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FROM : [Redacted]

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SUBJECT: GENERAL: Transmittal of ²² [FOIA-478]

INCLOSURES:

SPECIFIC: Activities of Alleged Illegal Group in Plovdiv Area

1. Attached herewith are two copies of the captioned document which describes the activities of an alleged illegal group in the Plovdiv area.
2. A copy of this report, properly deleted, has been made available to [ZACACTUS].
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22 July, 1951

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Operational

→ [Redacted] of [Redacted] [Redacted] in the Floodly Area.

Ref: [Redacted] 22, [Redacted] 22, [Redacted] 22, and [Redacted] 22

1. When the three (3) individuals, Spas [Redacted], Eduard [Redacted], and [Redacted], decided to cross [Redacted] [Redacted] they had already contacted [Redacted] by [Redacted] [Redacted] in the Floodly area which was to ensure them to the [Redacted] border or hide them in the [Redacted] where they could also join in the underground fight against [Redacted].

2. The three individuals left [Redacted] on 5 May, 1951, heading directly to [Redacted] in the outskirts of [Redacted]. They were met there by [Redacted], in a car of [Redacted].

3. The car was taken to a [Redacted] in the [Redacted] suburb of [Redacted] where they met [Redacted] (husband of [Redacted]) and his wife, Maria, who is [Redacted]. [Redacted] stated that he had people who could take them to [Redacted].

4. [Redacted] made an appointment to lead the group [Redacted] on 7 May, 1951 to a meeting with [Redacted] the group [Redacted] to take them to the border, at a spot just outside of [Redacted] (11:00). This meeting [Redacted] to the place [Redacted] was arranged for the following day (8 May) outside the village of [Redacted] (11:00). The group was taken over to [Redacted] [Redacted] and three (3) other [Redacted] persons who were alleged members of the [Redacted] party [Redacted].

5. [Redacted] stated that such an organization exists and that he was a member of it. He stated that he did

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...by the name of the organization and the sub-diagonal
...would reveal the names of the (C) or (D)
(1) of the group. This information is in contact with the following
names: *[Handwritten names]*

... [Handwritten name] ... in the
falling away in detail. It resided at 17 [Handwritten address]
in [Handwritten city] since he went to work for [Handwritten company].

- [Handwritten name], Source from [Handwritten location]
- [Handwritten name], Source from [Handwritten location]
- [Handwritten name], Source from [Handwritten location]

6. The leader of the small unit was [Handwritten name].
... in contact with him for years and through
... and ... to the ...
... of [Handwritten name] ... by [Handwritten name].

7. The total strength of the organization in [Handwritten location]
is estimated at 200 persons. There have been [Handwritten names]
([Handwritten name]), [Handwritten name] and [Handwritten name]
([Handwritten name]). [Handwritten name] of [Handwritten location]
is a member, but only [Handwritten name] is a member.
All members of the organization are to [Handwritten name] and former
members and the [Handwritten name] is [Handwritten name] and
one of the [Handwritten name] (name of [Handwritten name]).

8. [Handwritten name] stated that there was such an
organization in [Handwritten location] and that the head of it was [Handwritten name]
[Handwritten name]. This [Handwritten name] in the name [Handwritten name] furnished the
[Handwritten name] with an [Handwritten name], [Handwritten name], and the
latest news over the radio [Handwritten name]. [Handwritten name] stated
that a [Handwritten name] in the name of this organization. [Handwritten name]
description is as follows: age [Handwritten name], tall, heavy set, brown hair
and eyes, [Handwritten name].

9. [Handwritten name] stated that the group used [Handwritten name] rifles and
... from the [Handwritten name] and that they were
then taken to a place called [Handwritten name]. They were to
take care and practice [Handwritten name] rifles. [Handwritten name]
and the wife [Handwritten name], [Handwritten name] [Handwritten name] the gun
into hiding as attorney. It is [Handwritten name] the life of the [Handwritten name]

10. According to the report, it was stated that JAMES W. ... and his wife left the ... after the others ...

11. According to the report, it developed that JAMES W. ... told the ... that he could not ...

12. Because of lack of contact, the group had to return to ... the ...

13. JOHN HIGGINS stated that because of the existence of the ... the ...

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and the fact that they had been... recalled that...

20. The... to... that the... was...

21. One of the... that... the... lives.

22. The... stated that his... had to...

23. The... to... and... of his...

24. At... the... and the... to...

In the event the District Attorney did not come that HILTONY was to be given a good release to go on. The FBI did not show up and HILTONY was taken to the airport from where the other two were being detained.

24. The following day HILTONY was taken to the airport in return to the FBI. The official who took him to the airport of the Illinois State Police told him that the client was needed to court at about 10:00 am. HILTONY refused to go for two days were necessary and for the trip to his brother to obtain the passport and money to go to the airport and back. HILTONY was then taken to the port where a declaration was prepared and a good release to go on. The declaration was signed in his name, his life was forfeit. The declaration also contained the statement that HILTONY would lead his life as in a foreign for the State Security in the future.

25. After signing the declaration, HILTONY was taken by train to a point about one (1) mile from the airport and released at 10:00 am. He was told to report back to the security that same night at 17:00 hours and report his progress.

26. HILTONY stayed at his family's home until 15:00 hours, during which time he failed to report to the FBI and indicated to the father of the State that the State Security was being trained to go on illegal work. He then started for Chicago, meeting his brother Ivan on the railroad (15:30). The two brothers talked the case over and decided to wait until the next day to see how they were to meet their friends that the State Security was on their trail. The next day wanted to contact some of the HILTONY, Ivan, Dmitry, HILTONY, and several HILTONY.

27. At 17:00 hours, HILTONY met the chief and one agent near his home. He told them that he had been contacted by the FBI and that his brother had stated that the following program: between 07:00-09:00 hours his brother Ivan was to take illegal food to the Illinois and that the program was to be clearing the banks twice. HILTONY told the State Security men that he should be at his home in the village (Kishovo) only for the purpose of he could go to the Illinois to meet his brother. HILTONY was then asked to return to his job at the factory (Kishovo) and that the following day he was to report at 17:00 hours to be instructed as to the exact location where he was to meet the group of Illinois. The chief then stated that the program of HILTONY was to be as directed at the time they would be on the ground and that this would be a very important job that the group was needed for the next group of creators and that when they met to the main illegal group, they would receive American arms.

17. The first group of three men, including the first man, were seen to enter the building at approximately 11:00 AM on 8 JUNE. They were seen to enter the building from the rear entrance, which is located on the right side of the building. The first man was seen to enter the building first, followed by the second man, and then the third man. They were seen to enter the building in a line, and they were seen to enter the building from the rear entrance.

18. The first man was seen to enter the building first, followed by the second man, and then the third man. They were seen to enter the building in a line, and they were seen to enter the building from the rear entrance.

a. If the first man was at the rear entrance point and turned, he would see the second man, and he would see the third man with his hands behind his back.

b. If the first man was at the rear entrance point, but turned, he would see the second man, and he would see the third man with his hands behind his back.

c. If the first man was at the rear entrance point and turned, he would see the second man, and he would see the third man with his hands behind his back.

19. HENRY was fired by the man at about 11:00 hours on 8 JUNE, and he was seen to enter the building at about 11:00 hours. He was seen to enter the building from the rear entrance, and he was seen to enter the building in a line with the other two men.

20. The first man, the second man, and the third man were seen to enter the building from the rear entrance. They were seen to enter the building in a line, and they were seen to enter the building from the rear entrance.

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36. ... 30-year old ... in ... to ...

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38. ... on ... during the ... 19 ...

39. ... the ... and finally ...

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