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yours truly,

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RE: Hermann Derek BRYAN

A reliable source reported that Derek BRYAN visited PU, Chao Min and LO, Yi Ching, New China News Agency (NCNA) officials, in Ottawa on 13 MAY 71. Source advised that BRYAN indicated he left Regina, Saskatchewan for the U.S.A. on 20 APR 71, and returned to Canada recently. He did not state where in the U.S.A. he had been. BRYAN also mentioned he had been to the U.S.A. for 16 days, six weeks previously, when he visited friends and attended a conference. Again, he did not indicate where in the U.S.A. he had been. BRYAN stated the highlight of the conference was the showing of two movies, one of which concerned Laos, now being shown in New York and Toronto.

- 2. BRYAN further stated that the U.S. China Friend-ship Association in San Francisco should be established by June. According to BRYAN, the idea of establishing U.S. China Friend-ship Associations is well supported by Overseas Chinese and students and even by the "Revolutionary Union".
- Stated that the Union is not limited to the Bay Area (Son Francisco). Regarding the organizers of the Union, he revealed LABEW is presently residing in New York and Susan WARREN is also in the Union; however, he refused to disclose the name of another residing in San Francisco. BRYAN praised the publications of the Union and commented they have a high ideal.
- Source also stated that during the conversation BRYAN indicated he met with PHIP while in Seattle. It seems PHIP is of the opinion that the Association should not be located in the West, but rather it should be established in the East, the center of U.S. activities; however, as the U.S. is so big and as the West had earlier contact with China, BRYAN does not think it is disadvantageous to have the Association located in the West.
- 5. Source was unable to further identify LABEW or PHIP. PHIP may be identical to Rita PHIPPS or Ron PHIPPS of Seattle, Washington, U.S.A.
- Susan WARREN is possibly identical to Susan Heiligman FRANK of New York subject of previous correspondence, your file 103-2499 by Airtel on 13 NOV 70.
- 7. Derek BRYAN was appointed advisiting Associate Professor of Political Science at the University of Saskatchewan, Regina Campus, Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada, from 1 JAN 71 to 30 JUN 71. A reliable source reported that BRYAN was to return to England on 14 MAY 71.

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- 8. A number of reliable sources have supplied the following background information on BRYAN. He has been prominent in pro-Chinese organizations in Great Britain since 1952. From 1952 to 1965 he was a member of the Britain-China Friendship Association, holding the position of Vice-Chairman. He is a past Secretary of the Society for Anglo-Chinese Understanding (SACU) in England, resigning in 1967. He is presently Chairman of SACU having been so since 1969. He is editor of "China Now", a monthly publication by SACU, and is connected with the publication of "Broadsheet", the organ of the China Policy Study Group, England. He is a member of the Chinese Language Teachers Association, c/o The University of Hawaii, since 1966. BRYAN speaks very good Mandarin and worked in China between 1933 and 1951.
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