

Social Approach

[redacted] BOGATYREV, Boris Fedorovich (Asst. Sov Air Attache, Wash D. C.)

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During 1953 Leonid PIVNEV (like Subj is a Sov Asst Air Attache in US) developed as a mail drop a small business operator in Wash DC. This individual has become an FBI Informant(T-5). T-5 has advised that on 30 Jun 54 an individual who introduced himself as Boris BOGATYREV appeared at T-5's residence and presented to T-5 a \$40 fishing rod & reel, explaining that it was a gift from PIVNEV. PIVNEV

had had to leave the US "rather hurriedly". (NB: Actually PIVNEV had been declared persona non grata in the US & had left on 6 Jun 54). BOGATYREV asked Informant a few questions about his business, but on the whole his visit was of a social nature. BOGATYREV made no mention of PIVNEV's use of T-5 as a mail drop. T-5 later identified his visitor from FBI photos as id/w Subj.

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