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INTERROGATION DIVISION SUMMARY

Interrogation of: HERMANN GOERING

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PERSONS AND ORGANIZATIONS IMPLICATED, AND SUBJECTS

1. GOERING:
  - a. Preparations for Aggressive War
    - (1) Comment on Speech given by Hitler Document 789-PS

PREPARATIONS FOR AGGRESSIVE WAR

Goering was shown a document marked 789 PS, which he acknowledged as undoubtedly an official copy so far as it represents the minutes of a speech Hitler made to certain high officers to prepare them for an offensive war. However, Goering takes issue with the accuracy of certain statements. Regards as nonsensical that Hitler would have said: a.) "...the enemy had entrenched in the fortifications west, therefore no possibility to attack him"--"This is absolutely impossible, because the whole purpose of this speech was to prepare such an attack". (p.2) b.) The "...Persian Gulf is the aim of our foreign policy..." and "...the fate of the Reich is depending only on me..." are both statements Goering is certain were not made. (pp.1-3)