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1. The village of Rodopsko¹, Ardino Okoliya, is located approximately two or three kilometers southeast of Ardino. It has 70 houses and is under the central jurisdiction of the Ardino People's Council. The village has full powers. The representative of the village People's Council resides at Ardino. Rodopsko and the other villages in the Ardino Obshtina have a predominantly Turkish population.
2. The village of Rodopsko is divided into the following "makhala" (quarters):
 - a. Kodzho Osmalar - 20 houses;
 - b. Khadzhelil - 6 houses;
 - c. Kochlar - 4 houses;
 - d. Amed Akhlar - 6 houses; and
 - e. Erzhek - 30 houses.

Some of these quarters are as much as three kilometers distant from one another.

3. Rodopsko has a primary school located in the Erzhek Quarter. Lessons are given in both Bulgarian and Turkish. There are no militiamen stationed at Rodopsko.

Comment: None of the maps available in this office show Rodopsko
The Karta Bulgariya (Sofia, 1934) lists Rodopsko as part of the Ardino Obshtina.

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