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Guenther SCHAACK and HOEHER Case

1. ZIPPER has recently been in touch with a Guenther SCHAACK, resident in or near Rheinsberg, no further details known, who claims to have been employed under the cover name RUDOLF by a U.S. intelligence agency in Berlin.

2. Subject says that on 1 March 1953 he was arrested by the Soviets and on 6 March 1953 was delivered to the Soviet prison in Karlshorst. Although he received a 5 year sentence for espionage, Subject claims to have been released by an amnesty on 26 July 1953, when he returned to West Berlin.

3. SCHAACK claims that a friend of his, one HIECK, fnu, a resident of Potsdam, was for a time in a cell with Wolfgang HOEHER.

4. In order to help evaluate the statements of SCHAACK, ZIPPER requests any information on him which may be available, including confirmation that he was actually employed by a U.S. agency. We note that Guenter SCHAAK, born 25 August 1923, apparently identical with Subject, was included on USARSUR dropped list of 1 July 1953.

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