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SUBJECT: BND RETIREE EBRULF ZUBER VISIT TO TOKYO

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NAZI WAR CRIMES DISCLOSURE ACT  
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1. ACTION REQUIRED: NONE. FYI.
2. LOCAL BND CHIEF HOSTED DINNER FOR ((ZUBER)) AND COUPLES 15 APRIL, FOLLOWED BY TAKING ZUBERS TO TYPICAL JAPANESE RESTAURANT NEXT EVENING, CAPPED OFF BY CHAT AT APARTMENT UNTIL WEE HOURS.
3. ZUBER NOTED FOLLOWING OF POSSIBLE ADDEE INTEREST. FORMER BND SECURITY CHIEF ((PATEN)) (ALIAS COL. PHILIP) NOW INVOLVED WITH INDUSTRIAL SECURITY OUTFIT IN MUNICH AREA WHILE SIMULTANEOUSLY RUNNING HIS OWN "VIP PROTECTION" FIRM. COMBINATION OF HIS STRONG CONNECTIONS TO CSU AND DIRECT CONTACT WITH FRANZ JOSEF STRAUSS, PLUS RESIDUAL CONTACTS/FRIENDS BUILT UP DURING HIS LONG YEARS AS BND SECURITY CHIEF, GUARANTEE HIS SUCCESS IN THESE ENDEAVORS.
4. CURRENT BND DEPT. I CHIEF ((ALIAS DR. KEMPE)) IS IN EXCELLENT POSITION TO EVENTUALLY SUCCEED DR. WIECK AS PRESIDENT OF BND. ZUBER EXPLAINED WHY BY REVIEWING KEMPE'S CONTINUING DEEP FRIENDSHIP WITH HORST ((TELTSCHIK)) OF CHANCELLOR'S OFFICE, LATTER'S INFLUENTIAL POSITION AS CLOSE CONFIDANTE OF FEDERAL CHANCELLOR HELMUT KOHL, AND UNFOLDING FOLLOWING.
5. WHEN KLAUS KINKEL UNEXPECTEDLY AND SUDDENLY LEFT BND PRESIDENCY FOR STATE SECRETARYSHIP IN BONN, SEARCH BEGAN FOR REPLACEMENT. WITHIN BND DEPT I AT THAT TIME, ZUBER WAS DEPUTY CHIEF (AND DE FACTO CHIEF) AND KEMPE WAS CHIEF OF POLISH DESK. KEMPE APPROACHED ZUBER (BOTH ARE STRONG CSU SUPPORTERS), EXPLAINED HIS CLOSE RELATIONSHIP TO TELTSCHIK AND LATTER'S TO KOHL, AND SUGGESTED THAT TELTSCHIK COULD BE CONVINCED TO CHAMPION EBERHARD BLUM AS REPLACEMENT FOR THE DEPARTED KINKEL. ADVANTAGES WERE THAT BLUM HAD SOLID "PEDIGREE", BEING FROM OLD, WELL-REGARDED FAMILY WITH IMPECCABLE MILITARY BACKGROUND (READ FREE OF ANY NAZI CONNECTIONS), BLUM WAS ONE OF "BND'S OWN," WHICH WOULD BE IMPORTANT FROM BND MORALE STANDPOINT, AND FINALLY, BLUM WAS KNOWN FOR HIS POLITICALLY CONSERVATIVE VIEWS AND WOULD HAVE BACKING OF FRANZ JOSEF STRAUSS AND THE CSU PARTY MACHINE. KEMPE FURTHER NOTED KOHL'S ALLEGED DISTASTE FOR DECISION-MAKING AND THAT TELTSCHIK, ARMED WITH ABOVE REASONING, WOULD BE PRESENTING KOHL WITH EASY SOLUTION TO WHAT HAD BECOME VEXING POLITICAL FOOTBALL. ZUBER LIKED KEMPE'S IDEA AND

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ACCOMPANIED KEMPE TO BONN WHERE KEMPE SOLD IDEA TO TELTSCHIK  
AND REST IS HISTORY.

6. [ ] COMMENT: KEMPE'S CA. FOUR GRADE LEAP-FROG  
PROMOTION INTO POSITION OF DEPT. I CHIEF SUBSEQUENT TO BLUM  
TAKING OFFICE AS BND PRESIDENT, WHICH WELL-KNOWN, BECOMES MORE  
UNDERSTANDABLE GIVEN ABOVE. SO, TOO, HIS ALLEGED GOOD POSITION  
TO BECOME NEXT BND CHIEF AFTER WIECK - PROVIDED THE  
KOHL/TELTSCHIK EQUATION REMAINS CONSTANT.

7. FILE: 32W-2-41.. INDEX: ZUBER, WIECK, (TELTSCHIK),  
(KEMPE). DECL OADR DRV HUM 4-82.

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