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1. PROPOSE DR ZHIVAGO BOOK PUBLICATION IN RUSSIAN USING REDUCED FORMAT BUT UNABRIDGED CONTENT, THIN PARCHMENT PAPER, BOOK DIVIDED IN THREE PARTS, EACH PAPER BOUND. TOTAL NOT EXCEED THOUSAND COPIES. PURPOSE COVERT DISTRIBUTION TO SOV SAILORS, TOURIST, ALSO BALLOON EAST GERMANY.

2. PROPOSAL BASED VICIOUS SOV ANTI PASTERNAK CAMPAIGN DOMESTIC PRESS UNDOUBTEDLY STIRRING DEEP INTEREST HOME AUDIENCES IN CONTENTS BOOK NOT AVAILABLE LOCALLY. PRESENT VERSION BOOK TOO BULKY FOR MAXIMUM COVERT IMPORTATION USSR VIA SAILORS, TOURISTS.

3. UNABLE MANUFACTURE LOCALLY PARA 1 VERSION BOOK. COULD HQS ARRANGE PRINTING SOONEST DELIVERY TO AS COPIES BECOME AVAILABLE. BELIEVE TIME ELEMENT ESSENTIAL IF FULL PSYCH EXPLOITATION THEME BE ACHIEVED VIA

4. FYI: VIEW SUBSTANCE REF A, BELIEVE COPYRIGHT VIOLATION NOT MAJOR PROBLEM. FURTHERMORE RE REF B, ACCORDING OBTAINED EARLY MANUSCRIPT DR ZHIVAGO BOOK SUPPOSEDLY FROM USSR THRU CHANNEL DIFFERENT FROM FELTRINELLY'S. ATTEMPTED OBTAIN MANUSCRIPT FOLLOWING REF C PROPOSAL, BUT HE REFUSED RELEASE, STATING OBLIGATED PROTECT PASTERNAK,

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WOULD RELEASE MANUSCRIPT ONLY IF FELTRINELLI FAILED PUBLISH.

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C/S COMMENT: \*CABLE PRE-DATES CS FILES.

\*\*Confirmed that BBC Russian broadcasts of Dr. Zhivago began on 4 October.

\*\*\*Requested confirmation that BBC had begun broadcasting extensive portion of Russian language version of Dr. Zhivago.

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