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MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD

SUBJECT: Meeting with AECASSOWARY/2 on 10 October 1962 in Washington

The meeting with A/2 in a Washington safe office was attended by [] and []. The following was discussed:

1. Professor Halajczuk informed A/2 that the American Jesuits have expressed an interest in the Prologo magazine. Their spokesman had offered him financial support of the magazine. A/2 wrote Professor HALAJCZUK to accept a nominal sum of money if offered, but to hold off on any agreements until further word from A/2. A/2 said he would agree to Jesuit support of the magazine providing they agree to maintain Professor HALAJCZUK as chief editor.

The Press Attache at the American Embassy in Buenos Aires with whom Professor HALAJCZUK has been in contact was transferred to Peru and was replaced in Buenos Aires by the son of General Wrangel.

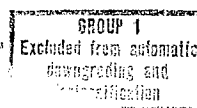
2. A/2 told [] he would have no objection to the [] getting in touch with Professor HALAJCZUK to tell him about our interest in Cubans who travel between Cuba and South American countries. [] said contact between the professor and [] ought to be established to permit, at the very least, the transmittal of messages between him and A/2 which should not be sent through the international mails. Professor HALAJCZUK is aware of U. S. Government support of A/2's group but he is not aware of Agency involvement.

3. Ivan Majstrenko informed A/2 that he had received another letter from his brother in the Soviet Union informing him that he would be in Vienna and asking the former to call on him in his hotel room. According to A/2, Majstrenko did not respond to the first letter from his brother received about a year ago and probably will not respond to this request.

4. A/2 learned through Vsevolod HOLUBNYCHY that DS/960 has obtained a two year Ford scholarship to study at Columbia. He has not been in touch with A/2 lately and has changed his residence without informing A/2 of his new address. A/2 said DS/960 was actually asked to move from his room because of disagreements with the manager and janitor in the building.

DS/960 recently spoke before a Ukrainian students group at Columbia University. He told the students he had defected because of Russification in the Ukraine. During his talk, DS/960 expressed certain ideas for which the students attacked him from the floor. He later told Roman MAC he realized he had said some foolish things and

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that he was sorry. MAC told A/2 that the students now referred to DS/960 as the angry young man.

5. In talking about his desire to see contact established between a group of modern young Soviet Ukrainian writers who call themselves the "Shisdesiatnyky" (or writers of the 60's) and a similar group in the Ukrainian emigration, A/2 mentioned the following authors as members of the emigre group. He mentioned only the scanty information shown about them.

- a. Emma Andievska - wife of Ivan Koshelivets. ANDIEVSKA is the "leader" of the group. She is an abstractionist. Her parents were Russian but she went to school in Kiev and considers herself a Ukrainian. Her father, fnu KANDIYEV, is with Radio Svoboda.
- b. Bohdan BOYCHUK - an electrical engineer by profession.
- c. Yuriy and Patricia TARNAVSKY - They both write in Ukrainian and English. Patricia, who is an American of non-Ukrainian birth, has learned the Ukrainian language well enough to write in the language.
- d. Bohdan RUBCHAK - Single. Lives in Chicago where he is working for his Ph.D. at the University of Chicago. He comes from the Stanislav Oblast.
- e. Fnu Vasil'kivska - Teaches French and Italian at a Long Island university. She comes from Volynia. A lyricist.
- f. Fnu Vovk - Teaches in an Argentine University. She comes from Stanislav. Has written two books in Portuguese, one a collection of Ukrainian poems which she translated into Portuguese.
- g. Vasyl BARKA - Eldest member of the group.

A/2 said these people are mostly apolitical and could freely travel in the USSR, with the exception of Emma ANDIEVSKA who would be afraid to go.

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