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DISPATCH NO. MGS A-3906

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TO : Chief, BOB Attn:

DATE: 16 May 1951

FROM : Chief of Station, Karlsruhe

SUBJECT: GENERAL— Operational

SPECIFIC— Horst Paul VETTERMANN

REFERENCE: MGS A-8658

1. A check of CIC Central Registry revealed Horst VETTERMANN, alias Hans STEIN, was employed in the Uranium mines in the Soviet Zone of Germany from September 1945 to 20 November 1949, when he fled to the West Zone of Germany.

2. On 14 March 1950 Subject went to the Munich CIC office and volunteered to give information. On 16 March he was taken to ECIC, interrogated by CIC and further interrogated by ECIC reference: Uranium mines in the Soviet Zone of Germany. CIC commented that Subject's account of his war record does not agree with what is known of the units to which he was allegedly attached.

3. Reference paragraph 13 of reference, during his interrogation, Subject stated that his father, Paul VETTERMANN, was born 28 March 1875 and was killed during the war.

4. CIC Central Registry has no other additional information to that contained in reference.

5. A check of CIC Central Registry also revealed one Julius MANN, born at West Prussia on 18 March 1907, was arrested at PW Camp Maisach on 30 January 1946 by CIC, Dachau Sub Region, reason: "Automatic arrest as per CI directive Hq, USFET, dated 10 April 1945 -- Waffen-SS 1941-45 Grenadier, Allg. SS 1940-41 Anwärter."

6. CIC Central Registry has no record of the other individuals mentioned in reference.

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