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TO: DIRECTOR, CIA

FROM: SR REP SALZBURG

ROUTINE

ACTION: SR 6

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TO: DIR INFO: SVIEN CITE: SSALZ

RE: DIR 40559 (OUT 2500)

REDSOX/GRALLSPICE 1

1. GRALLSPICE 1 REPORTS POSSIBLE BLACKMAIL ATTEMPT BY MARIA PFENNIG, GRANDMOTHER OF 16 YEAR OLD GIRL, EDITH LEGERER, AT NATURF-REUNDEHAUS (SEE CR 32 REF EASA 1885). APPARENTLY PFENNIG SUSPECTS GRALLSPICE 1 IS BLACKMARKETEER AND PLANS THREATEN HIM WITH ARREST ON CHARGE CONTRIBUTING DELINQUENCY MINOR. ACTUALLY GRALLSPICE 1 NOT LIABLE DELINQUENCY CHARGE BUT COMPLAINT WOULD PROMPT POLICE INVESTIGATION. GRALLSPICE 1 COVER AND DOCUMENTATION WOULD NOT STAND POLICE INVESTIGATION. GRALLSPICE 1 LEARNED PLAN FROM HERMINE STUERKNER, ALSO ANTAGONIST OF PFENNIG (CR 41 REF EASA 2046). GRALLSPICE 1 BELIEVES THREAT VALID.

2. LEGERER NOT PREGNANT. PFENNIG HAS TAKEN NO ACTION AS OF 20 SEPT 53. BELIEVE FOLLOWING ALTERNATIVES POSSIBLE:

A. ACCEDE TO BLACKMAIL. INADVISABLE AS DOES NOT REDUCE SECURITY DANGER.

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B. REMOVE GRALLSPICE 1 SALZ AREA.

C. IGNORE THREAT AND HOPE NOTHING MATERIALIZES. THIS RISKY VIEW GRALLSPICE 1'S SENSITIVITY AND PENDING EMIGRATION. ALSO DOES NOT REMOVE SECURITY THREAT.

D. CHANGE GRALLSPICE 1 NAME AND DOCUMENTATION. RISKY SINCE GRALLSPICE 1 THUS IN SALZ UNDER TWO NAMES. TOWN TOO SMALL SUCH PRACTICE.

E. ADMIT GRALLSPICE 1'S U.S. INTELLIGENCE CONNECTION TO SALZ POLICE THEREBY KEEPING HIM OUT OF JAIL BUT BLOWING HIM. SHOULD USE ONLY AS LAST RESORT.

3. GRALLSPICE 1 SUCCESSFULLY PASSED LOFLUTTER 19 SEPT RE CIC ALLEGATIONS SMUNI 2887 (IN 48441). INFORMING () MOB RESULTS SO HE CAN ACT TO OVERRIDE CIC ALLEGATION. THUS WAY CLEARED FOR EMIGRATION. FEEL 2 B ABOVE ONLY SOUND SOLUTION. REQUEST HQS EXPEDITE GRALLSPICE 1'S PRIORITY EMIGRATION VISA. ADVISE EARLIEST ETD GRALLSPICE 1 AND FAMILY.

4. POUCHING DETAILS.

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