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 FROM: ^{*WJN*} SC, AMZON
 SUBJECT: TRIDENT Project - UPA Courier
 REF: MGH-604 (MSC 424); X-9463

1) Subject, a member of UPA/OUN until late fall of 1946, arrived in Munich in early December 1946, stating that he was a courier sent out by UPA in the Ukraine to OUN/UHVR in Munich. He was thoroughly interrogated by the Ukrainian security organization, SB/OUN, on matters of interest to the Ukrainians for their propaganda publications, and on CI questions in which we were interested. MGH-604 contains information supplied by Subject in that debriefing.

2) SB/OUN has recently begun to suspect Subject's good faith. Their reasons are the following:

a) It was discovered that Subject made the Ukraine-Munich trip in two and a half days, an unusual feat in view of the fact that he had to travel through part of the Ukraine, all of Czechoslovakia, half of Bavaria, and had to make two illegal border crossings. SB/OUN suspected that he must have had some assistance from either Soviet or Czech authorities.

b) At one time he unguardedly and very casually mentioned to an SB/OUN informant that he had been arrested by the MVD. Pressed for details, Subject said that he had been under arrest only a short time, and that he had experienced no trouble in escaping almost immediately. Subject did not mention this MVD arrest to SB/OUN immediately upon his arrival in Munich.

c) Although a fugitive from the MVD, Subject has of late made several suggestions to SB/OUN that he be sent back to the Ukraine to penetrate either the MVD, the MGB or the Ukraine Communist Party.

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3) Subject is now being investigated by SB/OUN, and CAPANEUS (first sub-source of MGH-1100) has promised us a preliminary investigation report within two weeks. Should we come to a definite conclusion that Subject is in fact a Soviet agent, CAPANEUS will willingly cooperate with us in any course of action we recommend.

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