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1. PARA 2 REF PASSED ALIAS ( ) WITH APPROPRIATE CAVEATS.  
 HE CLAIMED FRITSCH SHOWED AN ( ) FIVE TYPED PAGES OF  
 ALLEGED MEMOIRES. TYPING WAS POOR WITH MANY ERRORS, CORRECTED  
 BY HAND WITH MARGINAL NOTE REPUTERLY BY EICHMANN. PAGES CIRCA  
 8 BY 12 INCHES. ( ) NOT SURE IF COPY OR ORIGINAL, SINCE WAS  
 NOT PERMITTED HANDLE MATERIAL. PAGES HE SAW INCLUDED NUMBER REFS  
 GLOBKE AND EXCHANGE CORRESPONDENCE BETWEEN EICHMANN AND GLOBKE  
 DURING WAR.

2. FRITSCH CLAIMED LIFE HAD SAMPLE OF MEMOIRES IN ORDER CHECK  
 AUTHENTICITY. BULK MEMOIRES REPUTED BE SAFE KEEPING NEW YORK  
 PENDING PAYMENT REMAINING \$10,000. MONEY ALREADY  
 PAID SUPPOSEDLY

USED MOVE EICHMANN'S FAMILY FROM BUENOS AIRES TO SOME OTHER  
 POINT SOUTH AMERICA WHERE TRYING LIVE ANONYMOUSLY.  
 3. ALTHOUGH FRITSCH INSISTED TRYING CANCEL CONTRACT WITH LIFE  
 AND REPAY \$5,000 SO AS SELL MEMOIRES FOR BETTER PRICE EUROPE,  
 ( ) FEELS FRITSCH MAY WELL DECIDE TRY SELL ADDITIONAL COPY  
 IF SUCH EXISTS. PRESUMES WOULD BE DIFFICULT LIFE TAKE LEGAL

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ACTION IF THIS HAPPENED. ( ) PLANS HAVE ( ) TRY  
OBTAIN SIGNIFICANT SAMPLE MEMOIRS STATING THIS NECESSARY PRIOR  
SERIOUS CONSIDERATION PURCHASE.

4. ( ) ASKED IF LIFE HAD ADVISED ISRAELIS RE MEMOIRS  
AND WAS TOLD WE DOUBTED. HE POINTED OUT EICHMANN MUST HAVE MENTIONED  
EXISTENCE MEMOIRS TO ISRAELIS, THAT THEY NO DOUBT TRYING LOCATE,  
AND PROBABLY WOULD BE VERY UPSET LEARN AMERICAN PUBLICATION HAD  
OBTAINED AND WITHHELD WHAT WOULD BE CONSIDERED IMPORTANT EVIDENCE  
CONNECTION EICHMANN TRIAL.

5. ( ) FEELS IF ( ) OBTAINS SUFFICIENT PORTION  
MEMOIRS AND THEY SEEM GENUINE, FEDREP ALMOST CERTAINLY WILL  
INSIST PURCHASE ORDER PREVENT PUBLICATION. THIS WOULD RAISE OBVIOUS  
PROBLEM VIEW LIFE PLAN PUBLISH SAME MATERIAL. WHEN ASKED WHAT  
FEDREP WOULD DO IF THEY OBTAINED CONFIRMATION LIFE HAD MATERIAL,  
SAID PROBABLY WOULD MAKE REQUEST THROUGH DIPLOMATIC CHANNELS THAT  
MEMOIRS BE SUPPRESSED. WE POINTED OUT THIS WOULD BE VERY DIFFICULT  
AND THAT IF THERE SEVERAL COPIES MEMOIRS FLOATING AROUND WOULD BE  
VIRTUALLY IMPOSSIBLE PREVENT PUBLICATION.

6. APPEARS SITUATION SOON LIKELY GET VERY COMPLICATED. WOULD  
APPRECIATE HQS SUGGESTIONS RE FURTHER HANDLING WITH ( ).

END OF MESSAGE

C/S COMMENT: \*CONCERNED ( ) WITH LIFE MAGAZINE RE PASSAGE INFO  
TO ( ) ON MEMOIRS OF EICHMANN WHICH TO BE PUBLISHED BY LIFE.

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