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SUBJECT: VALER Production - REDCAP/Early Assigned Soviets to Finland

ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES

See specifics applied to passage of info on each Soviet as outlined below.  
References: As cited on the sheets

1. Forwarded herewith are six REDCAP Notebook Sheets on Soviets who have been recently assigned to Helsinki.

ARKHIPOV, Petr	arrived 8 September 1960
KEOSTALOV, Iorgandy S.	19 August 1960
KIRILOV, V. V.	prior to 15 September 1960
KLEEV, Anatoly H.	26 August 1960
NIKIFOROV, Vasily	8 September 1960
SALIKHA, Yefrosiniya	7 September 1960

Liaison may be advised that there are no previous traces on KLEEV, NIKIFOROV and SALIKHA. Incidentally, NIKIFOROV's date of birth makes him suspect as a "trainee." Normally the trainees range in age from 22 to 23. A 37 year-old one is indeed a rarity. Anything you observe concerning him will be of particular interest to Headquarters.

2. If the date of birth listed in the possibly identifiable trace on ARKHIPOV's sheet fits the man in Helsinki, this trace may be passed. In the absence of a full name and date of birth on KIRILOV, it is questionable as to whether the traces listed are applicable. If the date of birth in Item No. 1 applies, liaison may be told that KIRILOV was in Sweden early in 1945, but the particulars should not be divulged. Item No. 2 carries a NOFORN control and may not be passed. The photograph attached to KEOSTALOV's sheet may not be shown to liaison, but perhaps you'll have an occasion to make a comparison with a Helsinki photograph. If the biographic data fits, you may screen the traces and pass what you deem appropriate, bearing in mind that specific dates of travel may not be divulged.

*PTS*  
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Attachments: 6 REDCAP Sheets

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