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1. [redacted] a special meeting of the Working Group of Wire Communications Techniques (Arbeitskreis "Drahtnachrichtentechnik") was held in the Ministry of Machine Construction.

2. Because of the difficult financial situation, Minister Bau demanded that export orders be drastically curtailed, to release funds for development projects. After a heated debate, a resolution was adopted to cut export orders by 25 percent. The following items were discussed:

- Teletype manual exchange Cut 20,000 DME
- Section power supply (Gruppenstromversorgung) cancelled
- Tropical type medium frequency telegraph equipment cancelled
- Four-wire cut-through relay (Vierdraht-Durchschaltung) cut approximately 30,000 DME
- Low frequency four-wire circuit (Niederfreq.Vierdrahtweg) cancelled
- Installation for the protection of rooms (Raumschutzanlagen) cancelled

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	Small local centrals (Landsentralen) Adhesive relay (Haftrelais) Manual exchange - cut approximately 40,000 DME Dial ringing installation (Wahlrufanlage) Post Charge-out of local office systems cut approximately 50,000 DME Medium auxiliary exchanges (Mittlere Nebenstellensysteme) Local system 53 - cut about 75,000 DME	cancelled cancelled cancelled cancelled	25X1 25X1 25X1
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