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MEMORANDUM FOR: CNE-2

Subject: NOSTRIL/REDSOX - Jordan

1. It was determined, in a discussion on 11 June 1954, with [ ] and Mr. Roosevelt of SR Division, that REDSOX currently has very little operational interest in the Circassians living within Jordan. Their feeling is that these people have been out of touch with their home land for such a lengthy period of time as to render them practically useless for REDSOX operations.
2. Both were of the opinion that the NOSTRILS had been terminated sometime ago and were surprised to learn that ( ) has retained them on the payroll. They remarked that the NOSTRIL project has expired and in all probability will not be extended or renewed. (Neither [ ] nor myself was aware of the project's expiration. [ ] the case officer handling the project, has been in training for the past several months and presently is in California.)
3. In summary, REDSOX has no further interest in either of the NOSTRILS and believes that they should be terminated unless, of course, NEA/PP is interested in utilizing them as explained in NJA/415, para 4. SR/REDSOX requests that we delay answering [ ] until ( ) returns from the area next week. At this time, SR/REDSOX will be able to furnish Vern with definite views on any future operational potential that the Circassians might represent.

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