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1. WANG Ch'ing-feng (王清風), 30, who is also known as WANG Ch'un-feng (王春風), a native of Chinchiang, Fukien Province and a graduate of the Manila Hua Ch'iao Middle School, is suspected of engaging in Communist activities of an undetermined nature.
2. In 1945 and 1946, WANG was a reporter for two Chinese Communist Party daily newspapers, the Hua Ch'iao Tao Pao, and the Ch'iao Shang Kung Pao, which were published in Manila.¹ When these two papers ceased publication, WANG was instrumental in arranging the publication of pro-Communist material in the Hsiao Shang Pao (小商報). In social contacts, WANG occasionally expresses guarded pro-Communist views.
3. Through the influence of his wife's father, MAI (麥) (fmu), a wealthy Manila Cantonese timber merchant, WANG has won the favor of SHIH Hsing-shui, Chairman of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce, and of YANG Shih-ping (永世火丙), one of the directors of the Chamber.² Through the assistance of these two persons, WANG was made Secretary of the Chamber and one of the directors of the Chinese Youth Federation (青年聯誼社).³
4. When the Philippine Anti Communist Anti-Soviet Association⁴ was formed with SHIH's support, WANG joined this organization and became its manager and treasurer. It is possible that both SHIH and YANG know of WANG's pro-Communist sympathies.

- 25X1A 1. [REDACTED] Comment. According to [REDACTED] the Chinese Communist organization in the Philippines published two newspapers during the early liberation period. These were the Ch'iao Shang Kung Pao (Overseas Chinese Commercial Daily), and the Hua Ch'iao Tao Pao (Overseas Chinese Monitor).

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- 25X1A 2. [REDACTED] Comment. SHIH Hsing-shui, who is also known as SY En and as SY Eng Suy, succeeded Alfonso Sycip as President of the Philippine Chinese General Chamber of Commerce. He is also Vice-Chairman of the Philippine Chinese United Organization in Support of the Anti-Communist Movement, as well as an official of many Philippine Chinese and Kuomintang

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25X1A organizations. [REDACTED] described him as Chairman of the Sau Chu
Shang I She, a Manila Chinese protective society. Other recent
25X1A reports referring to his activities have included [REDACTED] and 25X1A

YANG Shih-peng, who is also known as YANG Se-peng, has been described
as Secretary General of the Philippine Chinese United Organization in
Support of the Anti-Communist Movement and as Executive Secretary of
the Philippine Chinese General Chamber of Commerce.

25X1A 3. [REDACTED] Comment. This may be a reference to the Manila Branch of
the Chinese Youth League. [REDACTED] reported that SHIH I-sheng, who 25X1A
was relieved during October 1951 as Secretary General of the Philip-
pine Kuomintang organization, closed this organization before he
departed for the US.

25X1A 4. [REDACTED] Comment. [REDACTED] referred to the formation of this 25X1A
organization. In paragraph 16, reference is made to the formation
of an organization known as the Philippine Branch of the Young
People's Anti-Soviet Anti-Communist Salvation Association.

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