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ATTN : Chief, Salzburg Operations Base
Chief, Pullach Operations Base

15 February 1952

DIRECT POUCH TO SALZBURG

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V-3597 WEBER

REF: SALZF-222

1. V-3597 used "Dr. WANDT" as an alias in Austria. Reference states that in the summer of 1951 Dr. WANDT posed as a CIC agent in Salzburg.

2. V-3597 emphatically denies that he ever posed as a CIC agent, employee, or source during the course of discussions with TABOREK and/or CVRK, or at any other time. V-3597 further points out that he knew that TABOREK had deservedly fallen out of grace with CIC and that therefore, even if V-3597 were inclined to violate our strict prohibition against using CIC for cover purposes, he would scarcely have done so vis-a-vis TABOREK. Incidentally, V-3597 is not a Slovakian but a Sudeten German. He spoke Slovakian in negotiations with TABOREK; and either TABOREK or CVRK, or both, may have assumed a CIC tie because V-3597 identified himself merely as the representative of an organization which has American support.

3. Our impression is that the above account is true.

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