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INFORMATION THROUGH ROGEN FROM AN ASSISTANT OF COLLEAGUE N
(1944)

From: STOCKHOLM

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[2-part message complete]

[Part I] To [Name AJ][i].

From an assistant of colleague N[ii] through ROGEN[iii].

[60 groups unrecoverable]

70° 22' 7" longitude 31° 07' [4 groups unrecovered] guns.

On the mainland in the SMELROR[SMELROS] area latitude 70° 23' 4"
longitude 31° 02' 3" a medium battery.

In the northern part of the island of VARDØ[VARDE] in the
SKAGODDEN[SKAGUDDEN] [D% area] latitude 70° 24' 3" longitude 31° 04' 7"
two medium guns.

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In the western part of the island of REINØYA (REJNEJ) latitude 70° 23' 5" longitude 31° 07' 5" an AA battery.

[Part II] 2. The co-ordinates of the area where there is danger from mines in [9 groups unrecovered] indicated previously

[55 groups unrecoverable]

latitude 70° 28' 7" longitude 25° 22' 2"

[95 groups unrecovered]

[46 groups unrecoverable]

No. 29

[Name AD][iv]

- Comments: [i] Name AJ: Equivalent to Name No. 42 . i.e. possibly Captain (1st Rank) M A VORONTSOV.
- [ii] N: *x* Unidentified cover designation. Probably indicates that source was in the Norwegian Naval Attaché's office. For other occurrences of "colleague N" see STOCKHOLM's Nos. 15:4 of 13th May 1943 (3/NBF/T1710) and 2273 of 7th July 1943 (3/NBF/T1359); also, for "colleague P" (possibly Polish Service Attaché) see STOCKHOLM's No. 617 of 22nd February 1943 (3/NBF/T1541).
- [iii] ROJEN: *x* Unidentified. Also occurs in STOCKHOLM's No. 194 of 8th January 1944 (3/NBF/T2022).
- [iv] Name AD: *x* Possibly equivalent to Name No. 59 . i.e. probably Captain Aleksej TARADIN, Soviet Naval Attaché in STOCKHOLM.

* Later thinking

- N almost certainly = (the) Norwegian
- colleague = opt-code number (different name)
- in Stockholm N = Norwegian NA
- so number of colleague N = just Name ADN

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