

CABLE SECRETARIAT DISSEMINATION

CLASSIFIED MESSAGE TOTAL COPIES

ROUTING AND NO. INITIALS-SEEN

PERSON/UNIT NOTIFIED

**SECRET**  
(When Filled In)

GROUP 1  
EXCLUDED FROM AUTOMATIC  
DOWNGRADING AND  
DECLASSIFICATION

1	5
2	3
3	7
4	8

ADVANCE COPY  ISSUED  SLOTTED

REPRODUCTION OF THIS COPY PROHIBITED

BY: \_\_\_\_\_ AT: \_\_\_\_\_

DISSEM. BY: 15 PER \_\_\_\_\_ # \_\_\_\_\_

ACTION UNIT

EUR 6 FILE, VR

ACTION NO. 143

UP/AN CI, C/OPS, FI, DDP, ADDP

SECRET 070915Z NOV 72 STAFF

CITE 20394

DIRECTOR INFO

CASCOPE CASCENE

REF A. 21097 (N 748443)

B. 21139 (N 751784)

1. ENDORSES VIEWS RE SUBSTITUTION OF

ALIAS ACKERMANN FOR ALIAS FLEMING IN VISIT TO HQS. WISH REITERATE, AS HQS AWARE FROM PAST CORRESPONDENCE, THAT ACKERMANN, FROM REASONS OF PERSONAL ARROGANCE, EXAGGERATED GERMAN NATIONALISM, OR ANTI-AMERICANISM, OR MIXTURE OF THESE AND OTHER FACTORS, ON NUMBER OF OCCASIONS DURING PAST SEVERAL YEARS HAS BEEN A TRICKY AND DIFFICULT PERSON TO DEAL WITH. IN ADDITION HIS PECULIAR WORLD WAR II BACKGROUND (WHICH NOTED IN DETAIL IN EGMW-16958, 31 MAR 71) INCL FACT MUCH OF HIS SERVICE WAS WITH RSHA AMT VI (AS SS OFFICER) AND HIS STORY RE ALLEGED ESCAPE FROM SOVIET CAPTIVITY, HAS MADE HIM AN INDIVIDUAL WHO, AT LEAST IN EYES OF [ ] HAS BEEN REGARDED WITH MORE THAN A LITTLE SKEPTICISM AND RESERVE. HOWEVER, INSOFAR AS [ ] IS AWARE, BKCROWN DOES NOT POSSESS ANY FIRM DEROGATORY SECURITY INFO RE ACKERMANN.

DECLASSIFIED AND RELEASED BY  
CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY  
SOURCES METHOD EXEMPTION 3B2B  
NAZI WAR CRIMES DISCLOSURE ACT  
DATE 2008

753447

T

61  
CO COPY FILED IN 32w-2-76/60

**SECRET**

DUPLICATE COPY  
FOR CROSS FILING IN

CABLE SECRETARIAT DISSEMINATION

CLASSIFIED MESSAGE TOTAL COPIES

ROUTING AND/OR INITIALS-SEEN BY

PERSON/UNIT NOTIFIED

**SECRET**

GROUP 1

1

5

(When Filled In)

EXCLUDED FROM AUTOMATIC  
DOWNGRADING AND  
DECLASSIFICATION

2

6

ADVANCE COPY

ISSUED

BLOTTED

REPRODUCTION OF THIS COPY PROHIBITED

3

7

4

8

BY: \_\_\_\_\_ AT: \_\_\_\_\_ Z

DISSEM. BY \_\_\_\_\_ PER \_\_\_\_\_ # \_\_\_\_\_

ACTION UNIT

INFO

FILE, VR

ACTION NO.

PAGE 2 [ ] 20394 S E C R E T

2. GIVEN ABOVE FACTORS, WE CONSIDER IT WOULD BE PRUDENT TO RESTRICT INSOFAR AS IS FEASIBLE, GIVEN ACKERMANN'S SENIOR POSN AND LIKELIHOOD HE WILL BE LOOKING CLOSELY FOR ANY ACTION WHICH HE COULD INTERPRET AS BEING INDICATIVE OF ANTI-CASCOPE OR ANTI-ACKERMANN ATTITUDE BY BKCROWN, ACKERMANN'S ACCESS TO SENSITIVE INFO.

3. FILE 32W-2-76/60, [ ] E2. IMPDET.

S E C R E T