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① MOMCHILO DJUJICH

On December 11, 1961, Momchilo Djulich, 9663 Maple Avenue, Gary, Indiana, furnished the following information:

Djulich stated that he is the president of an organization known as the Movement of Serbian Chetniks Ravne Gore. This is an anti-communist organization opposed to the current communist government of Yugoslavia. The organization has chapters located in several countries in Europe as well as Australia, Canada, and the United States. Djulich advised that he spends a great deal of time traveling and is in contact with members of this organization in all parts of the Free World. During 1961 he spent approximately three months in various countries in Europe contacting former refugees of Yugoslavia who are active in the Movement of Serbian Chetniks Ravne Gore.

Djulich stated that in his contact with various refugees he has concluded that the majority of individuals opposing communism in the world today look to the United States for guidance and support. Because of this fact the communist government in Yugoslavia is seeking to weaken this country internally. Djulich stated that he has been informed by sources he considers to be reliable who have contacts in Yugoslavia at the present time that President Tito of Yugoslavia is seeking to destroy various anticommunist Serbian organizations within the United States and compromise their leaders. Tito wishes to liquidate all activities against the communist government of Yugoslavia. In order to accomplish this he is spending millions of dollars and sending Yugoslav Communist agents to destroy the anticommunist Nationalist organizations in the United States.

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Djujich asserted that communist agents from Yugoslavia are coming to the United States as part of the cultural exchange groups, as part of student groups studying in the United States, and as emigres from Yugoslavia, seeking to establish residence in this country. Djujich stated that he could cite no specific examples to support allegations other than the fact that this is the information that has been furnished to him by his contacts. The primary purpose of Yugoslav agents coming to the United States is to neutralize and then destroy the various anti-Yugoslav government organizations in the Free World. In addition, they seek to build additional support for the Yugoslav government through the distribution of literature and cultural activity which propogandizes the Yugoslav government.

According to Djujich, many refugee families of Serbian descent in the U. S. at the present time have been successful in bringing additional relatives to the United States. Some of these new arrivals are attempting to persuade their families in the U.S. to cease their anticommunist activities and their opposition to the communist government in Yugoslavia.

Djujich asserted that the new Yugoslav Consulate established in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, has been very active in attempting to contact Yugoslav refugees in the U. S. Once contact is made the Consulate officials are attempting to persuade the refugees to stop their activities against the communist government in Yugoslavia. Djujich stated that the Consulate in Pittsburgh has been very active in the Cleveland, Ohio area in this regard. Reverend Branko, Pastor of the Saint Sava Serbian Orthodox Church in Cleveland, has more specific information indicating the activities of the Consulate in Pittsburgh in this regard.

Djujich related that during his three-month visit in Europe he came in contact with numerous refugees who informed him that President Tito of Yugoslavia is very ill at the present time. He is being cared for by physicians from

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Vienna, Austria. Djulich claimed that President Tito's wife, Jovanka, has resumed her affair with General Zvezij, Commandant of the Military Body Guard for Tito and his family. Djulich pointed out that General Zvezij is a former guerilla fighter with Josip's during World War II.

Djulich pointed out that it is the opinion of these refugees that in the event of Tito's death he will be succeeded by Aleksandar Rankovic, the present Minister of Interior for Yugoslavia.

Djulich asserted that the former Chief of the Economic Department for relations with the U. S. in the Yugoslav Government by the name of Nedelj Popovic was sent to the United States some time ago by the Yugoslav Government in order to complete arrangements for a shipment of wheat to the drought stricken area of Yugoslavia. Popovic subsequently sought asylum in the U. S. and is currently in Washington, D. C. Djulich claimed that many of his contacts are of the opinion that Popovic is an agent for the Yugoslav government. They believe Popovic is furnishing false information to the U. S. Government concerning conditions in Yugoslavia at the present time. Djulich pointed out that he has no specific information to substantiate this allegation, nor does any of his contacts.

Djulich related that his sources have advised him that the majority of people who are anticommunist and who still reside in Yugoslavia, are opposed to the aid that the U. S. is furnishing that country. Djulich stated that he has been informed that aid from the U. S. goes to the defense of Yugoslavia and to the well being of the Communist Party members. This aid strengthens the Yugoslav government and communists in that country and is of no benefit to the great mass of noncommunists in that country.

Djulich stated that he has learned that the various Yugoslav Consulates and Yugoslav Embassy in the U. S. are acquiring telephone directories of cities in the U.S. where there are large concentrations of Yugoslav refugees. These telephone directories are then being reviewed by the Embassy in Washington, D.C. where a list is being prepared of names of individuals who appear to be of

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Yugoslav descent. The names and addresses on this list are then sent to Yugoslavia. These lists will then be utilized as mailing lists by the Yugoslav government for procommunist propaganda.

Djujich concluded by stating that the majority of the people he has talked to who maintained contacts in Yugoslavia feel that President Tito is using aid from the United States to strengthen his government and the communists in that country. The U. S. aid is being used to strengthen a communist country which in the end will openly announce its complete support of the Soviet Union in opposition to the U. S.

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