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COUNTRY East Germany 25X1
 TOPIC Rail Freight Traffic through Frankfurt/Oder

EVALUATION [redacted] PLACE OBTAINED [redacted] 25X1
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1 April. 34 two-axle flatcars to Koenigsbrueck [redacted]
 23 six-axle flatcars with a load exceeding standard measurements to Brandenburg [redacted] 25X1
 4 coaches, 5 converted boxcars, 6 boxcars, 1 heating car, and 32 two-axle flatcars to Vogelsang [redacted] 25X1
 [redacted] 4 25X1

2 April. 15 six-axle flatcars with load exceeding standard measurements to Eberswalde [redacted] 5 25X1
 4 coaches, 2 converted boxcars, 4 boxcars, 8 flatcars, and 1 heating car to Oranienburg/Eden [redacted] 4 25X1

3 April. 34 cars with undetermined load and 15 empty cars to Vogelsang; [redacted] 4 25X1

4 April. 3 converted boxcars, 5 boxcars, 15 flatcars with undetermined load and 5 empty flatcars to Erfurt [redacted] 4 25X1

2. Since 28 March, no empty railroad tank cars have been dispatched to Brest Litovsk. Previously a minimum of 50 such cars had been dispatched there every other day. No trains composed entirely of tank cars were observed arriving in the GDR, [redacted] 25X1

1. Comment. This information gives no indication of the consignee of the shipment. The load exceeding standard measurements indicates that the shipment consisted of new-type tanks.

2. Comment. Number and type of ~~rolling stock~~ and the shipment 25X1

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[redacted] this shipment was connected with the motor vehicle exchange program.

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- 3. [redacted] Comment. Possibly the shipment consisted of heavy prime movers consigned to the 124th Hv How Brig. Similar shipments to Brandenburg were observed on 17 February

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[redacted] unloading of prime movers was also reported from Brandenburg.

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- 4. [redacted] Comment. Continuation of shipments of air force units with equipment from the USSR to airfields in the GDR.

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- 5. [redacted] Comment. The data given indicate that the shipment consisted of new-type tanks which were possibly consigned to the Fourth Gds Mecz Army.

- 6. [redacted] Comment. For previous information on the dispatch of empty railroad tank cars to the East,

[redacted] . During March, about 190 tank cars in groups of 5 to 30, most of which were for use by the Twenty-Fourth Air Army, arrived in the GDR. This number is far above the monthly average of fuel shipments from the USSR.

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