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APPOINTMENT OF KLIM TO POST OF COUNSELLOR: 'KHCEYAJKÀ, SEMENOV,
'DUNYA, 'KLARA', VETROV AND KIN
(1943)

From STOCKHOLM

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To VIKTOR[i].

With regard to the formalities in connection with the appointment[OFORMLENTF] of KLIM[ii] to the post of Counsellor, the Director of the Political Department of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, SODERBLOM[SEDERBLYUM], asked "KHCEYAJKÀ"[iii] and SEMENOV[iv] if he was known to them in the People's Commissariat for Foreign Affairs. There is, after all, no reason for any delay. On 16th December 1943 "DUNYA"[v] told "KLARA"[vi] that KHCEYAJKÀ [2 groups unrecovered] the impending arrival of the CHEKIST[a], KLIM, as she foresaw that KLIM, like his predecessors, VETROV[vii] and KIN[viii] [2 groups unrecovered] DUNYA to whom she has become accustomed and from whom she cannot be parted. In the COLONY[ix] [1 group unrecovered] KLIM [5 groups unrecovered] KIN's departure.

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Note: [a] Member of the CHEKA. The CHEKA ceased to exist in 1921 but the term "CHEKIST" is still used loosely to mean any official of the State Security Service.

- Comments: [i] VIKTOR: Lt. Gen. P.M. FITIN.
- [ii] KLIM: ✓ Elisej Tikhonovich ELISEEV, 2nd Secretary at the Soviet Legation in STOCKHOLM and Deputy MGB Resident from 21st January to 29th September 1944.
- [iii] KHOBYAJKA: ✓ i.e. "MISTRESS"; Aleksandra Mikhaïlovna KOLLONTAJ, Soviet Minister in STOCKHOLM.
- [iv] SEMENOV: ✓ Vladimir Semenovich SEMENOV, Counsellor at the Soviet Legation in STOCKHOLM from 1942 to 3rd November 1944.
- [v] DUNYA: ✓
- [vi] KLARA: ✓
- [vii] VETROV: ✓ Possibly Andrej Grigor'evich GRAUR, 1st Secretary at the Soviet Legation in STOCKHOLM from 1940 until 29th November 1941. Known to have been MGB Resident up to mid-October 1941.
- [viii] KIN: ✓ Boris Nikolaevich YARTSEV, Counsellor at the Soviet Legation in STOCKHOLM and MGB Resident from 21st October 1941 until his departure from SWEDEN on 15th July 1943.
- [ix] COLONY: Possibly refers to the Soviet colony.
- [x] VALERIAN: ✓ Vasilij Fedorovich RAZIN, 1st Secretary at the Soviet Legation in STOCKHOLM and MGB Resident from at least 10th November 1943 to 22nd May 1945.