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FROM [ ]	27,15[2,13,8]	19/3/59
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ACTION REQUESTED		

[ ] 27,15[2,13,8] 27,15[2,13,8]

1. Social Marcel Victor Wilhelm KERKHOV was brought to the attention of the [ ] by the subject of reference who visited Madrid 15-19 March 1959 and again during the week of 15 April 1959. MICHAELENS, who at the time of the February visit was installed in the Hotel International, Madrid, reportedly has very good relations with King Vittorio of Italy, President MR. NALIK of Lebanon, the royaluncio of Madrid, Thorsteinsson, ABREU, and EINAR A. AS. He also reportedly knows all of the CIA members and has participated in all the PNM meetings which have taken place in Madrid. (On 10 December 1958 KERKHOV was sentenced to life imprisonment for murder and theft. (His victim was a student by the name of Paul WEISZ.) On 10 December 1958 KERKHOV was sentenced to death and loss of all property by the High Criminal Court in Paris for collaboration with the enemy. KERKHOV is mentioned in the trial of Marshall REINHOLD (7 August 1954) as a close confidant and advisor of REINHOLD. (On 5 December 1955 KERKHOV married Alice Wilhelmina ERNST (30 November 1913, Hanover, Germany) in Madrid. She is reportedly a doctor. They have since separated and she is now living in Berlin/Hermannstrasse 53-55. On 14 December 1955 she was issued a German passport (number 735-55) by the German embassy, Madrid. KERKHOV is described as being intelligent and cultivated, but also very effeminate. The subject of [ ] believes that KERKHOV is engaged in various illegal undertakings, but did not specify which these might be.

2. The Subject of [ ] reported to [ ] that during his April visit to KERKHOV the latter told him that he had recently been visited by NSA officials from West Berlin who had asked him to work for them and to establish his residence in West Berlin. KERKHOV did not reveal to subject of [ ] what the nature of the work was to be, but he did state that he was going to take up residence at Berlin/Hermannstrasse 53 (the address of his estranged wife). He added that the NSA officials promised to supply him with NSA documentation. KERKHOV has tried unsuccessfully in the past to get such written documentation. (Note: Although he was born in Luxembourg, KERKHOV is now a stateless person.)

3. Headquarters and [ ] Madrid are requested to supply the station with any information which might be available on KERKHOV. [ ] station files, only.

4. [ ] Traces are requested on Alice Wilhelmina KERKHOV and the address at which she is reportedly living. (Base files, only)

5. [ ] All traces only on KERKHOV, [ ] and wife, please.

27,15-13

In 2d, 1959

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