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AGENT REPORT

1. NAME OF SUBJECT OR TITLE OF INCIDENT KAUDER-KLATT, Richard Former German Intelligence Agent Land Salzburg, Salzburg, Austria	2. DATE SUBMITTED 7/09 3. CONTROL SYMBOL March 1953 CIC # 17140 JTW/66
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4. REPORT OF FINDINGS

On 10 March and 12 March 1953 the mail and telephone conversations of Richard KAUDER-KLATT, Schwarzstrasse 30, Salzburg, Land Salzburg, Austria, were intercepted by the Civil Censorship Group (CCG), Austria. On 10 March 1953 SUBJECT received a personal letter in the German language from Viktor Macellan, Stiftstrasse 7, Frankfurt am Main, Germany; and on 12 March 1953 SUBJECT made a telephone call in the German language to an unidentified woman in Salzburg regarding certain "Viktor". The CCG intercepts, in the English language as received from CCG, are retained in the files of this Sub-Detachment. Copies of the CCG intercepts are attached to all copies of this report as EXHIBITS I and II. EXHIBIT I, Macellan's letter, dated 9 March states in effect that Macellan sees no chance of coming to Salzburg because he has recently been very ill. Macellan states: "Only now I am strong enough to write to you" and that his illness will cause "...an unpleasant interruption..." in his "...business intentions..." with SUBJECT. Macellan further stated that he had informed "Hugi" of his misfortune. Macellan stated that he would have rejoiced "...at composing the ballet music..." and that he hoped SUBJECT would "...be successful with the ballet." EXHIBIT II, SUBJECT's telephone call to the unidentified woman in Salzburg on 12 March 1953, at 1022 hours, is a conversation in which SUBJECT states that "Hugo" was already with him and that SUBJECT had "...received a letter from Viktor..."; SUBJECT inquires as to Viktor's whereabouts, and is told by the unidentified woman: "Here it is written: from 10 to 12 with Richard. If he will call up tell him that he is to call them up."

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Agent's Notes: It is believed that EXHIBIT I indicates that Macellan, because of illness, did not visit the Salzburg area on 28 February 1953 or 1 March 1953 as indicated in Macellan's letter to SUBJECT, reference Agent Report, S-16914, dated 27 February 1953, Subject as above, but proceeded only as far as Munich, Germany.

It is felt that the frequent references to "ballet" and "ballet music" contained in EXHIBIT I are code words employed by SUBJECT and Macellan.

It is believed that the "Viktor" referred to in EXHIBIT II is Victor Macellan, and that the "Hugi" and "Hugo" referred to in EXHIBITS I and II is Hugo Kittel, an associate of SUBJECT.

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5. TYPED NAME AND ORGANIZATION OF SPECIAL AGENT JOHN J. MAXWELL, S/A CIC 130th CIC, Sub-Net A (Salzburg)	6. SIGNATURE OF SPECIAL AGENT <i>[Signature]</i>
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Former German Intelligence Agent
Land Salzburg, Salzburg, Austria

23 March 1953

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On 19 March 1953 the files of this Sub-Detachment were examined and disclosed the following information regarding personalities mentioned in this report:

D Victor (Viktor) Altman, alias Macellan, alias Allan, alias McCally, is mentioned in Agent Report, S-16914, dated 27 February 1953. Subject as above, which reports the details of Macellan's impending trip to the Salzburg area to contact SUBJECT. (No Evaluation) Agent Report, S-12851, dated 21 February 1952. Subject: ALTMAN, Viktor British Intelligence Operative, and numerous other reports list Victor Altman as a British Intelligence and "Eisenhower Intelligence Service" operative, and as a co federate of Richard KAUDER-KLATT. (No Evaluation)

Hugo Kittel is mentioned in Agent Report, S-14176, dated 2 July 1952. Subject: ALTMAN Viktor, alias McALLAN, alias ALLAN alleged British Agent, as a pensioned Austrian police official and former German intelligence officer. (No Evaluation)

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EXHIBITS

EXHIBIT I - Copy of COG intercept, McCallan's letter is attached to this report, Agent Report, S-17140, dated 23 March 1953. The intercepts as received from COG are retained in the files.

EXHIBIT II - Copy of COG intercept, SUBJECT's telephone call to an unidentified woman is attached to this report, Agent Report, S-17140, dated 23 March 1953. The intercepts as received from COG are retained in the files.

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EXHIBIT I

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10 March 1953

Salzburg

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Victor MCALLAN
Frankfurt/Main
Stiftstrasse 7

Ing Rich KAUDER
c/o Euba
Salzburg
Schwarzstr 30

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German

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Attn: MAX

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Only now I am strong enough to write to you. Shortly after my departure my ailment got so bad that I doubted if I would ever reach Munich.... I was told that recovery after the operation will take 6 weeks, so that I am completely out for 2 or 3 months..... Thus our business intentions must suffer an unpleasant interruption. I don't see any chance of coming to Salzburg. How I would have rejoiced at composing the ballet music! Last time I heard you on the phone with friends of mine, but I did not mention the question because I wanted to leave as soon as possible.....I have informed Hagl of my misfortune. I hope you will be successful with the ballet. How I envy the people who can work and compose! I have so many good ideas and I am now so well known by many European radio stations...

Victor Mcellan

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Salzburg
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Attn: MAX

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- 1): Hugo already was with me. But now I received a letter from Viktor, that's why I want to talk to you. Do you know where he is?
- 2): Here it is written: from 10 to 12 with Richard. If he will call up tell him that he is to call them up.

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EXHIBIT II

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