BEHALF OF
KRIANGSAK. [] SAID HE ALSO LEARNED FROM [] THAT SUTSAI
MADE PREVIOUS TRIPS TO JAPAN REQUESTING AND RECEIVING FUNDS
FROM SUBJECT FOR SUTSAI'S KRATHING DENG GROUP (RED []).
SUTSAI HAS VISITED KRIANGSAK IN LATTER'S DETENTION ROOM ON
NUMEROUS OCCASIONS SINCE HIS ARREST AFTER THE ABORTED COUP.
KRIANGSAK WAS ALSO VISITED RECENTLY BY A JAPANESE NATIONAL, MS.
MIKO LNU, WHO PROVIDED THE INFORMATION THAT SUBJECT AND
KRIANGSAK ARE OLD FRIENDS. [] REQUESTED TRACES ON SUBJECT
FROM JAPANESE EMBASSY, BANGKOK (PARA 2 INFO ABOVE). JAPANESE
EMBASSY OFFICIAL ALSO TOLD [] THAT SUBJECT IS A WEALTHY
AND INFLUENTIAL UNDERWORLD BOSS, WITH THE YAKUSA GANG (SIC).

4. FILE: DEFER. INDEX: ((SASAKAWA)), ([] []),
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