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ROUTING	
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O : DIRECTOR
 FROM : STOCKHOLM
 ACTION: C/WH 5
 INFO : DCI, DDP, C/CI, C/CI/SI, VR

*Shaw
 Swartz
 11/20/53*

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17 AUG 54 IN 53538

DIR CITE (STOC) 5159 (JACONNSTY ACTING)

RYBAT GPFLOOR

REF A (STOC) 4931 (*96588*)*

B DIR 25452 **

1. DESPITE (STATION) PRESSURE TIPSTAFFS HAVE HELD BACK ON REF INTERROGATION. AFTER SERIES EXCUSES TIPSTAFF/4 FINALLY ADMITTED 20 AUGUST THAT THEY FEAR PUBLICATION IN PBPRIME OF FULL REPORT INCLUDING ANY RESULTS THEIR INVESTIGATION, THUS REVEALING KUBARK/TIPSTAFF COLLABORATION. WE REPLIED CASE IS PURELY POLICE MATTER IN WHICH EVEN SOVIETS COOPERATED TO SOME DEGREE. T/4 AGREED BUT SAID THAT INVESTIGATION SHOULD THEN BE MATTER OFFICIAL REQUEST FROM EMBASSY TO FOREIGN OFFICE.

2. ODENVY REP, WHO JUST LEAVING (STOC) WHEN ABOVE REVEALED, VOLUNTEERED MAKE APPROACH TO REGULAR POLICE ON CASE DURING HIS NEXT VISIT CA 1 OCTOBER.

3. WE BELIEVE LATTER COURSE STANDS BETTER CHANCE SUCCESS AND IS MORE SECURE THAN FORMER IF TIME DELAY ACCEPTABLE.

4. PLEASE ADVISE.

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*Reports Ridderstrale to be questioned near future.
 **Requested follow up of above on priority basis.

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GROUP 1
 Excluded from automatic
 downgrading and
 declassification