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MEMORANDUM

TO : CCD

FROM : FBN, Austrian Desk

SUBJECT: Status of ICEBERG Operations in Austria

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1. A review of the files pertaining to the ICEBERG Project, as of 15 January 1949, indicates that the following action has been taken:

- a. A total of fourteen (14) SSTR-1's and two (2) handrank generators have been issued to the Vienna Station. Of these ten (10) SSTR-1's have been buried or hidden in the Vienna area. The two (2) generators have been issued to agents in the Vienna area for burial with their sets. Four (4) SSTR-1's have been delivered to the Salzburg Station, and suitable burial places are being sought by case officers of that station.
- b. Two agents, [ ] and [ ] have received W/T training in Germany. There is some indication, not yet clarified, that [ ] may have to be dropped. One other agent has been approved for training in the Vienna area. Still another has been proposed for training in this area, and has been approved for aptitude assessment only, to be conducted under suitable cover, until further information is available concerning his reliability and suitability for such work. The field will be requested to assign suitable cryptonyms to these candidates. We understand that several other candidates will be proposed in the near future.

2. Following is a detailed account of the disposition of the ten (10) SSTR-1's in the Vienna area:

- a. Set #1, ICEBERG AALE ONE issued to [ ] buried in Lower Austria near Wiener Neustadt. Signal Plan, BLUMEN, issued to [ ]. (According to one report, MGKA 4632, checked the burial of a set, presumably this one, and found it partially rusted. The presumption is that it has been reburied.) See paragraph 2 (g) below.
- b. Set #2, ICEBERG [ ] buried by a case officer in the Wienerwald area near Vienna, location disclosed to [ ]. Signal Plan, OBST, issued to [ ].

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- c. Set #3, ICEBERG CHARLIE, buried by case officer in Vienna. No signal plan, location unknown to any agent.
  - d. Set #4, ICEBERG DOG, issued to [ ] for safe-keeping only. Hidden in a house in Vienna. No signal plan.
  - e. Set #5, ICEBERG EASY, issued to [ ], hidden by him in 1st Bezirk, Vienna. No signal plan.
  - f. Set #6, ICEBERG FOX, issued to [ ] (now evacuated to Zone), buried in a garden in Klosterneuberg, Western Vienna. No signal plan.
  - g. Set #7, ICEBERG ABLE TWO, buried by [ ] in Lower Austria near Wiener Neustadt. Signal Plan, BLUMEN, issued to [ ]
  - h. Set #8, ICEBERG GEORGE, buried by case officers in suburbs west of Vienna. No signal plan, location unknown to any agent.
  - i. Set #9, ICEBERG HOW, buried by case officers in Western Vienna. No signal plan, location unknown to any agent.
  - j. Set #10, ICEBERG ITEM, buried by case officers in suburbs west of Vienna. No signal plan, location unknown to any agent.
3. According to our latest information the last two hand-crank generators have been issued to [ ] and [ ]

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