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1. LIANG SUZU CHENG 2733 1835 2052, 201-736701 30TH 1901, T.O.Y.

LANGUAG: ENGLISH. MEMBER CCP.

BACKGROUND:

- 1923 BA TSINGHUA UNIV
- 28 BA, MA UNIV PEKING
- 28 MA HARVARD
- 28-31 PROF AT NATIONAL NORTHEASTERN UNIV, CHINA
- 31-41 RESEARCHER FELLOW, UNIVERSITY/CHINESE ACADEMY USE
- 32-33 PROF NATIONAL PEKING UNIV; PROF NATIONAL TSINGHUA UNIV, PEKING
- 41-43 RESEARCHER FELLOW, ACADEMIA SINICA
- 46 PROF NATIONAL TSINGHUA UNIV, PEKING
- 47 HONORARY PHD YALE; VISITING PROF YALE
- 50-61 MEMBER OF TSINGHUA UNIV
- 53-61 HEAD OF DEPT OF CIVIL ENGINEERING AND ARCHITECTURE, TSINGHUA; VICE PRESIDENT ARCHITECTURE SOCIETY

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56 ASSOC, INSTITUTE CIVIL AND ARCHITECTURAL
ENGINEERING, ACADEMY OF SCIENCES CPE, HAVANA
DEC 58 MEMBER STANDING COMMITTEE, THIRD NATIONAL CONGRESS,
CHINA DEMOCRATIC LEAGUE
SEP 58 MEMBER NATIONAL COMMITTEE CHINA SCIENTIFIC AND
TECHNICAL ASSOC
A/R 59 DEPUTY SECOND NATIONAL PEOPLE'S CONGRESS FROM
PEKING; MEMBER STANDING COMMITTEE, THIRD NATIONAL
CONGRESS CPCC
OCT 62 VICE CHAIRMAN CHINA ARCHITECTURAL SOCIETY
SEP 63 DEPUTY LEADER OF CPE DELEGATION TO SEVENTH INTER-
NATIONAL CONGRESS OF ARCHITECTS, HAVANA

2. RE SELF CRITICISM FOLLOWING EXTRACTS FROM LIANG'S SPEECH TO THE
NPC, JULY 13 1957 ENTITLED "WHY I LOVE OUR PARTY". DEPUTY LIANG, AFTER DESCRIBING
"THE BRILLIANT INDUSTRIAL, AGRICULTURAL, SCIENTIFIC, AND CULTURAL ACHIEVEMENTS
OF OUR NATION," TOLD OF HIS PAST ANXIETY AND PERPLEXITY IN HIS OWN WORK. HE
SAID THAT AT THE TIME HE HAD USED OUT-DATED ARCHITECTURAL THEORIES TO TEACH THE
YOUNG INSTRUCTORS AND STUDENTS OF THE TSINGHUA UNIVERSITY BECAUSE HE WAS BOTHERED

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BY THE STATEMENT THAT EVERYTHING OF THE PARTY WAS GOOD. HE SAID THAT AFTER HE HAD WRITTEN ARTICLES, MADE REPORTS, AND DELIVERED LECTURES ON HIS ANTIQUATED ARCHITECTURAL THEORIES, HE SUDDENLY DISCOVERED THAT HE WAS A NATIONAL TARGET FOR REPUTATION. HE SAID "I WAS DOWNHEARTED. I HAVE NO QUARREL WITH THE PARTY. I WAS SURE I WAS BEING SUBJECTED TO CRITICISM BECAUSE MY ARCHITECTURAL THEORIES DID NOT FIT INTO THE NATIONAL CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM. MY PAIN WAS AS DEEP AS THAT OF A CHILD BEING PUNISHED BY HIS MOTHER. WHY? BECAUSE I TRUSTED OUR PARTY AS MUCH AS I HAD TRUSTED MY FATHER. THE PARTY, HOWEVER, WAS VERY PATIENT WITH ME. AFTER I CAL TRAIGHTERED OUT MY THOUGHTS, I ADMITTED MY MISTAKES." HE SAID: "I WAS A TROJICAL SON. AFTER THIS EDUCATION, I WILL NEVER LEAVE OUR PARTY --- NOT EVEN A STEP AWAY FROM IT."

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3. STPLATE 1 (IDEN) WHO STATED LIANG AT UNIV YALE OF OPINION THAT LIANG WOULD NOT ACCEPT REARMAMENT IN PLACE BUT THERE IS CHANCE HE WOULD DEFECT IF OFFERED CASHES LIVE CHINA. HQS CONSIDERS LIANG C.M. CANDIDATE FOR IDENTIFYING AS DEFECTOR. SENSITIVE FOR AGE AND BACKGROUND THAT WOULD MAKE GOOD IN PLACE AGENT.

4. SENDING STPLATE 1 TO MEXI UNDER STAFFS DIRECTION AS A POSSIBLE BRIDGE TO LIANG. STPLATE 1 LONG TIME MURKIN CONTACT BUT IS ~~NOT~~ TRAINED CASE OFFICER. HAS BEEN USED PRINCIPALLY IN RECH WORK IN PAST. ^{MAY BE} ~~SAVED~~ ^{WILL} FURTHER BACKGROUND.

5. STPLATE 1 WILL USE TOURIST COVER AND WILL REMAIN ONLY TWO DAYS DUE HEAVY PERSONAL COMMITMENTS. HIS FUNCTION WILL BE TO USE PAST FRIENDSHIP TO ATTEMPT ESTABLISH CONTACT LIANG AND DETERMINE WHETHER LIANG INTERESTED DEFLECTION. IF SO STATION SHOULD BE PREPARED SAVESOME UNTIL FURTHER STEPS CAN BE TAKEN.

6. STPLATE 1 ARRIVING MEXI 12 OCTOBER 2145 HOURS VIA EASTER AIR LINES FLITE 305. HAVE BRIEFED HIM WILL BE MET BY SANSERD. STPLATE 1

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WILL WEAR RED WHITE BLUE TIE. IF CONTACT MISSED STPLATE 1 TO PROCEED
CITY AND CONTACT MARINE GUARD AT EMBASSY ASKING FOR SANSEED. AUTHORIZE
STATION ADVANCE OPERATIONAL FUNDS AND PER DIEM AS NECESSARY TO STPLATE 1
SINCE NO OPPORTUNITY DO SO HERE. CHARGE LCHARVST OOA.

END OF MESSAGE

FI Staff Lloyd George (by phone)

DC/PED/OS Steve Kuhn (by phone)

CI Staff Mr. Mertz (by phone)

DCVE(C) ☒

C/WE/3 J. Whitten (by phone)

William C. ...

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DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF

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