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55. Chief of Station, Heidelberg to FBM, "RUSTY," 1 October 1947

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TO : FBM
FROM : Chief of Station, Heidelberg
SUBJECT: Operations
REF: RUSTY

1. At the last meeting of representatives of the operating intelligence agencies held in Frankfurt, the question of recording dead agents in the Central Registry of ODDI was raised again. Lt. Col. Deane stated that it would be impossible for him to do this since they have never passed the names of RUSTY operatives from lower echelons to higher echelons within the RUSTY structure. This principle is regarded by the RUSTY people as a security measure, since they cannot be sure of the loyalty of intermediate echelons.

2. Deane and his successor (whose name escapes me) are not happy about this. They feel, however, that this situation can only be corrected by placing American personnel in key positions. This, they claim, is impossible because of their restricted T/O.

3. A clash between CIC and RUSTY occurred during the meeting. All it proved was that CIC is not too happy about servicing RUSTY at the expense of their own operations.

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