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1. The Soviet Scientific-Technical Bureau No. 3 - Instrument Construction (Wissenschaftlich-technisches Bureau Nr. 3 - Gerätebau) (STB 3) is located in Berlin 112, Neue Bahnhofstrasse 9/11 in the Knorr-Bremse plant. The office is responsible to the headquarters of SAG Kabel. The Russian chief of STB 3 is (fnu) Poyadin, in his late 50's, completely bald, "very tall" - 172 centimeters (sic), wears no glasses, light blue eyes.<sup>2</sup> There are only two or three other Russians in the office; they are all unidentified. The German chief is (fnu) Thielicke.
2. STB 3 has existed for the past four years. It contains a construction department (Konstruktionsabteilung) and a laboratory for high frequency work which includes a workshop and a storeroom. It is estimated that about 450 Germans are employed at the office; this figure is based on the serial number of an office pass. Twenty persons are in the construction division. Engineers on the staff are former Siemens, Lorenz and AEG personnel.
3. In the latter part of 1952, STB 3 was working on, among other projects, the two following items:
  - a) A test transmitter (Pruefsender), about 30 x 12 x 12 inches. No further details known.
  - b) Testing gear for a weather station which included three receivers, one standard oscillator (Lichoszillator), a camera, a set of antennae (Stab und Rahmenantennen - rod and frame antennae) and a transmitter. All this material was packed in a crate which measured about one meter on a side for shipment to the USSR. An engineer of the staff stated that it would be possible to read from the dial of the above receivers the exact kilometer distance of a bolt of lightning, even if the bolt were as far away as Berlin is from Madrid. The dial was round and had numbers running around it; from the center, four beams shot out to four equidistant points around the circumference, during testing. No further details are known.

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1. [REDACTED] STB 3 is possibly identical with NTB 3 referred to in

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2. [REDACTED] Comment: In reference report, a M.A. Poryadin was given as head of the NTB for the construction of HF apparatus. He is possibly identical with the Russian chief named here.

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