

DISPATCH

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SECRET

DISPATCH SYMBOL AND NO.
EGMA 48097

TO Chief of Station, Germany

HEADQUARTERS FILE NO.

INFO

C Chief of Base, Bonn
D Chief, EE Chief, WE
Chief, CLS

Unknown
Field File X/HUMMEL,
Friedrich

FROM

Chief of Base, Munich

DATE

22 March 1960

SUBJECT

UPSWING/CART/Operations
Name Trace Request - Friedrich HUMMEL

RE: "43-3" - (CHECK "X" ONE)

MARKED FOR INDEXING
 NO INDEXING REQUIRED

ACTION REQUIRED

Traces

INDEXING CAN BE JUDGED
BY QUALIFIED HQ. DESK ONLY

REFERENCE(S)

None

1. UPSWING has requested traces on

Friedrich (Fritz) *HUMMEL
Date and Place of Birth Unknown,

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SOURCE METHOD EXEMPTION 3B2E
NAZI WAR CRIMES DISCLOSURE ACT
DATE 2006

on the basis of UPSWING operational interest. According to UPSWING information, HUMMEL was a member of the Abwehr during World War II. In 1945 he was taken prisoner by United States troops and is reported to have had difficulties as a prisoner of war because of his earlier intelligence activities. After his release, HUMMEL is said to have resided for a time in Heilbronn, and then went to Madrid, where he reportedly set up a business bearing his name which dealt in weapons. UPSWING states that HUMMEL remained in Madrid from 1950 until 1955.

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3. COS/G and CLS: Please trace Subject with the Services. All-Agency Check Forms are attached under separate cover.

4. Please trace Subject (KUBARK and ODYOKE files only) indicating in your reply what part of your information is considered suitable for forwarding to UPSWING.

Approved

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2-WE w/o atts 2-CLS w/att B

FORM 53b

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Ref: EGMA-48097
REQUEST FOR ALL-AGENCY CHECK

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Control No: _____
Date: _____

To: _____

1. Family Name: HUMMEL Aliases: _____

Given Name: Friedrich (Fritz)

Maiden Name: _____

2. Date of Birth: Unknown (9 February 1910 ?) 3. Citizenship: _____

4. Place of Birth: unknown (Jena?)

5. Present Residence: _____

6. Previous Residences (since 1945) (Indicate dates): Heilbronn (dates unknown)
Madrid, Spain 1950 until 1955.

7. Occupation: Kriminalrat

8. Present Employer: _____

9. Address of Present Employer: _____

10. Reason for Check Request: Of operational interest to the BND. Please provide traces suitable for passing to BND.

(If additional information available, attach to this form)

TO BE COMPLETED BY ADDRESSEE

Results of Records Check: _____ Date of Reply: _____

- a. No record
- b. No derogatory information
- c. Cannot identify
- d. No additional information
- e. The following information, classified TOP SECRET, SECRET, CONFIDENTIAL,

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