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On 4/30/64 Supervisor Oberndorf of the Washington Field Office called with the following information received from [WFO 279-Sa.] (S)

Soviet Ambassador Dobrynin contacted Ambassador at Large Llewelyn Thompson of the State Department.

Dobrynin stated that as regards the business of the Oswald case he hoped they would give the documents which they spoke of on Monday or Tuesday. It is known that the President's Commission had previously indicated they would attempt to get additional data on Oswald in the Soviet Union through the State Department.

Dobrynin also stated that he had been asked to inquire again if there was anything new about the Ivanov case because as he understands it they are prepared to let free those students "Linderman or Landerman" he cannot remember the exact name of the individual, in the event Ivanov is also set free. Dobrynin is referring to Igor A. Ivanov, who was arrested in New Jersey on October 29, 1963, for espionage conspiracy.

Thompson stated that he does not have an answer but he guessed that they do not have much chance to prevent the trial but that they do have a good chance, he thinks, whether or not he is convicted, to let him loose afterwards and this is what he is working on.

As regards to the Oswald matter, Thompson commented that this was good news.

ACTION:

None. For your information. We have no previous information concerning "Linderman or Landerman" and have had no prior information that an exchange involving Ivanov is under consideration.

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Director, FBI (105-82555)

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Reurairtel 4-21-64, same caption, relating to two articles appearing in the "Deutsche National-Zeitung und Soldaten-Zeitung" (DNZSZ) on 11-29-63 regarding former General Edwin A. Walker and the assassination of President Kennedy.

(S) You should follow with the Bundesamt fuer Verfassungsschutz (BfV) in its efforts to locate and interview Helmut Hubert Kueuch and Dirk Kunert concerning the basis and preparation of the above two articles.

British Security Service, MI-5, has furnished the following information regarding Kunert, which is classified "Secret." Kunert was born 1941 and formerly resided at 2 Hamburg-Fuhlsb, Brouheweg, 75, West Germany. He was reported to have previously studied law and history at Hamburg University and to have been studying in December, 1963, at the University of Dallas, Dallas, Texas, where he was also a research assistant in the Department of History. MI-5 has advised that Kunert has strong "right-wing" views. (S)

Dallas, which has been previously furnished information regarding Kunert, is being furnished copy of referenced Legat, Bonn, airtel. Dallas should make a discreet inquiry to determine if Kunert still at the University of Dallas, and, if not, his possible whereabouts. Furnish Bureau promptly with results of this inquiry. Dallas should not interview Kunert in this matter without prior Bureau authority.

2 - Dallas (100-10461) (Enclosure)

1 - Foreign Liaison Unit (route thru for review)

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Walker NOTE: Articles in the DNZSZ of 11-29-63 related to General Edwin A. Walker, one article being a report of a transatlantic telephone interview with Walker by a representative of that paper and the second related to statement that Oswald made an attempt on the *General* subject's life early in the Summer of 1963, and following arrest he was released by order of Attorney General Robert Kennedy. The above publication has been identified as an extreme right-wing publication by the *(S)* BfV. The Bureau learned from Marina Oswald on 12-3-63 of Oswald's attempt on Walker's life in April, 1963, which is several days after the article appeared in Germany. The Bureau desires to determine the basis for the allegations in the German newspaper. The *(S)* BfV believes that Muench was probably the author of the 2 articles above and was in the U.S. some time before 11-22-63 conducting interviews and research for the DNZSZ. Legat, Bonn, advises that the *(S)* BfV is obtaining original copies of the DNZSZ issue 11-29-63 wherein the 2 articles appear. Dallas being instructed to check whereabouts of Kunert who was supposed to have returned to West Germany on April 1, but this not yet verified. Kunert reportedly a German student studying at the University of Dallas and a contributor to DNZSZ. Dallas not to interview Kunert if he is still at University of Dallas since possibility he not involved in preparation of articles. If Muench in interview by *(S)* BfV implicates Kunert in the articles and Kunert is still in the U.S., consideration will then be given to interviewing him. Bufiles contain no identifiable derogatory info re Muench.

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ReBulet to Bonn dated 3/30/64.

[Herr WERNER SMOYDZIN, Assistant Chief, Right-Radicalism
 Section of the Bundesamt fuer Verfassungsschutz - (BfV - West
 German Federal Agency for the Protection of the Constitution)]
 advised as follows on April 17 and 20, 1964:

The interview of former General WALKER appearing in
 the "Deutsche National-Zeitung und Soldaten-Zeitung" (DNZSZ)
 on November 29, 1963, probably was conducted by one HELMUT
 HUBERT MUENCH. The interview was conducted under a pseudonym
 known to be used by MUENCH. MUENCH has been known to the (BfV) (G)
 for some time because of his connection with right-radical
 activities. He is known as a contributor at least to the DNZSZ.
 He has a legal residence in Hamburg and is a West German.

[MUENCH was reportedly in the United States some time
 prior to November 22, 1963, conducting interviews and research
 for the paper. He purportedly interviewed Senator GOLDWATER,
 among others.

[MUENCH is also considered the most likely candidate
 as author of the short article "The Strange Case of Oswald."

There is a German student named DICK KUNERT who is
 also a contributor to DNZSZ. He has been studying at the
 University of Dallas. The only address known for him in Dallas
 is Post Office Box 1330. He was supposed to have returned to
 West Germany on April 1, but this has not yet been verified.

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The [BfV]^(S) is attempting to locate both MUENCH and KUNERT and will interview both of them if necessary to determine who conducted the interview with WALKER and who wrote the article "The Strange Case of Oswald." The [BfV]^(S) will also determine the basis for the assertions in the article, if possible.

(| The [BfV]^(S) is procuring original copies of the DNZSZ wherein the interview and article appeared.

It is suggested that Dallas conduct investigation to determine if KUNERT has returned to West Germany and that Dallas interview him if he has not.

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DIRK KUNERT (born 1941)
residing at 2 Hamburg - Fuhlstr.,
Brombeergasse, 75, West Germany,
been studying law & history at
Hamburg Univ. & plan to visit US
in latter part of 1968 to study at
"Dallas" University [on scholarship].
Before going to US, Kunert planned
to spend 3 or 4 weeks in England
improving his English. (S)

Kunert has strong extreme
right-wing views & may possibly
contact Sir Oswald Mosley,
leader in Union Movement
far-right type org in England. (S)

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{Dirk Kernerth} - Racial Matters
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M1-5 Secret advised on 12/16/63
that secret and reliable source now
said Kernerth at Dallas Univ. &
[studying under Dr. Kubek] ^(S) Also works
as a research assistant in
Dept. of History. (S)

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