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DATE: AUG 2004

To DIGIT LONDON

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IMMEDIATE

No 1023 of 31st August 1944

Your 0561

- A. Since total of 220,000 repeat two hundred and twenty thousand has now been distributed by PLATE it would be impossible for money to be paid back.
- B. Consider your proposal to instruct PLATE via JULEP would only cause confusion.
- C. Your para.D. It is too late now to change this state of affairs since most of money distributed long ago, and proportion of it probably spent.
- D. I informed you in my D.767 para.8 that we were raising this 300,000 repeat three hundred thousand crowns as agreed here and this confirmed your D.293 para 4 sub-para 2. I have not repeat not since been instructed to stop this operation particularly as I have received many messages urging me to raise more money.
- E. I am seeing HEMPEL at weekend and can ask him to get PLATE to give JULEP full report of destination of 220,000. Please telegraph soonest.
- Your para.E.
- F. Since this money made available four repeat 4 months ago we must surely consider it spent.

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