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COUNTRY Germany (Soviet Zone) **SECURITY INFORMATION** REPORT NO.

TOPIC Parchim Airfield

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was hazy and visibility was about 400 meters. Four single-engine biplanes and 24 swept-back jet fighters were observed on the landing field. No serviceable hangars were available at the field. Seven houses, occupied by Soviet officers and their dependents, were about 500 meters west of the Parchim railroad station. The houses were surrounded by a board fence 2 meters high. Five quartering buildings, located in a small wooded area in the northern section of the field, were occupied by about 80 Soviet Air Force troops and about 60 Soviet women who wore air force uniforms. Two buildings north of the Parchim-Damm road were occupied by Soviet Air Force officers. Both buildings were surrounded by a 2-meter board fence. Two sheds with large piles of coal near them were observed at the end of the spur track of the field. *


2. A radio installation with four masts was about 1,000 meters northeast of the Parchim-Damm road. **

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*  Comment. Parchim airfield is still occupied by a fighter regiment equipped with MIG-15s. A sketch furnished by source but not forwarded indicates that the houses west of the railroad station belong to the settlement on Damm Weg which, according to a previous report, were evacuated by German civilians in December 1950.  . The statements on the airfield buildings agree with available records.

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**  Comment. The radio station is apparently an Adcock DF station. According to the sketch furnished by source, the DF station is in the eastern extension of the runway about 1,200 meters from its end. The sketch is not forwarded since it does not contain new information.

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