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FROM: Chief, NUBARN, [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: GENERAL - Operational/INTEL
SPECIFIC - Names, Cairo Addresses and Operational Comments on German
Advisory Group

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1. [REDACTED] supplied the following list of the members of the German Advisory Group at the Egyptian Ministry of War on 16 April 1953. He told [REDACTED] that there are only two lists and both are the responsibility of Joseph Hiefenbacher, in his capacity of Assistant and Private Secretary to Dr. Wilhelm Voss. The first list (the one reproduced below) is used for official purposes in Egypt; the second, which gives more detailed background data, is for the use of Voss alone. Although both are treated by Hiefenbacher as very confidential documents, [REDACTED] will attempt to procure the second and make a copy.

2. The list below is for the group of experts who were recruited by and are under the direction of Dr. Wilhelm Voss. This group is referred to as the "Voss Group". There are three other, smaller units of German experts, one under the direction of an Engineer Level (nu) composed of approximately 40 engineers who are constructing a factory for the manufacture of rockets; and two very small groups working in the Mandi and Helwan districts of Cairo respectively. [REDACTED] will supply the names and details of these groups at a subsequent date.

3. The Voss Group is divided into four sections as follows: The Central Planning Board; the Military Advisory Group; the Factory Advisory Group; and the Research Group. The names and addresses of the members of each group are:

a. The Central Planning Board

Dr. Wilhelm Voss, Iskandar El Akbar, Heliopolis
Joseph Hiefenbacher, Sultan Selim, Metropolls
Zdenek Prantl, 21/9, El Asis Bollah, Zeitun
Jaroslav Koumerek, 12, Kasr El Kahira, Kubbeh Palace

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