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COUNTRY	East Germany	REPORT	[REDACTED]
TOPIC	Soviet Supply Installations in the Eberswalde-Finow Area		
EVALUATION		PLACE OBTAINED	
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- In early March 1954, truck [REDACTED] occupied by 12 guard personnel, and tank truck [REDACTED] with trailer picked up fuel at the air force fuel depot Finow-Eisenspalterei near Finow. 25X1
- In mid-March, a Soviet army clothing depot and ration supply depot were still housed in the Herrmann Muehle (mill) in Finowfurt. Truck [REDACTED] belonged to the depot. The army field bakery was still located south of the autobahn. 25X1
- In March and April, the tank repair shop on Geschwister Scholl Strasse in Eberswalde seemed to be occupied. The noise of work was heard from the workshops. Many T-34/85 and JS tanks [REDACTED] were seen at test drives in the terrain. Several trucks with spare parts, tank engines and motor vehicle tires [REDACTED] 25X1
- Rumors in Eberswalde-Finow that the Soviet ammunition depot Waldeslust was to be vacated for the KVP had not materialized up to 10 May 1954. The dispatch of large shipments of ammunition which was observed up to mid-February was discontinued. Rail traffic as well as truck shipments from and to Waldeslust depot considerably decreased in March 1954, compared with traffic during the preceding months, while the volume of shipments in April and early May 1954 was about that of the preceding months. In early May, the depot was still occupied by about 120 soldiers who were quartered on Angermuender Strasse [REDACTED] 25X1

On 28 April, a rail shipment of 28 boxcars left the depot. Prior to early April 1954, 5 x 37-mm AA guns were in firing position just southwest of the ammunition depot. The guns were no longer seen after that time and had not returned by 10 May 1954. 4 25X1

- Comment. Report again confirms the fuel depot of the Twenty-Fourth Air Army [REDACTED] in Eberswalde-Eisenspalterei. The two trucks belong to the OATB in Finow. 25X1

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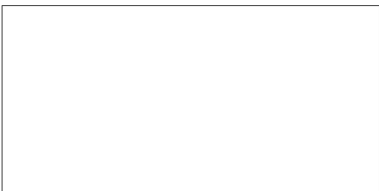
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2. Comment. Report confirms the ration supply and clothing depot of the Fourth Gds Mech Army in Finowfurt. 25X1

3. Comment. Report confirms the tank repair shop of the Fourth Gds Mech Army . Most of the tanks belong to the 6th Gds Mech Div, while some of the motor vehicles also belong to army troops of the Fourth Gds Mech Army. 25X1

4. Comment. The current supply traffic did not indicate that the ammunition depot Waldeslust of the Fourth Gds Mech Army would be vacated. The motor vehicles belong to the 7th Gds Mech Div, predominantly to army troops of the Fourth Gds Mech Army. 25X1



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