

A translation of the text is as follows:

"Dear General Walters,

"Your congratulatory wishes for my birthday were an especial pleasure to me, for which I thank you heartily. I share your expectation and hope that also in the future both of our services will continue our tried and tested close and collegial cooperation.

"With all best wishes for the new year and hearty greetings,

Yours,

Gerhard Wessel"

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SUBJECT: (Optional)

Cable from General Wessel to the DDCI

FROM:	EXTENSION	NO.
Chief, European Division	1012	
		DATE
		4 January 1974

TO (Officer designation, room number, and building)	DATE		OFFICER'S INITIALS	COMMENTS (Number each comment to show from whom to whom. Draw a line across column after each comment.)
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1.					Attached is a cable (with English translation) received containing the acknowledgment and thanks of General Wessel for the birthday greetings which you sent him on the occasion of his sixtieth birthday.
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