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MEMBERS OF THE STAFF OF VMAT COLLECT FUNDS FOR KA AND VMF (1943)

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To EGORICHEV<sup>[1]</sup>.

If members of the staff of the VMAT<sup>[ii]</sup> wish to participate in the collection of funds [1 group unrecovered] KA<sup>[iii]</sup> and VMF<sup>[iv]</sup>, deposit the funds collected [1 group garbled] your imprest account [KASSA]. Report the final sum to me for transfer to the State Bank [GOSBANK]. Against the sums contributed your imprest account will be [3 groups unrecovered] next quarter. Report to [Name No.45]<sup>[v]</sup> [4 groups unrecovered] VMAT, in addition to cash deductions, a contribution of part of their bonds.

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[Name No.20]<sup>[vi]</sup>To [Name No.91]<sup>[vii]</sup>.

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[25 groups unrecovered]

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Notes: [a] Not available.

- Comments: [i] EGORICHEV : Capt. (1st Rank) I.A. EGORICHEV, Soviet Naval Attaché in Washington.
- [ii] VMAT : An abbreviation for VOENNO-MORSKOJ ATTACHE, Naval Attaché.
- [iii] -KA : KRASNAYA ARMIYA, Red Army.
- [iv] VMF : VOENNO-MORSKOJ FLOT, the Navy.
- [v] [Name No.45]: Unidentified MOSCOW addressee and signatory, who is primarily concerned with personnel and administration.
- [vi] [Name No.28]: Unidentified MOSCOW signatory. Head of OVS until succeeded by Capt. (1st Rank) EGIPKO on 12th February 1943.
- [vii] [Name No.91]: Probably Capt. (1st Rank) I.A. EGORICHEV.
- [viii] [Name No.42]: Possibly Capt. (1st Rank) K.A. VORONTSOV.