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66TH COUNTER INTELLIGENCE CORPS GROUP  
UNITED STATES ARMY, EUROPE  
APO 154 US ARMY

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SUBJECT: Central Registry Check; Re: TRISKA, Helmut

TO: Commanding Officer  
Department of Army Detachment  
APO 757, US Army  
ATTENTION: Penny B. LITTLE

1. Reference is made to your letter No. 3465, subject as above, dated 2 November 1953, requesting Central Registry check.

2. In compliance with your request, the name on the attachment was checked against the files of Central Registry, 66th CIC Group; the following information was disclosed:

Helmut TRISKA, your trace. A trace is held on one Helmut TRISKA, born 10 February 1912 in KNITTELFELD/Austria, who was arrested by an American intelligence agency on 19 March 1946 at ASPERG on charges of being a Sturmabannfuhrer (Major) in the Allgemeine SS, a Sturmabannfuhrer (Major) in the Sturmabteilung (Storm Troopers) (SA), a Gauamtsleiter (Gau leader), and a Kreisamtsleiter (County leader). TRISKA was described by an American intelligence agency interrogator as "a very ardent and arrogant Nazi". SUBJECT was in possession of the "Goldene Partei-Abzeichen" and the Hitler Jugend (Hitler Youth) (HJ) "Ehrenzeichen (date not indicated). TRISKA was transferred to Camp 74 (no other identifying data) for denasification on 7 November 1946. Final disposition not indicated. (Unevaluated)  
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