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1. The Kabelwerk Köpenick, Berlin (formerly G. J. Vogel), of the SAG Kabel, is located in Berlin-Köpenick, Friedrichshagener Strasse 11. The diamond boring and polishing department is in Berlin-Adlershof\*, as is, since 16 July 1951, the fine wire drawing (Feinzug) department. The departments identified by Source are:

19 and 20	Lacquer wire
24	Fine wire drawing
24a	Section unnamed
24b	Annealing section
39	Receiving department

2. The Kabelwerk has a personnel of some 2,300. Following are some of the key men:

Ignachev	A Russian who is Director General of the plant. He has made known his intention of going to Moscow in the near future; Source does not know whether he will return to his job at the Kabelwerk.
Chief Engineer	A Russian whose name is unknown; he began work early in July 1951.
Sliszacki	German plant director; a member of the SED.
Suhlig	Successor to Otto, former Commercial Director.
Schmiedeke	(Master artisan) Section 24a of Department 24; is not a member of the SED.
Wenzel	(Master artisan) Section 24b of Department 24; an enthusiastic SED activist.

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3. [ ] the Kabelwerk obtained nine new annealing ovens from an East-German firm. The ovens are operated by gas generated in the firm's gas plant in Berlin-Adlershof.
4. Purchases of diamonds by the firm are not recorded in the Receiving (Wareneingang) Department. The setting of diamonds into cylindrical plates is done by the Maus firm in Berlin-Adlershof.\*\*
5. Resin for impregnating cables is imported illegally from United States firms via Rostock. The resin is shipped in zinc containers on which the sending firm's inscription has been made illegible.
6. Lead is obtained from Czechoslovakia and illegally from Western firms via Rostock.

25X1A \* [ ] Comment: The Berlin telephone directory for 1951 lists a branch plant of the firm at 110 Arrasstrasse, which is in Berlin-Adlershof.

25X1A \*\* [ ] Comment: Cannot be identified from available reference material.

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