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COUNTRY: Korea

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25X1 Note: Where two names are given for a town, the first is the Japanese romanization and the second is the Korean romanization of the name.

1. There are about 214,000 Soviet troops in North Korea.

2. Headquarters of the Army Corps is at Naigo, Pyongyang (125-44, 39-01) with division headquarters at the following places:

Kainei, Hoeryong (129-45, 42-25)
Kanko, Hamhung (127-32, 39-54)
Kosan, Kapsan (128-18, 41-06)
Gensan, Wonsan (127-26, 39-10)
Sherilin, Sariwon (125-44, 38-30)
Kaishu, Haeju (125-42, 38-02)
Chinnampo (125-24, 38-44)
Ryugampo, Yongampo (124-22, 39-56)
Shingishu, Sinuiju (124-24, 40-06)
Hampochin, Hampojin (126-18, 41-20)

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3. After receiving information about American troop concentration in southern Korea, the Soviets began to consolidate their positions in the above divisional areas, particularly strengthening forces in Kainei, Kanko, Kosan and Gensan.

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