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5. In view of the time element involved, your most expeditious handling including early advice to CIC Linz would be highly appreciated.


Victor Wallen

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*cc in project
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HEADQUARTERS, 430TH CIC DETACHMENT
APO 511 US ARMY

Secret Security Information

SUBJECT: Request for Permission to Issue Warrant for Arrest

TO: Commanding General
Headquarters, USFA
APO 168, US Army
Attn: A/C of S, G2

1. Request authorization to issue a warrant for the arrest of
Dr Anton FELLNER, born 19 March 1908 at Laakirchen, Upper Austria
citizenship Austrian, whose address is Bürgerstrasse 51/I, Linz
for the purpose of:

- a. Trial by U.S. Civil Affairs Court for espionage activities on behalf of the _____
- b. Detailed interrogation in connection with possible connections with Soviet Intelligence.
- c. Material witness in the trial(s) of _____
- d. Protective custody

2. Arrest will be effected by or in the company of an Austrian policeman. (If it is desired that arrest be effected solely by CIC personnel, explain below the security considerations which justify this procedure.) (See attached DF)

3. In connection with this arrest it is desired to search the place occupied by arrestee at Bürgerstrasse 51/I, Linz for the purpose of impounding any evidence of offenses against the security of the U.S.A. (to include any material considered as of possible intelligence value.)

4. The following is a summary of the intelligence activities of Subject:

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(a) CIC Agent report #L/28659 states that Subject was observed in the company of Soviet Lt. Jakob GUTMANN, in the Lindy Bar, Linz.

(b) Inasmuch as Subject was in the employ of a US Gov't agency, it is desired to
5. Available witnesses can testify in trial of Accused as follows: confine Subject for the purpose of interrogating him on the above connection.

No trial contemplated.

6. Documentary evidence, located at _____, is:

None.

7. Political connections or other significant factors which might reflect adversely upon CSIA in the event of Subject's arrest are:

There are no such factors apparent at present.

8. The following U.S. (agency) (agencies) (has) (have) indicated an interest in the accused:

IRB, USFA.

VICTOR W. HOBSON, JR.
Lt. Colonel GS
Chief, Operations Br.

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