



13. Father - full name occupation, present residence, year and place of birth, nationality at birth and subsequent nationalities.  
JAN TUMASH, b. 1885, carpenter. Not known if living or dead. If alive, residing in BSSR. Had old Russian and later Polish citizenship.
14. Mother - same information as 13.  
PETRONELA KANAPIELKA b. 1888, residency since World War II unknown. Citizenship same as father
15. Wife (or husband) - full name, maiden name, date and place of birth, date and place of marriage, nationality at birth and any subsequent nationalities, present residence, divorce, annulment. (Give data for all previous marriages.) KSENIA TUMASH, nee GRYGARCZUK, b. Stoldly, Byelorussia, as Russian citizen, later Polish citizenship. Same address as husband. No previous marriage.
16. Children - full names, sex, year and place of birth, nationality at birth and any subsequent nationalities, present residence.  
JARASLAVA TUMASH, daughter b. 1 Dec 1942 at Litzmannstadt (Poland under German occupation. Stateless. Now residing with parents.  
VITAUT TUMASH, son b. 11 Sept 1946 at Drütte, Germany. Now residing with parents.
17. Brothers and sisters - Same information as 16.  
No brothers or sisters

18. Relatives in service of any government, names and positions held.  
No relatives in service of any state of government
19. List all official identity papers held with dates, numbers, place of issue and duration of validity.  
First Papers (Declaration of Intention) No. 45360 dtd 26 Oct 1951  
Alien Registration Card No. A7905014
20. Religion - degree practiced, membership in religious orders  
Catholic, does not belong to religious organizations
21. Present and past political affiliations  
Always adherent Byelorussian nation liberation movement. No membership in political parties
22. Travel outside country of present residence - country, dates, purpose, people and firms visited  
January 1949 from Germany to Paris to visit Nicholas Abramtchik, president of the Byelorussian National Council (BNR)
23. Education - school, location, course, degree, dates  
Primary school—graduated 1923  
Gymnasium graduated 1930 (equivalent to US high school-college)  
Medical Faculty of University of Wilna  
MD Diploma 31 May 1939
24. Languages and dialects (indicate proficiency as good, fair, poor.)
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|----------|-------------------|-------|---------------------|-------------|---------------|------------|-------------|
| Language | <u>Byeloruss</u>  | Speak | <u>good</u>         | Read        | <u>good</u>   | Understand | <u>good</u> |
| Language | <u>Polish</u>     | Speak | <u>good</u>         | Read        | <u>good</u>   | Understand | <u>good</u> |
| Language | <u>Russian</u>    | Speak | <u>satis</u>        | Read        | <u>good h</u> | Understand | <u>good</u> |
|          | <u>Ukrainian</u>  |       | <u>satisfactory</u> | <u>good</u> |               |            | <u>good</u> |
|          | <u>Lithuanian</u> |       | <u>satis</u>        | <u>good</u> |               |            | <u>good</u> |
|          | <u>German</u>     |       | <u>satis</u>        | <u>good</u> |               |            | <u>good</u> |
|          | <u>English</u>    |       | <u>satis</u>        | <u>good</u> |               |            | <u>good</u> |

25. Military service - dates, country, unit, rank, duty, where services performed, decorations, when discharged, why. Give details if ever prisoner of war
- No military service**
26. Present and past membership in organizations (professional, social, political, etc.)
- Byelorussian Student Association (as student)  
Whiteruthenian(Byelorussian)Institute of Arts and Sciences, New York  
Whiteruthenian Medical Association, New York  
Byelorussian-American Association, New York  
Byelorussian National Council (BHR)**
27. Special skills, abilities, hobbies (radio, photography, etc.)
- Scientific interests; historical and political problems of the Byelorussian national movement.**
28. Financial status - earnings, bank deposits, securities, property
- Monthly income \$250. Bank Account at the THE PUBLIC NATIONAL BANK AND TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK; Willis Avenue and 138th Street, Bronx, New York**
29. Employment history - type of work, salary, dates, employers, addresses, reasons for leaving. Include employment by any government.
- Admitting physician in City Hospital, New York (Fordham Hospital) since 1952. Previously interned at St. Joseph's Hospital, Paterson, N.J. No other employment record in the United States. — In Germany, as DP, UNRRA and IRO doctor. Steady journalistic and scientific activity on Byelorussian problems.**

29. (Continued)

30. Has subject done any writing? Give details including titles of books, articles, publishers, dates.

At the present time is chief editor of ZAPISY —scientific quarterly of Whiteruthenian Institute of Arts and Sciences. Contributed many scientific articles and essays to magazines and newspapers, recently in ZAPISY and Byelorussian emigrant publications. Prepared book on the history of the cultural background of Byelorussia.

31. List persons living at same address, close associates, (individuals or groups,) correspondents at home and abroad.

Bishop Vasili, 108 Wyckoff St., Brooklyn 2, NY  
General F. Kushal, 325 East 100th Street, New York 29, New York  
Dr. Bronislaw Grabinski, Dixon State Hospital, Dixon, Ill.  
Dr. (fm) Wiarbicki  
Prof. J. Limonovsky  
Rev. J. Piotnowski (sic)

Dr. ~~Stanislaw~~ Hrynkievich, Stanislaw, 608 Morris St., Philadelphia 17, Pa.

32. List five character references.

Nicholas Abramtchik, 21-23 Pennsylvania Ave., Brooklyn 7, NY (Apt. 17)  
Dr. ~~Bronislaw~~ Grabinski, Dixon State Hospital, Dixon, Ill.  
Bishop Vasili, 108 Wyckoff St., Brooklyn 2, NY  
Rev. Joseph Reszec, Lisle, Ill. St. Procopius Abbey  
Dr. Stanislaus Hrynkievich, 608 Morris St., Philadelphia

33. Court record - court, date, arrests, charges, punishments, sentences, acquittals, denazification, etc.

Never under trial, never arrested, never Nazi or de-Nazified

34. Description (Use American standards of measurement, if possible.)

Age _____	Posture _____
Apparent age _____	Weight _____
Height _____	Teeth _____
Eyes _____	Hair _____
Face - shape _____	Scars _____
Complexion _____	Build _____
Sex _____	
General appearance _____	
Prominent features _____	
Other identifying features _____	

35. Other miscellaneous biographical data and comments.

Subject very interested in writing and would foresake medical pursuits if writing opportunity presented itself

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PART II - OPERATIONAL INFORMATION

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CASE OFFICER:

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1. If feasible, subject should fill in Part I of PRQ in his own hand.
2. Part II of PRQ is classified, must be filled in by the Case Officer and is not to be shown to subject.
3. Headquarters will not be able to provide an Operational Clearance unless it receives answers to all questions on page 1 of Part I (items 1 to 12), and to all questions of Part II (items 36 to 58).
4. In emergency these answers, keyed to items 1 to 12 by number, and with summary of Part II, may be cabled to Headquarters, followed promptly by pouch with complete data.
5. Fully completed PRQ must be sent to Headquarters as soon as possible, two copies of Part I (including copy in subject's handwriting, if possible) and one copy of Part II.
6. Data acquired later must be sent to Headquarters in PRQ format on a continuing basis.
7. All pages of both parts will bear the PRQ number, composed of (a) Station symbol (b) PRQ (c) number assigned consecutively by the field station; e.g. PGA/PRQ/10.

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36. Cryptonym \_\_\_\_\_

Subject first contacted by ARCAMBISTA in introduction of confidential Case Officer 16 February 1954, in New York City who proceeded to develop contact.

38. Could subject be turned over quickly and in a secure manner to <sup>yes</sup> Any Russian, Polish or English speaking senior case officer with a knowledge of Byelorussian political affairs? <sup>to whom?</sup>

39. Best estimate of subject's motivation <sup>is</sup> Subject is an anti-communist and Byelorussian patriot who desires free and democratic Byelorussia. According to Subject <sup>has</sup> been actively engaged in this struggle since 1923. During the course of the contact no mention of financial remuneration was made by the subject.

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40. With what agencies and files has subject's name been checked? When? Result? What else has been done to verify biographical information furnished by subject?

Green Listed 6 Jan. 1954  
RI File check  
STD files checked

Local field traces divulged no derogatory information on Subject.  
POC granted 18 Jan. 1954

41. What control exists over subject at present? How can it be increased?  
The only control at the present time is the sympathetic attitude of the United States to Byelorussian anti-communist struggle.
42. For what service does he think he is working? What does he think becomes of his information?  
Subject is only aware of the fact that the information he will write will be for the United States Government. He may suspect that it will be used for intelligence purposes.
43. Explain fully subject's past or present connection with any intelligence service.  
None. Subject noted that during World War II, while residing in Germany, the German intelligence may have had some influence on the policy of the Byelorussian language anti-communist newspaper he was editing, but it was never a direct intervention.
44. What type of information has subject furnished? What type is he best qualified by education and experience to furnish? Give evaluation of information received.  
Subject has not furnished any information to date. By education and experience, Subject is extremely well-qualified to discuss the Byelorussian political and cultural scene from its earliest concepts to the present day.

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45. If subject's duties are to be other than intelligence gathering, explain.

Subject will be used to compile a study regarding Byelorussian political parties their development, affiliations, membership, loyalties and influence on the Byelorussian emigration. This information is of CE value.

46. Has he been given special training as an agent? Explain.

No

47. How and from whom does he obtain information?

Subject is well-known as a political writer of the Byelorussian scene. His information will be obtained through an already established contacts and correspondence which he has developed through the years and from the archives of AECAMBISTA 1 through AECAMBISTA 4.

48. Is it proposed to pay subject a regular salary? If so, amount per week, month, etc. Explain any other methods of payment, such as exchange commodities.

Subject will be paid approximately \$300.00 per month.

49. Have any promises or commitments whatsoever (not covered elsewhere in this form) been made to subject? Explain.

None

50. Are subject's language abilities and other characteristics such that he could pass as a native of a country or region other than his own? Explain.

Yes. Subject is a native of Western Byelorussia which was under Polish influence.

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51. What is subject's social standing? Aristocracy, upper middle class, lower middle class, peasantry, etc.?

**Subject is a medical doctor. Within the Byelorussian emigration he can be associated with the upper middle class.**

52. What are subject's personal habits? Liquor, drugs, gambling, mistresses or lovers?

**There is no evidence that Subject has any of the aforementioned habits.**

53. Evaluation of subject's character, reliability, security.

**People acquainted with the Subject/ i.e. AECAMBISTA & note that Subject's character is beyond reproach. Subject agreed that this association with the United States government should be kept secret and further agreed that his medical activities should be maintained for cover reasons.**

54. With what other foreign power would subject be most likely to collaborate because of his ideology, obligation, etc.? Explain.

**Any western power which was anti-communistic and would further the nationalistic aspirations of the Byelorussian emigration.**

55. What special abilities, talents, or qualifications are possessed by subject which would conceivably be of value for other operations in the future?

**Subject is an administrator, medical doctor, journalist, and historian. He could be used as a consultant on problems which may arise concerning the development of political parties of Byelorussia.**

56. Attach samples of subject's signature and handwriting in all languages known to him, also a recent, dated photograph, and fingerprints.

**Circumstances preclude obtaining this data at this time, however, it can be obtained later when the contact is less formal.**

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57. How was information in Part I obtained?

58. Subject submitted information upon request. Additional information procured from associate sources. Other miscellaneous operational data and comments.

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