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To VIKTOR[i].

Your no. 5356[a]. Information on LIBERAL's[ii] wife[iii]. Surname that of her husband, first name ETHEL, 29 years old. Married five years. Finished secondary school. A FELLOWCOUNTRYMAN [ZEMLYaK][iv] since 1938. Sufficiently well developed politically. Knows about her husband's work and the role of METR[v] and NIL[vi]. In view of delicate health does not work. Is characterized positively and as a devoted person.

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Advise on the possibility of using in our work the engineer MAZURIN Vladimir N. [viii]. He worked as deputy to the constructor of Plant 155. He graduated from MAI[viii] in 1936. Is now working at ARSENIJ's[ix] plant [x]. [2 groups unrecovered] [D& I request your decision on the question].

No. 923

ANTON[xi]

Notes: [a] Not available.

Comments:

- [i] VIKTOR: Lt. Gen. P. M. FITIN.
- [ii] LIBERAL: Julius ROSENBERG.
- [iii] Ethel ROSENBERG, nee GREENGLASS.
- [iv] ZEMLYaK: Member of the Communist Party.
- [v] METR: Probably Joel BARR or Alfred SARANT.
- [vi] NIL: Unidentified.
- [vii] Vladimir Nikolaevich MAZURIN.
- [viii] MAI: i.e. MOSKOVSKIJ AVIATIONNYJ INSTITUT, Moscow Aviation Institute.
- [ix] ARSENIJ: Andrej Ivanovich SheVChENKO.
- [x] Bell Aircraft Plant, NIAGARA FALLS, N.Y.
- [xi] ANTON: Leonid Romanovich KVASNIKOV.

1 May 1975