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UNWITTING OF THIS PROPOSAL.

3. () FEELS PROPOSAL WILL BE MORE THOROUGHLY AND INTELLIGENTLY IMPLEMENTED IF OUR SIDE REPRESENTS SELF AS KUBARK. HOWEVER THIS NOT VITAL TO SCHEME, () WHEN POINT RAISED, REPRESENTED SELF AS ODIBEX, BUT ASSUMES () KNOWS TRUE EMPLOYER, ALTHOUGH HE HAS NEVER RAISED.

4. ARRANGEMENT TO BE PROPOSED AS COVERT WITH ONLY DIRECT PARTICIPANTS WITTING OF COLLABORATION. FEEL THIS HAS GOOD POTENTIAL FOR TYPE OF CONTROL BY KUBARK, FOR PODAM DISTINCTLY UNINTERESTED IN ADDING FUEL TO PAST CHARGES THAT HE "SELLING JAPAN TO PBPRIME." FORESEE NO EXPENSE THIS OPERATION OTHER THAN STAFF SALARIES, POSSIBLE RENT OF QUARTERS TO HOUSE ENTERPRISE PLUS OCCASIONAL 17.8 EXPENSES WITHIN CHIEF JABA DISCRETIONARY POWERS.

- 5. FEEL SCHEME OFFERS GOOD PSYCH POTENTIAL BEGINNING WITH NEWSPAPER AND POSSIBLY BROADENING TO RADIO AND TV AS CONDITIONS WARRANT. ALSO OFFERS EXCELLENT INTEL POSSIBILITIES ON AN IMPORTANT TARGET IF A TYPE OF DIRECTION CAN BE EXERTED OVER NUMEROUS REPORTERS WHOSE SERVICES COMMANDED BY PODAM.
- 6. IF HQS APPROVES AND PODAM BUYS, IN THAT ORDER, PROJECT WILL BE DRAWN UP AND FORWARDED. TENTATIVE THINKING JABA IS TO ASSIGN C AND TO PROJECT, ASSUMING THEY AVAILABLE.
 - 7. NA CONCURS WITH ABOVE.

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