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COUNTRY Soviet Zone of Germany REPORT NO. [REDACTED]

TOPIC Soviet Amphibious Vehicles Arriving in Rudolstadt

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EVALUATION [REDACTED] 25X1X PLACE OBTAINED [REDACTED] 25X1A

DATE OF CONTENT Late February to early March 1950

DATE OBTAINED [REDACTED] 25X1A DATE PREPARED 11 May 1950

REFERENCES

PAGES 1 ENCLOSURES (NO. & TYPE) 1 sketch on ditto

REMARKS

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1. Seventeen pontoon-like, self-propelled vehicles arrived at the Rudolstadt (M 51/J 54) freight station aboard several trains in late February and early March 1950. They moved to the Flak Kaserne. The vehicles were from 7 to 9 meters long, from 2.5 to 3 meters wide and about 1.9 meters high (up to the freeboard). Their wheels were visible only up to the axle. They had pneumatic tires, about 70 cm in diameter (see Annex). The

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Field Comment:

The report refers to amphibious vehicles (according to the sketch) which were presumably destined for an engineer unit stationed in the Flak Kaserne. The units stationed in the barracks include the 45th Gds Engr Bn/39th Gds Mtz Rifle Div [REDACTED]

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1 Annex: Soviet Amphibious Vehicles Observed in Rudolstadt.

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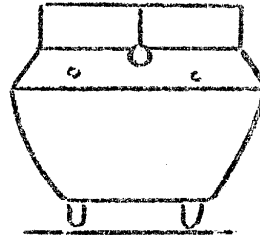
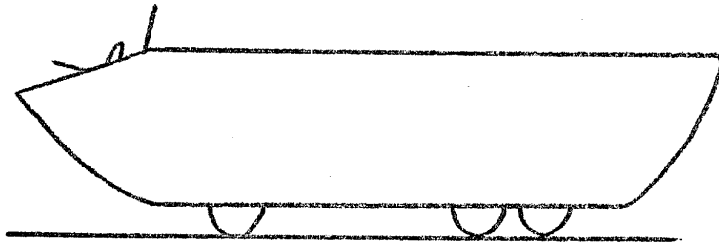
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Annex to ( [REDACTED] )

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Soviet Amphibious Vehicles Observed in Rudolstadt



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