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AGENT REPORT

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HR 100-330-101

Subject or Title of Incident

2. Date Submitted  
24 December 1954

YOUNG, Ha Young

Report of Findings

On 1 December 1954, confidential source D-0122 submitted the following information:

On 1 December 1954, at 1900 hours Paul McCune, Major, 0110893, Ordnance, Hq 8th AC, Tokyo Ordnance Depot, APO 343, met with ~~Dr.~~ Chang, Lee Hook (  ); Approx DOB 1900; male; Korean; employed by  Forestry Building, Tokyo; at Dr. Chang's quarters, Room 704, Continental Hotel, Tokyo.

Dr. Chang informed Major McCune that  Son, Dong Hyuk is very anxious to conclude negotiations regarding the sale of uranium compounds to the United States government. Son and Dr. Chang have met several times since the 9 November 1954 meeting, and these meetings were also attended by two (2) other Oriental. Dr. Chang said he received so many telephone calls from Son's two (2) friends concerning the uranium negotiations, that he finally requested Son to inform them not to call him. Son told Dr. Chang that he had received a letter from the group of Chinese from Formosa mentioned at the 23 October 1954 meeting. The letter discussed conducting further negotiations.

Major McCune informed Dr. Chang that the third sample of uranium compounds submitted by Son on 21 October 1954 had been analyzed, through arrangement with John H. Eigerly, Lt Col, 051654, Ordnance, Special Technical Assistant to the Ordnance Officer, Camp Zama, AFPC, APO 343, and that the sample consisted of 70 per cent uranium.

Dr. Chang had heard indirectly that YOUNG, Ha Young had arrived safely in Seoul and was well.

Major McCune and Dr. Chang agreed to hold further meetings if any further business were to be conducted. The meeting ended at 2050 hours. (B-6)

AGENT'S NOTES: In the opinion of source, the reference to the receipt by Son of a letter from the Chinese was an effort to hasten negotiations for the sale of the uranium compounds to the US.

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