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C O N F I D E N T I A L.

No.

C / 10 / 4 4.

19 44.

Secretary of State.

SUBJECT.

19 44

20th October.

METEOROLOGICAL STATION AT GRYTVIKEN,  
SOUTH GEORGIA.

Previous Paper.

MINUTES.

1. Telegram from S. of S. No. 105 of 20/10/44.
2. Telegram to Magistrate, South Georgia, No. 63 of 23/10/44.
3. Telegram from Magistrate, South Georgia, No. 78 of 25/10/44.

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*4.R.*  
 Draft reply to (1) submitted. You will note  
 the Argentine Govt. stamp used on the return.  
 (See 226 a. on D/16/34 4/4).

*KB.**25-X-44*

5. Telegram No 261 to S. of S. of 25. 10. 44.

Subsequent Paper.

DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

*From* The Secretary of State.

*To* His Excellency the Governor.

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*Despatched* : 20th October, 19 44. *Time* : 2130.

*Received* : 21st October, 19 44. *Time* : 1030.

WITHOUT PRIORITY. No. 105. Secret. Admiralty has been  
as to whether Meteorological Station at Grytviken, South Georgia  
is now manned by British or Argentine personnel and if by former  
when the change-over took place.

Please telegraph reply.

SECRETARY OF STATE.

IN & OUT CODE.

DECODE.

TELEGRAM.

*From* The Colonial Secretary.

*To* The Magistrate, South Georgia.

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*Despatched* : 23rd October, 19 44. *Time* : .....

*Received* : ..... ..... ..... 19 ..... *Time* : .....

No. 63. SECRET. Please advise nationality of person  
or persons working Cumberland Bay Meteorological Station.

COLONIAL SECRETARY.

NAVAL CYPHER.

PR. 23.10.44.

For use in  
Cypher or  
Coding Office  
only.

ZBH 83.

Originators Instructions:  
(Indication of Priority,  
AIDAC, NOTWT  
For Exercise).

INTERCEPT GROUP.

TO:

SECRETARY F.I.

FROM: MAGISTRATE  
South Georgia

No: 78. Your Telegram 63 During 3½ years up to

1st July 1944 Station has been worked by one

CHARLES HEED now on LEAVE but as far as is known is

NORWEGIAN AND SINCE 2nd July 1942 by one TORMOD TROND

NORWEGIAN SUBJECT LATTER is CHEMIST TARGET <sup>2902</sup> <sup>1952</sup> <sup>1952</sup>

Reseq.

241825<sup>2</sup>

Book or Table to be used for

Cyphering or Coding.

Recyphering or Recoding.

Initials of Cypherer  
or Coder.

Time of Receipt in  
Cypher or Coding  
Office.

Date.

5.  
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## TELEGRAM.

*From His Excellency the Governor.*

*To Secretary of State.*

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*Despatched : 25th October, 19 44. Time : .....*

*Received : ..... 19 ... Time : .....*

*Red* WITHOUT PRIORITY. No. 261. SECRET. With reference to your Secret Telegram No. 105. Grytviken Meteorological Station manned by Norwegian personnel in employ of Argentine Company Pesca. The latest return is for May 1944 and as usual bears the Argentine official departmental seal over Norwegian subject's signature.

GOVERNOR.