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| | Chief, SR | | RE "2-3" - (CHECK "X" ONE) |
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| <p>A. EGMA-40137 dated 2 February 1959</p> <p>B. MUMI-2747</p> <p>C. EGMA-39155 dated 15 December 1958</p> <p>D. OFPA-43198 dated 30 January 1959</p> <p>1. The new Paris project cryptonym for AEGAPELIN-1 has been assigned and has already been cabled to you. The new file number for the case will be 29-6-106. Future dispatches should be addressed to the attention of C] the Headquarters desk case officer handling the Paris operation.</p> <p>2. FOR MUNICH. AEGAPELIN-1's Salary Payments: In reply to Reference A, Munich Base was correct in paying AEGAPELIN-1 920 DM per month since 1 August 1955. The Memorandum of Oral Agreement in Lieu of Contract entered in March 1956 at Headquarters by the AEBATH field case officer, C] (while on TDY) authorized payment of 920 DM per month in the amount since this was approved by Headquarters at that time and subsequently has been extended until 31 March 1959, it will not be necessary to take any further administrative steps to allow AEGAPELIN-1 to keep the over-payments. In spite of the fact that the past few project renewals erroneously requested only 840 DM per month as AEGAPELIN-1's field salary, sufficient funds were available each year under Project AEBATH to cover the additional payments made by Munich Base in accordance with the amount authorized under the MOA.</p> <p>3. AEGAPELIN-1/AECAVATINA Relationship: A review of Headquarters AEBATH files failed to reveal any recent report which summarized AEGAPELIN-1's operational relationship with the AECAVATINAs. Therefore, it is difficult for Headquarters to comment on the advisability of AEGAPELIN-1's accepting the AECAVATINA-8 slot in Paris as requested in Para 5, Ref B. It would be appreciated if Henry D. PHILBAUM could clarify the exact status of this relationship including answers to the following questions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Why has AECAVATINA-12 confided in AEGAPELIN-1 to the extent indicated in the latter's reports? b. Has there been reciprocal action on AEGAPELIN-1's part? c. What type of information, if any, has AEGAPELIN-1 passed to AECAVATINA-12 in the past? d. What remuneration has he been receiving from the AECAVATINAs? e. What was AEGAPELIN-1's exact role in the operational trips undertaken with AECAVATINA-12 (e.g. Vienna in December 1958)? f. What would be AEGAPELIN-1's duties or activities as the AECAVATINA-8 representative in Paris? <p>As for Paragraph 5, Reference B, we have no information about any AECAVATINA ties with OENVI. If such ties exist, please explain the exact status of these ties and the type of activity that AECAVATINA men are allegedly performing for OENVI? How would AECAVATINA-12's trip to PRPRIME consolidate this OENVI tie? If AEGAPELIN-1 traveled to PRPRIME with AECAVATINA-12, would this not endanger his Paris cover? What type of activities would AECAVATINA-12 expect AEGAPELIN-1 to perform in PRPRIME?</p> | | | |
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| <p>4. ARGAPELIE-1/UPSWING Relationship: Another aspect of Project ABRATH that also needs further clarification is that of ARGAPELIE-1's operational relationship with UPSWING. Please summarize ARGAPELIE-1's relations with UPSWING for the past six months or a year including information on his UPSWING case officers and current KKI's. Has ARGAPELIE-1 informed his UPSWING case officer of his impending transfer to Paris? How has the matter of ARGAPELIE-1's termination of service for UPSWING been resolved?</p> <p>5. Credentialed and Escrow Account: In answer to Munich request in Paragraph 9, Reference C, we are herewith transmitting under separate cover and by air ^{air} mail ^{mail} as Attachment 1, a complete listing of the AMBASSADOR'S, ARGAVATINA, ARGAPELIE-1, and miscellaneous other Munich personalities known to ARGAPELIE-1. Included as Attachment 2 to this dispatch is complete Headquarters breakdown of ARGAPELIE-1's escrow account including all deposits and withdrawals up to 31 March 1959. The escrow account total as of 31 March 1959 is \$7,445.05.</p> <p>6. ARGAPELIE-1 Archives: In Paragraph 13 of the <input type="checkbox"/> outline submitted as Attachment to Reference D, it states: "For security reasons, it is felt that the agent should not keep his archives, at least in bulky form, outside guarded premises. Accordingly, we intend to micro-film them and will provide him with a small viewer." How extensive are these archives and where will the originals be stored? What type of material do these archives contain? Can ARGAPELIE-1 retain a UNIMUP reproduction machine, microfilm and a viewer in his apartment without endangering his cover as a theology student?</p> <p>7. ARGAPELIE-1 Finances: Paragraph 15 of the field project outline submitted in Reference D requests \$2,000.00 as a temporary raise to offset various losses incurred by ARGAPELIE-1's transfer? Will this amount be paid to ARGAPELIE-1 in a lump sum; on a monthly basis by field; or through Headquarters deposits to his escrow account. Please clarify.</p> | | |
| <p>Distributions:</p> <p>2 - MOB w/Att. A - Part I h/w, Part II - USC and Att. B h/w</p> <p>3 - <input type="checkbox"/> w/Att. A - Part I h/w, Part II - USC and Att. B h/w.</p> <p>2 - WU/USC w/o Atts.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">9 MAR 59</p> | | |
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