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COMPROMISE AND CONTROL INDICATORS

1. Fixed Text: AERODYNAMIC/CARTHAGE 10

a. It will start and end the first message. Example: " Myxa We are fine Myxa ". Any deviation from this, e.g., putting fixed text at only one end of the first message or complete omission indicates control.

b. It will be used once in the body of the second message and continue to remain there in subsequent messages until agent is notified by challenge text to shift it to either end of next immediate message upon receipt of challenge. Example: "Will reach Myxa HQ in June." Any deviation or omission indicates control.

c. Case officer challenge text to field requesting agent to shift his fixed text to either end of next message is the word ( Десять ). As mentioned in "b" above, the agent's fixed text will remain in the same position until challenged to shift is received by agent, the shifting to be either from the body of message to either end and vice versa. If in answer to challenge field does not shift position of fixed text or omits it entirely, control is indicated.

d. In the event the fixed text has been given away and the agent is required to include it in his first message as directed, leading the case officer to believe that all is well, the inclusion of the fixed text at both ends of the second, third, etc. messages will indicate control, that is, if agent tells the controller he is to include the fixed text at both ends of each message to indicate no control. In the event controller suspects a variation in the use of the fixed text and therefore instructs the agent to omit the fixed text entirely, control will be indicated by the omission of the fixed text.

e. If convenient and the occasion arises, the agent may give away this fixed text and rely on the use of the cryptographic control indicator to show control.

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2. AERODYNAMIC/CARTHAGE 10 (key challenge)

a. Any mention of the (phrase or word) Повстанці  
\_\_\_\_\_ which can appear any-  
where in a message from the Base station to the Field, will be con-  
sidered a challenge to the agent. If the agent is free from control,  
he will answer with Anything not pertaining to Повстанці  
challenge, or people. If he is controlled, he will  
answer Something pertaining to challenge.

b. If the Base station should want to ask a question about the  
challenge (word or phrase) without challenging, they will use the (word  
or phrase) Партизан  
\_\_\_\_\_ instead of Повстанці

OR

c. The (word or phrase) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ will never be used in any  
message from the Base station to the Field unless it is interded as a  
challenge.

EXAMPLE

Question from Base in which challenge is included: How  
many Повстанці in the area?

Agent's answer if controlled: None in the area; or so many, etc.

Agent's answer if clear: The ground is soft.

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3. Challenge (Alternate challenge)

a. Any mention of the (phrase or word) Xpihko which can appear anywhere in a message from the Base station to the Field, will be considered a challenge to the agent. If the agent is free from control, he will answer with anything not pertaining to Xpihko, the challenge or people. If he is controlled, he will answer something pertaining to

b. If the Base station should want to ask a question about the challenge (word or phrase) without challenging, they will use the (word or phrase) not applicable instead of

OR

c. The (word or phrase) Xpihko will never be used in any message from the Base station to the Field unless it is interded as a challenge.

EXAMPLE

Question from Base in which challenge is included: When  
is Xpihko going north?

Agent's answer if controlled: Have not contacted him yet.

Agent's answer if clear: The cattle are fat here.

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## CASE OFFICER CHALLENGE SIGNALS

### 4. AERODYNAMIC/CARTAGE 10 (Give away challenge)

a. Any mention of the (phrase or word) Pimko

\_\_\_\_\_ which can appear anywhere in a message from the Base station to the Field, will be considered a challenge to the agent. If the agent is free from control, he will answer with anything not pertaining to Pimko the challenge or people.

\_\_\_\_\_ If he is controlled, he will answer something pertaining to

b. If the Base station should want to ask a question about the challenge (word or phrase) without challenging, they will use the (word or phrase) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ instead of Not applicable

OR

c. The (word ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~) Pimko

\_\_\_\_\_ will never be used in any message from the Base station to the Field unless it is intended as a challenge.

### EXAMPLE

Question from Base in which challenge is included: Has  
Pimko been to the city (Lvov) yet?

Agent's answer if controlled: Yes, or no.

Agent's answer if clear: Every thing is expensive here.

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NAME CARTHAGE 10

20 March 1952

1. Radio Procedural Control Signal

On the first contact made, Field will indicate that he is safe in the following manner:

- A. Field will send QTR IMT.  
(Request for correct time, GMT)
- B. Base will acknowledge by sending correct time.

2. Radio Procedural Danger Signal

While Field is in contact with Base, he will indicate that danger is approaching and must immediately close down station, thus alerting Base to suspect subsequent contacts:

- A. Field sends QSP, three times if conditions permit, and closes station.

3. Cryptographic Control

During encipherment of messages, Field will use triple message indicator instead of double, to indicate he is safe. Appearance of double message indicator in at least 2 consecutive messages indicates control.

4. Cryptographic Control

Constant digit assigned will be #8.

- A. Use as confirmation digit to indicate no control.
- B. Field's use of any number, except his assigned confirmation digit #8 indicates control.
- C. Base will use any digit but #8 as his confirmation digit, unless he wishes to challenge Field.
- D. Base challenges Field by using confirmation digit #8 in his outgoing message.
- E. On next contact, Field will reply with any number but his confirmation digit #8 to indicate no control. Appearance of this #8 in the Field's reply will indicate possible control.
- F. Once Base has challenged Field, he will resume use of random confirmation digit.

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4. (Cont.)

G. Once Field, who is not under control, has been challenged by Base, and has replied, he will resume use of confirmation digit #8 in subsequent messages.

5. Give Away - Cryptographic

Radio Operator will indicate his danger signal is the use of confirmation digit #8, as explained in Para 4.

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COMPROMISE AND CONTROL INDICATORS

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1. Fixed Text: AERODYNAMIC/CARTHAGE 12

a. It will start and end the first message. Example: "Ka6a we are fine Ka6a". Any deviation from this, eg. putting fixed text at only one end of the first message or complete omission indicates control.

b. It will be used once in the body of the second message and continue to remain there in subsequent messages until agent is notified by challenge text to shift it to either end of next immediate message upon receipt of challenge. Example: "Made contact Ka6a with home." Any deviation or omission indicates control.

c. Case officer challenge text to field requesting agent to shift his fixed text to either end of next message is the word (ПЕРЕДВИЖАТЬ). As mentioned in "b" above, the agent's fixed text will remain in the same position until challenged to shift is received by agent, the shifting to be either from the body of message to either end and vice versa. If in answer to challenge field does not shift position of fixed text or omits it entirely, control is indicated.

d. In the event the fixed text has been given away and the agent is required to include it in his first message as directed, leading the case officer to believe that all is well, the inclusion of the fixed text at both ends of the second, third, etc. messages will indicate control, that is, if the agent tells the controller he is to include the fixed text at both ends of each message to indicate no control. In the event controller suspects a variation in the use of the fixed text and therefore instructs the agent to omit the fixed text entirely, control will be indicated by the omission of the fixed text.

e. If convenient and the occasion arises, the agent may give away this fixed text and rely on the cryptographic control indicator to show control.

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CASE OFFICER CHALLENGE SIGNALS

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2. AERODYNAMIC/CARTHAGE 12 (Key challenge)

a. Any mention of the (phrase or word) Провідник

\_\_\_\_\_ which can appear anywhere in a message from the Base station to the Field, will be considered a challenge to the agent. If the agent is free from control, he will answer with anything not pertinent to questions people, etc.

\_\_\_\_\_. If he is controlled, he will answer \_\_\_\_\_

Something pertaining to the fictitious Провідник

b. If the Base station should want to ask a question about the challenge (word or phrase) without challenging, they will use the (word or phrase) Керівник

\_\_\_\_\_ instead of Провідник

OR

c. The (word or phrase) Not applicable

\_\_\_\_\_ will never be used in any message from the Base station to the Field unless it is intended as a challenge.

EXAMPLE

Question from Base in which challenge is included: Have you made contact with the Провідник?

Agent's answer if controlled: Unable to locate him to date.

Agent's answer if clear: The sky is blue.

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3. AERODYNAMIC/CARTIDGE 12 (Alternate)

a. Any mention of the (phrase or word) Зенно which can appear anywhere in a message from the Base station to the Field, will be considered a challenge to the agent. If the agent is free from control, he will answer with anything not pertaining to Зенно, the challenge, or people. If he is controlled, he will answer anything about Зенно.

b. If the Base station should want to ask a question about the challenge (word or phrase) without challenging, they will use the (word or phrase) not applicable

instead of

OR

c. The (word or phrase) Зенно will never be used in any message from the Base station to the Field unless it is intended as a challenge.

EXAMPLE

Question from Base in which challenge is included: Has Зенно appeared at HQ?

Agent's answer if controlled: Yes; or no.

Agent's answer if clear: The fields are ready for plowing.

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AERODYNAMIC/CARTHAGE 12 (give away challenge)

a. Any mention of the (phrase or word) MEMKO

which can appear anywhere in a message from the Base station to the Field, will be considered a challenge to the agent. If the agent is free from control, he will answer with anything not pertaining to MEMKO the challenge or people. If he is controlled, he will answer anything about MEMKO.

b. If the Base station should want to ask a question about the challenge (word or phrase) without challenging, they will use the (word or phrase) \_\_\_\_\_

instead of not applicable

OR

c. The (word or phrase) MEMKO

will never be used in any message from the Base station to the Field unless it is intended as a challenge.

EXAMPLE

Question from Base in which challenge is included: When is MEMKO going east?

Agent's answer if controlled: He has already gone.

Agent's answer if clear: The wheat crop is big this year.

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NAME CARTHAGE 12

20 March 1952

1. Radio Procedural Control Signal

On first contact made with Base Station, the Field will indicate that he is safe in the following manner:

A. Field will use QSA instead of QRK, to give Base Signal report. On following contacts QRK will be used.

2. Radio Procedural Control Signal

Field will never use the following numbers, 21 through 30, as external radio message numbers. Their appearance indicates control.

3. Radio Procedural Danger Signal

While Field is in contact with Base, he will indicate that danger is approaching and must immediately close down station, thus alerting Base to suspect subsequent contacts:

A. Field sends QTC, three times if conditions permit, and closes station.

4. Cryptographic Control Signal

A. Confirmation digit will consist of a consecutive series of digits. Its use by Field will indicate no control.

B. Field's use of a constant digit will indicate control. Also use of confirmation digit as explained in document, indicates control.

5. Cryptographic Give Away

A. If under control, Field will give information that he is to use a constant digit to indicate no control. Its appearance therefore, will indicate control.

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1. Fixed Text: AERODYNAMIC/CARTHAGE 13

a. It will start and end the first message. Example: "Kopoba we are fine Kopoba ." Any deviation from this, eg. putting fixed text at only one end of the first message or complete omission indicates control.

b. It will be used once in the body of the second message and continue to remain there in subsequent messages until agent is notified by challenge text to shift it to either end of next message upon receipt of challenge. Example: "Cannot come Kopoba west now." Any deviation or omission indicates control.

c. Case officer challenge text to field requesting agent to shift his fixed text to either end of next message is the word ( ~~ИЗМЕНЯТЬ~~ ). As mentioned in "b" above, the agent's fixed text will remain in the same position until challenged to shift is received by agent, the shifting to be either from the body of message to either end and vice versa. If in answer to challenge field does not shift position of fixed text or omits it entirely, control is indicated.

d. In the event the fixed text has been given away and the agent is required to include it in his first message as directed, leading the case officer to believe that all is well, the inclusion of the fixed text at both ends of the second, third, etc. messages will indicate control, that is, if agents tells the controller he is to include the fixed text at both ends of each message to indicate no control. In the event controller suspects a variation in the use of the fixed text and therefore instructs the agent to omit the fixed text entirely, control will be indicated by the omission of the fixed text.

e. If convenient and the occasion arises, the agent may give away this fixed text and rely on the use of the cryptographic control indicator to show control.

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2. AERODYNAMIC/CARTHAGE 13 (Give away challenge)

a. Any mention of the (phrase or word) Стефанко  
\_\_\_\_\_ which can appear any-  
where in a message from the Base station to the Field, will be con-  
sidered a challenge to the agent. If the agent is free from control,  
he will answer with anything not pertaining to Стефанко  
people or challenge \_\_\_\_\_. If he is controlled, he will  
answer something pertaining to Стефанко  
\_\_\_\_\_.

b. If the Base station should want to ask a question about the  
challenge (word or phrase) without challenging, they will use the (word  
or phrase) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ instead of not applicable

OR

c. The (word or phrase) Стефанко  
\_\_\_\_\_ will never be used in any  
message from the Base station to the Field unless it is intended as a  
challenge.

EXAMPLE

Question from Base in which challenge is included: \_\_\_\_\_  
Стефанко still on a kolhoz?

Agent's answer if controlled: Have not contacted him yet.

Agent's answer if clear: The weather is good here.

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CASE OFFICER CHALLENGE SIGNALS

3. AERODYNAMIC/CHALLENGE 13 (Alternate Challenge)

a. Any mention of the (phrase or word) Владко

\_\_\_\_\_ which can appear anywhere in a message from the Base station to the Field, will be considered a challenge to the agent. If the agent is free from control, he will answer with anything not pertaining to Владко

\_\_\_\_\_. If he is controlled, he will answer something pertaining to Владко

b. If the Base station should want to ask a question about the challenge (word or phrase) without challenging, they will use the (word or phrase) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ instead of not applicable

OR

c. The (word or phrase) Владко

\_\_\_\_\_ will never be used in any message from the Base station to the Field unless it is intended as a challenge.

EXAMPLE

Question from Base in which challenge is included: in  
what area is Владко operating?

Agent's answer if controlled: I know; or I don't know; or not in my area, etc.

Agent's answer if clear: The grass is green

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4. AERODYNAMIC/CARTHAGE 13 (Key challenge)

a. Any mention of the (phrase or word) Керібімнік  
\_\_\_\_\_ which can appear any-  
where in a message from the Base station to the Field, will be con-  
sidered a challenge to the agent. If the agent is free from control,  
he will answer with Anything not pertaining to Керібімнік people  
challenge. \_\_\_\_\_ If he is controlled, he will  
answer Something pertaining to challenge

b. If the Base station should want to ask a question about the  
challenge (word or phrase) without challenging, they will use the (word  
or phrase) Пробібімнік  
\_\_\_\_\_ instead of Керібімнік

OR  
c. The (word or phrase) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ will never be used in any  
message from the Base station to the Field unless it is intended as a  
challenge.

EXAMPLE

Question from Base in which challenge is included: Have you made  
contact with the Керібімнік

Agent's answer if controlled: Unable to locate him

Agent's answer if clear: The rivers are wine here

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NAME CARTHAGE 13

20 March 1952

1. Radio Procedural Control Signal

On the first contact made, Field will indicate that he is safe in the following manner:

A. The external message number should be the date in which the contact is being made.

2. Radio Procedural Danger Signal

While Field is in contact with Base, he will indicate that danger is approaching and must immediately close down station, thus alerting Base to suspect subsequent contacts:

A. Field sends QSL, three times if conditions permit, and closes station.

3. Cryptographic Control

During encipherment of messages, Field will always use the word SECRET buried in his message and separated by periods, unless under control. If it is not used it will indicate control. Base enciphers messages normally.

4. Cryptographic Control

Constant digit assigned will be #9.

A. Use as confirmation digit to indicate no control.

B. Field's use of any number, except his assigned confirmation digit #9 indicates control.

C. Base will use any digit but #9 as his confirmation digit, unless he wishes to challenge Field.

D. Base challenges Field by using confirmation digit #9 in his outgoing message.

E. On next contact, Field will reply with any number but his confirmation digit #9 to indicate no control. Appearance of this #9 in the Field's reply will indicate possible control.

F. Once Base has challenged Field, he will resume use of random confirmation digit.

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4. (Cont.)

G. Once Field, who is not under control, has been challenged by Base, and has replied, he will resume use of confirmation digit #9 in subsequent messages.

5. Give Away - Cryptographic

Radio Operator will indicate his danger signal is the use of confirmation digit #9, as explained in Para 4.

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