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INFORMATION ON THE BOMBING OF STRALSUND
RECEIVED BY "GREEK".

From: STOCKHOLM

To: MOSCOW

No.: 3536

25 October 1944

To the 8th Department.

{4 groups unrecovered} from {4 group unrecovered} to
STOCKHOLM, a German

[63 groups unrecoverable]

high landing speed (600 - 650 kilometres per hour) requires large landing grounds and leads to [C. heavy] losses in air crew personnel and [B. matériel] when landing. In view of these defects rocket[engined] planes [C. are used] on a small scale and it is doubtful whether their use is likely to spread. Further [A. / planes [2 groups] was forced into the water. Mainly [B. groups] in [9 groups unrecovered]
[33 groups unrecoverable]

to [""] GREEK [GREK]" that on 7 October 1944 the power station in STRALSUND (North Germany) was destroyed by a direct hit with a bomb. This was the reason for the cessation of telephone communication between BERLIN and STOCKHOLM, as the current from this station was transformed for the land line. Telephone communications have been restored with the aid of batteries and

[71 groups unrecovered]

(Continued overleaf)

Distribution

5.5

which might take on

[19 groups unrecoverable]

[B: Swedes][a] valuable cargoes.

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VALLERIAN (C)

T.N.: [a] or [B: Swedes].

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