

SUBJECT: Yuriy Ivanovich NOSENKO

НОСЕНКО Юрий Иванович, 1927 года рождения, урож. г. Николаева УССР, украинец, бывш. член КПСС, образование высшее, в 1950 г. окончил Московский институт международных отношений, бывш. сотрудник органов госбезопасности, проживал в г. Москве. Мать Носенко Тамара Георгиевна и брат Носенко Владимир Иванович проживают в г. Москве.

Находясь в служебной командировке в Швейцарии, 4 февраля 1964 г. изменил Родине, выехал в США и обратился к американским властям с просьбой о предоставлении ему политического убежища. Военной коллегией Верховного суда СССР 23 июля 1964 г. заочно осужден к ВМН. Имеются фотокарточка и образец почерка.

Розыскное дело во Втором Главном управлении КГБ при СМ СССР.

(Ранее объявлен в розыск КГБ при СМ СССР ориентировкой № 26 за 1966 г., порядковый № 5).

The item above is extracted from page 273 of a book entitled Alphabetical List of Agents of Foreign Intelligence Services, Defectors, Members of Anti-Soviet Organizations, Members of Punitive Units and Other Criminals Under Search Warrant, which was published by KGB Headquarters in 1969 and issued to all regional KGB offices. The book is classified TOP SECRET. Although the book is dated 1969, the information in it was still current as of July 1972.

Translation: NOSENKO, Yuriy Ivanovich, born in 1927 in the city of Nikolayev, Ukrainian SSR, Ukrainian, former member of the CPSU, higher education, in 1950 graduated from the Moscow institute of international relations, former employee of the state security organs, lived in the city of Moscow. Mother NOSENKO, Tamara Georgiyevna and brother NOSENKO, Vladimir Ivanovich live in the city of Moscow.

While on an official trip to Switzerland, on 4 February 1964 he defected, went to the United States and asked the American authorities to grant him political asylum. On 23 July 1964 the military collegium of the Supreme Court, USSR sentenced him in absentia to VMN (death). A photograph and signature sample are available.

The search case file is held by the Second Chief Directorate of the KGB of the Council of Ministers, USSR.

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NOSENKO is a Soviet intelligence officer who defected in Switzerland in 1964. He was subsequently brought to the U.S., and after a short period of relative freedom, he was confined under strict and relatively austere conditions for a period of approximately three years. Commencing in 1967, he was given increasing amounts of freedom until he was allowed total freedom in 1969. He subsequently married a U.S. citizen, settled in the Southeastern United States and became a U.S. citizen in 1974. He is presently under contract to the Agency, providing consultative services and information on subjects germane to his background.

NOSENKO was confined when as a result of his debriefing substantive questions were raised concerning his bona fides, and his general behavior raised further concern about his emotional health and general safety. NOSENKO's debriefing and confinement were ended when it was concluded that he was not a threat to national security. The advice of the Justice Department was obtained at the time of his confinement, and the FBI participated in his subsequent debriefing. NOSENKO's initial entry into the U.S. was coordinated with the Department of State, and they were periodically advised of his status during his confinement up to the time of his final settlement.

1. There have been a number of reliable reports over the years which reveal that the KGB and East European intelligence services will take extreme measures to deal with intelligence officer defectors.

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