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MOSCOW'S INSTRUCTIONS ON CONTACT WITH "BONITO" (1944)

From: MOSCOW

To: MEXICO CITY

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18 June 1944

In principle we have no objection to your meeting[i] with "BONITO"[ii]. Explain to him in an extremely tactful way the absolute necessity of his observing discipline and security. Make a serious attempt to influence "BONITO" with the object of re-educating him. In the event of

[17 groups unrecovered]

, it will be necessary to give him financial help. Telegraph the result of the meeting.

No 2656[iii]

VIKTOR[iv]

17 June

Footnotes: [i] Cf MEXICO CITY'S Nos 461 and 497 of 3 and 12 June 1944 (3/NBF/T688, T2245).

[ii] BONITO: Presumably identical with "BENITO" (also occurs as "BEN..." / B.). Possibly Benito RODRIGUEZ GUTIERREZ.

[iii] For reply see MEXICO CITY'S No 515 of 19 June 1944 (3/NBF/T690).

[iv] VIKTOR: Lt General Pavel Mikhajlovich FITIN.

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