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SUBJECT: CASCOPE PROPOSAL FOR JOINT CASCOPE/PNEXCEL OPERATIONS  
IN BERLIN

REFS: A. [ ] 69091 2616891  
B. [ ] 69069 2607752

1. REF A MEETING TO DISCUSS POSSIBLE JOINT PNEXCEL/  
CASCOPE OPERATIONS IN BERLIN WAS HELD ON 15 NOVEMBER 1983.  
PNEXCEL REPS WERE [ ] AND [ ] CASCOPE REPS  
INCLUDED ALIAS ACKERMANN, CASCOPE OFFICIALS IN CHARGE OF  
OPERATIONS IN DDR AND POLAND AND CASCOPE REP BERLIN. BASED  
ON PRESENTATIONS MADE DURING MEETING BY CASCOPE REPS, IT APPEARS  
A VIABLE BASIS EXISTS FOR JOINT OPERATIONS IN BERLIN.

2. ALIAS ACKERMANN LED OFF MEETING WITH DETAILED  
EXPLANATION OF ORGANIZATION OF CASCOPE, WITH FOCUS ON OPERATIONAL  
ACTIVITIES AGAINST SOV BLOC COUNTRIES. CASCOPE CHIEF FOR DDR  
OPS (ALIAS MERKER) THEN PRESENTED DETAILED BACKGROUND ON LEADS  
WHICH PREVIOUSLY PROVIDED (REF B) REGARDING REPORTED EAST  
GERMAN RUN TECH TRANSFER OPERATIONS USING FIRMS OPERATING IN  
WEST BERLIN. DETAILED BREAKDOWN WAS ALSO PROVIDED OF EAST GERMAN  
OFFICIAL FIRMS AND ENTITIES WHICH ENGAGED IN MIXTURES OF LEGAL  
AND ILLEGAL ACQUISITION OF WESTERN TECHNOLOGY, WITH DETAILS ON  
HOW SPECIFIC EAST GERMAN OFFICES WERE UTILIZING THE VARIOUS  
WEST BERLIN FIRMS, IN COMBINATION WITH RELATED BRANCH FIRMS IN  
OTHER WEST GERMAN AND EUROPEAN CITIES. MUCH OF CASCOPE  
INFORMATION ON THIS TOPIC REPORTEDLY CAME FROM HIGH-LEVEL EAST  
GERMAN OFFICIAL (ENU) ((STILLER)) WHO DEFECTED THREE YEARS  
AGO, WHICH LED TO FOLLOW UP INVESTIGATION INTO ACTIVITIES OF  
SUSPECT FIRMS. CASCOPE CHIEF OF POLAND OPS, ALIAS KEMPER, THEN  
OUTLINED ONE CASE WITH A WEST BERLIN ANGLE WHICH CASCOPE WOULD  
LIKE ASSISTANCE IN FOLLOWING UP.

3. CASCOPE REPS EMPHASIZED THEIR PRIMARY INTEREST IS TO

DECLASSIFIED AND RELEASED BY  
CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY  
SOURCE METHOD EXEMPTION 3B2B  
NAZI WAR CRIMES DISCLOSURE ACT  
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DEFER TO HQS [ ] AS TO WHETHER WE WISH TO CONSIDER OFFERING TO PROVIDE SUCH SUPPORT ON CASE BY CASE BASIS IN RETURN FOR SHARE OF PRODUCT OBTAINED.

B. CASCOPE OCCASIONALLY COULD USE PNEXCEL ASSISTANCE IN EXFILTRATION OF CASCOPE AGENTS IN EAST. WE TOLD CASCOPE THAT PNEXCEL COULD CONVEIVABLY PROVIDE SUCH SUPPORT, AGAIN ON CASE BY CASE BASIS WITH PRIMARY CONSIDERATION BEING VALUE OF THE INDIVIDUAL TO BE EXFILTRATED. WE DID NOT GO INTO ANY DETAILS WITH CASCOPE, BUT WE HAVE IN MIND BOTH POSSIBILITY OF FALSE DOCUMENT SUPPORT AS WELL AS POSSIBILITY OF USING [ ] EXFIL VEHICLE. DEFER TO HQS AS TO WHETHER WE WOULD WANT AT ANY POINT TO SURFACE LATTER CAPABILITY TO CASCOPE.

7. IN GENERAL, MEETING APPEARED TO GO VERY WELL. WE ARE SATISFIED THAT CASCOPE HAVE SOME GOOD, SPECIFIC LEADS WHICH ARE WORTH JOINT EXPLOITATION IN AN EFFORT TO DEVELOP SOME GOOD TECH TRANSFER CASES AS WELL AS POTENTIAL RECRUITMENT OPERATIONS AGAINST EAST GERMAN OFFICIALS. WE PLAN TO FOLOW UP ON SPECIFICS ON THESE CASES HERE WITH LOCAL CASCOPE REP AND WE WILL REPORT ON EACH INDIVIDUAL CASE SEPARATELY WITH RECOMMENDATIONS FOR PNEXCEL SUPPORT/INVOLVEMENT. CASCOPE REPS ALSO APPEARED PLEASED WITH RESULTS OF TALKS. DEFER TO [ ] FOR ADDITION OF ANY DETAILS AND/OR CLARIFICATION OF POINTS CONTAINED IN THIS MESSAGE

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