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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

VIA: Chief, PP

SUBJECT: Commission for the Guidance and Review of Selected  
PP Activities in West Berlin

REFERENCE: Memo to DCI from Chief, Eastern European Division,  
dated 23 November 1955, Subject as above

1. The joint Commission for the guidance and review of selected PP activities in West Berlin, described in reference memorandum, held its first formal meeting in Berlin on 13 December. The participants were:

- a. Ministerialdirektor Udo MUELLER (Chairman) and Ministerialrat von Dellinghausen, representing the Kaiser Ministry.
- b. Interior Senator LIPSCHITZ representing the Berlin Senate.
- c. [ ] (Bonn Operations Base) and [ ] (Berlin Operations Base) for CIA.

2. Udo MUELLER opened this first meeting and established as its objectives: (1) the discussion of specific problems of Commission Procedure; and (2) areas of Commission competence.

3. von Dellinghausen presented the Kaiser Ministry views on the objectives of the Commission as being:

- a. The determination of present and continuing viability of the Kampfgruppe gegen Unmenschlichkeit (KgU) (Fighting Group Against Inhumanity, Project DTLINEN) in the cold war effort.
- b. An examination of organizational structure, financing, personnel policy and operational activities of the KgU.
- c. An examination of KgU covert activities and covert contacts in the Soviet Zone of Germany including administrative operations. This phase of the examination will be conducted with full regard for the security of covert co-workers in the Soviet Zone.

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d. An examination of the various charges made against KgU in the German press and in pending law suits with the view toward suppressing these charges.

4. The proposed objectives presented by von Dellinghausen were unanimously accepted by the commission members.

5. In early January 1956 a working level of the Commission will convene. This working level will consist of appointed representatives of the persons attending this first meeting.

6. The Berlin Justice Senator KIELINGER and his deputy will be contacted by Ministerial Direktor Udo MUELLER and Senator Lipschitz to insure that no action will be taken on pending law suits prior to the completion of the Commission's review.

7. At present no publicity will be given to the formation or activities of the commission.

8. The review of the other four revealed groups will be postponed until such time as the Commission has proved its efficacy in treating the KgU problem.

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