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WIECK, Carl

1. On 3 March 1966, Jim Flint of SR Division contacted the undersigned in reference to an Unknown Identity mentioned in

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2. The cable contained an account of the experiences of Carl WIECK, an American student in Paris and his contact with two RIS officers, YEVTUSHENKO and LVOV.

3. WIECK has been a contact since the winter of 1964 with these Soviets and had not reported to anyone in the American Embassy. The contacts have consisted of restaurant meetings, coffees, circus, etc. These meetings have included discussions primarily of political matters, especially recently a discussion of the United States involvement in Viet Nam (of which WIECK does not approve, has said so to the Soviets).

4. However, when YEVTUSHENKO asked Subject to translate a travel brochure from English to French, WIECK began to wonder what he was becoming involved in. At this point, WIECK wrote two friends in the United States asking advice. One of these was "a former employee who allegedly did handwriting analysis when employed by CIA." They advised ~~he~~ him to contact the United States Embassy.

5. WIECK refused to do translation for YEVTUSHENKO and was able to tell YEVTUSHENKO that he, WIECK, did not like the idea of becoming enmeshed in Soviet espionage.

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6. Sr posed the question whether the Office of Security could identify the former Kubark employee. Upon consultation with Jan Beck of TSD (after contacting the Security Officer of TSD), the individual who most closely fit the description was Henry Edward KIMSEY (even though the handwriting angle was not KIMSEY's main forte).

7. SR Flint was notified that it probably was KIMSEY.

8. Flint was also advised that the FBI should be notified of the information re WIECK and WIECK's contacts with the Soviet. Flint said that this would be done as soon as they had gathered together all the information. WIECK's next meeting with the Soviet is scheduled for 17 March 1966.

9. WIECK has said that he does not wish to get involved as "a junior spy" and does not desire to report after every meeting. WIECK also said that he expects to be drafted into the United States Army quite soon and in view of his feelings about Viet Nam, does not know if he will agree to serve in Viet Nam.

10. Another angle to the case is the projected cooperation with the host services and since it is an operational matter will have to be solved within the DDP. The French probably are already aware of the contact between YEVTUSHENKO and WIECK because it is known that they have YEVTUSHENKO under surveillance.

11. There is no record of WIECK in the Office of Security indices.

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