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To VIKTOR. [i]

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In the matter of arranging liaison with MOL'S [ii] group and its work with us, we have been taking steps to establish contact through "LEVIN'S" [iii] line. It turns out that regular work

[14 groups unrecovered]

or periodic

[29 groups unrecoverable]

....L'EN" [iv]

[28 groups unrecovered]

residents "VOLT[VOL'T]" [v] and "STORM[ShTORM]" [vi] and probationers "NYATIN" [vii] and "[C% "TUL'PAN]" [viii]. To MIKHAILOV [ix] [2 groups unrecovered] resident "VORONOV" [x] and probationer "SEROV" [xi]

[14 groups unrecovered]

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MAKSIM [xii]

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Note: [a] Not available.

- Comments: [i] VIKTOR : Lt. Gen. P. M. FITIN.
- [ii] MOL' : Capt. (3rd Rank) Mikhail Nikolaevich MOL' of Soviet Government Purchasing Commission. See also [redacted] Washington No. 834 of 18 April 1943 [redacted] "MOL's group" is mentioned in several other unpublished 1943 [redacted] messages.
- [iii] LEVIN : Capt. Nikolaj Alekseevich PETERSKIJ, Head of the USSR Routing and Convoy Office in the U.S.A. from July 1942 until December 1944. In the [redacted] traffic he is Name No. 85, a WASHINGTON addressee and signatory.
- [iv] ...L'EN : Probably not the complete cover-name.
- [v] VOLT : Unidentified cover-name.
- [vi] STORM : " "
- [vii] NYATIN : " "
- [viii] TUL'PAN : " " *mail 2 BOMBERI*
- [ix] MIKHAJLOV: Petr A. BELYAEV, Inspector in the Soviet Government Purchasing Commission.
- [x] VORONOV : Unidentified cover-name.
- [xi] SEROV : " "
- [xii] MAKSIM : Vasilij ZUBILIN, Soviet Vice-Consul in NEW YORK.