From: NEW YORK

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No: 1341

21 September 1944

To VIKTOR[i].

BELEN'KIJ Aleksandr[ii], Soviet citizen, born in 1908 in DNEPROPETROVSK. He left the [Soviet] Union in 1925 for RIGA. At present he is working in the General Electric plant. We are not working with BELEN'KIJ. Material from him is routed[NAPRAVLEN] as from a Soviet citizen. A detailed biography was sent with post no. 7.

SMELYJ[iii] is working as a probationer of the second line [and] since 1941 has been connected with ARTEK[iv].

AVTOR[v] is one of ARSENIJ's[vi] acquaintances in the plant. A Doctor of Technical Sciences, he is the author of the material in enclosure 432, post no. 3. His surname is indicated there, his first name and patronymic are Vladimir Borisovich. He is working at ARSENIJ's plant on problems of aerodynamics [and] is greatly respected for his knowledge. A.[vii] has been meeting AVTOR for about a year in the line of business and characterizes him as a very cautious fellow who is well disposed towards us. AVTOR's father is a Russian, his mother a Czech. AVTOR was born in PRAGUE in 1917. He has been in the COUNTRY[STRANA][viii] since 1934. He passed his work to A. as a representative of our country. AVTOR should be cleared [OFORMLYaT']. He will be very useful. Please check and report the possibility of the further clearance of AVTOR.

Check AVTOR's father, the same surname, first name and patronymic Boris Vladimirovich [4 groups unrecovered] LOS ANGELES. From AVTOR's allusions his father to someone

[14 groups unrecoverable]

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Comments:
    [i]   VIKTOR: Lt. Gen. P.M. FITIN.
    [ii]   Alexander BELENKY and his wife entered the United States
           in December 1941 for permanent residence.
    [iii] SMELYJ: i.e. PLUCKY, unidentified cover-name.
    [iv]   ARTEK: Leonid Dmitrievich ABRAMOV.
    [v]   AVTOR: i.e. AUTHOR, Dr. Vladimir Borisovich MORKOVIN.
    [vi]   ARSENIJ: Andrej Ivanovich ShEVChENKO.
    [vii] A.: i.e. ARSENIJ.
    [viii] STRANA: The U.S.A.
    [ix]   MAJ: i.e. MAY, Stepan APRESYaN.

16 April 1974