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1. The following freight transports passed through Frankfurt/Oder from 1 September 1949 to 30 September 1949:

| No. of Trains | No. of Cars | Origin    | Destination              | Category            |
|---------------|-------------|-----------|--------------------------|---------------------|
| 58            | 2,093       | Frankfurt | Brest                    | Reparations         |
| 78            | 2,992       | "         | "                        | Commercial freight  |
| 36            | 1,556       | "         | "                        | Military freight    |
| 14            | 563         | "         | "                        | Uranium ore         |
| 16            | 489         | "         | "                        | Fuel                |
| 4             | 196         | "         | "                        | Misc. shipments     |
| 2             | 74          | "         | "                        | Manganese           |
| 49            | 1,821       | Brest     | Frankfurt                | /1-military freight |
| 17            | 700         | Frankfurt | Cottbus                  | "                   |
| 14            | 498         | "         | Berlin                   | "                   |
| 1             | 92          | "         | Brest                    | "                   |
| 1             | 113         | "         | Mulkow Mecklenburg (sic) | "                   |
| 1             | 24          | "         | Hohenleipisch            | "                   |

2. During September 1949, 126 empty westbound trains, 31 empty eastbound trains, and 179 empty local trains passed through Frankfurt/Oder.

3. The following military transports passed through Frankfurt/Oder during the same period of time:

| Date    | No. of Cars | Origin     | Destination | Description                        |
|---------|-------------|------------|-------------|------------------------------------|
| 3 Sept. | 60          | Greifswald | Cottbus     | 53 cars troops<br>7 cars vehicles  |
|         | 4           | "          | "           | 44 cars troops<br>16 cars vehicles |

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| <u>Date</u> | <u>No. of Cars</u> | <u>Origin</u> | <u>Destination</u> | <u>Description</u>    |
|-------------|--------------------|---------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| 4 Sept.     | 48                 | Cottbus       | Frankfurt          | Unknown               |
| 5 "         | 49                 | Greifswald    | Cottbus            | 17 cars troops        |
|             |                    |               |                    | 32 cars vehicles      |
|             | 53                 | Frankfurt     | Cottbus            | 27 cars troops        |
|             |                    |               |                    | 26 cars vehicles 25X1 |
|             | 22                 | Frankfurt     | Königsbrück        | 7 cars troops         |
|             |                    |               |                    | 15 cars vehicles 25X1 |
| 6 "         | 56                 | Greifswald    | Cottbus            | 48 cars troops        |
|             |                    |               |                    | 8 cars vehicles       |
|             | 56                 | Fürstenwalde  | Satzkorn           | 27 cars troops        |
|             |                    |               |                    | 29 cars vehicles 25X1 |
| 7 "         | 63                 | Greifswald    | Cottbus            | 47 cars troops        |
|             |                    |               |                    | 16 cars vehicles      |
| 8 "         | 42                 | Greifswald    | Cottbus            | 42 cars troops        |
|             | 45                 | Greifswald    | Cottbus            | 23 cars troops        |
|             |                    |               |                    | 22 cars vehicles      |
| 9 "         | 54                 | Greifswald    | Cottbus            | 34 cars troops        |
|             |                    |               |                    | 20 cars vehicles      |
| 12 "        | 56                 | Fürstenwalde  | Chemnitz           | 22 cars troops        |
|             |                    |               |                    | 34 cars vehicles      |
|             | 52                 | Fürstenwalde  | Chemnitz           | 24 cars troops        |
|             |                    |               |                    | 28 cars vehicles      |
| 13 "        | 56                 | Fürstenwalde  | Chemnitz           | 22 cars troops        |
|             |                    |               |                    | 34 cars vehicles      |
| 14 "        | 56                 | Fürstenwalde  | Chemnitz           | 22 cars troops        |
|             |                    |               |                    | 34 cars vehicles      |
| 15 "        | 60                 | Fürstenwalde  | Chemnitz           | 29 cars troops        |
|             |                    |               |                    | 31 cars vehicles      |
|             | 24                 | Frankfurt     | Cottbus            | 5 cars troops         |
|             |                    |               |                    | 21 cars vehicles      |
|             | 54                 | Greifswald    | Cottbus            | 16 cars troops        |
|             |                    |               |                    | 38 cars vehicles      |
| 16 "        | 55                 | Fürstenwalde  | Chemnitz           | 31 cars troops        |
|             |                    |               |                    | 24 cars vehicles      |
|             | 38                 | Cottbus       | Frankfurt          | 38 cars troops        |
| 25X1 17 "   | 38                 | Fürstenwalde  | Chemnitz           | 38 cars troops        |
|             |                    |               |                    | 1 [redacted]          |
| 25X1 19 "   | 63                 | Fürstenwalde  | Chemnitz           | 24 cars troops        |
|             |                    |               |                    | 39 cars vehicles      |
|             |                    |               |                    | [redacted]            |
| 25X1 21 "   | 57                 | Fürstenwalde  | Chemnitz           | 25 cars troops        |
|             |                    |               |                    | 32 cars vehicles      |
|             |                    |               |                    | [redacted]            |
|             | 29                 | Cottbus       | Brest              | 29 cars troops        |
| 25X1 23 "   | 54                 | Fürstenwalde  | Chemnitz           | 23 cars troops        |
|             |                    |               |                    | 31 cars vehicles      |
|             |                    |               |                    | [redacted]            |

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4. [redacted] several freight transports containing iron materials for bridge construction and spades have recently been shipped from Russia and the Soviet Zone to [redacted] Ketschendorf.

5. During September 31 trains, with 1,651 cars, carrying prisoners of war, arrived in Frankfurt/Oder from Brest.