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REICH MINISTRY OF THE INTERIOR

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I. PREAMBLE

The following information was obtained from Otto EHRENSBERGER, Dr Kurt HEINRICHS, Dr LAUBE, Dr Walther OTT, and Ernst PABST, all of whom are officials in the Ministry of the Interior. Most of the records and personnel of the Ministry are located in the following places:

- i) QUERFURTH, near HALLE
- ii) SCHLOSS LEUCHTENBURG, near JENA (KAHLA RR Station)
- iii) SCHLOSS SONNENSTEIN in PIRNA, near DRESDEN
- iv) BERLIN, DOROTHEENSTRASSE 46
- v) GARMISCH-PARTENKIRCHEN

It is possible that the personnel and records which were in BERLIN in March 1945 were recently evacuated elsewhere or the papers were destroyed.

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II. ORGANIZATION OF THE MINISTRY OF THE INTERIOR

The chart as found in the Organization Charts of the German Ministries and Central Agencies is out of Date, due to the fact that certain changes were made in 1944 when HIMMLER became Minister. For revised chart showing the principal changes see Appendix. Personalities and their probable locations are listed under the respective Departments, below:

A. CENTRAL DEPARTMENT

1. Personnel

Ministerialdirektor WOELLKE - possibly in BAD SACHSA, in the Southern Harz.  
Ministerialdirigent BURKART - AUGSBURG.  
Ministerialrat Dr GRAU - vicinity of STUTTGART.  
Ministerialrat Dr OTT - AUGSBURG (SAIG).  
Reichsrichter HAHN - Southern Germany.  
A number of intermediate officials are in GARMISCH-PARTENKIRCHEN.

2. Records

The records of the Central Department are partially in QUERFURT and partially in SCHLOSS LEUCHTENBURG, near JENA. A few are in GARMISCH. The records in BERLIN are believed to have been totally destroyed.

B. DEPARTMENT I

1. Personnel

Ministerialrat Dr GLOBKE - KOCHEL, HINDENBURGSTRASSE 292.  
Ministerialdirigent Dr KESSLER - AUGSBURG.  
Reichsrichter SCHMIDT-BRUECKEN - AUGSBURG.  
Regierungsrat STIERWALDT - AUGSBURG.  
Ministerialdirektor Dr FAUST - presumably in Northern Germany.  
Ministerialrat Dr VON WOLFF - QUERFURT.  
Oberregierungsrat Dr HOFFMANN - in Southern Germany.

2. Records

The records are in QUERFURT, LEUCHTENBURG, and BERLIN.

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C. DEPARTMENT II

1. Personnel

Ministerialdirektor EHRENSBERGER, AUGSBURG (SAIC).  
Reichsrichter Dr PABST, AUGSBURG (SAIC).  
Johannes KAIBEL, AUGSBURG, (SAIC).  
Oberregierungsrat VOLLPRECHT, AUGSBURG.  
Ministerialrat MUTTRAY, TRAUNSTEIN.  
Regierungsrat VON ROSTBURG, TRAUNSTEIN.  
Oberregierungsrat Dr FISCHER, GARMISCH-PARTENKIRCHEN.  
Reichsrichter Dr DANKELMANN, GARMISCH-PARTENKIRCHEN.  
Oberregierungsrat MAYER-WESTPHALEN, QUERFURT.  
Oberregierungsrat RITTER VON LEX, QUERFURT.  
Ministerialrat BUCKOW, EUTIN.  
Ministerialdirigent JACOBI, Presumably in Northern Germany.  
Ministerialrat KLAS, " " " "  
Ministerialrat GUELDENPFFENIG " " " "  
Oberverwaltungsrichter WEISE " " " "  
Oberregierungsrat Dr PETZ " " " "

2. Records

Most of the records were destroyed in air raids, at BERLIN and KUESTRIN.  
Some records may be found in QUERFURT, and possibly a few at GARMISCH-PARTENKIRCHEN.

D. DEPARTMENT III

Most of this Department, both personnel and records, is located at SCHLOSS SONNENSTEIN, in PIRNA. A smaller part remained in BERLIN, DOROTHEENSTRASSE 46.

III-A

|                          |                        |
|--------------------------|------------------------|
| Dr JOACHIM               | GARMISCH-PARTENKIRCHEN |
| Ministerialrat BOETTCHER | PIRNA                  |
| Ministerialrat BOKE      | BERLIN                 |

III-B

|                          |        |
|--------------------------|--------|
| Direktor Dr HOFFMEISTER  | BERLIN |
| Ministerialrat Dr TITTEL | PIRNA  |
| Oberregierungsrat KNAUT  | "      |
| Ministerialrat SIBETH    | "      |

III-C

|                         |                               |
|-------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Ministerialrat Dr LAUBE | AUGSBURG (SAIC)               |
| Ministerialrat KAEMPER  | PIRNA                         |
| Ministerialrat ULRICH   | "                             |
| Praesident KNEIP        | "                             |
| Ministerialrat GOEDECKE | BAD HEILBRUNN, near BAD TOELZ |
| Ministerialrat MOLSSEN  | BERLIN                        |
| Oberregierungsrat KOBE  | "                             |

E. DEPARTMENT IV

1. Personnel

|                                   |                         |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Ministerialrat Dr HEINRICH        | AUGSBURG (SAIC)         |
| Ministerialrat Dr HOFFMANN        | " "                     |
| Ministerialdirigent Dr FUCHS      | AUGSBURG                |
| Regierungs-Kassenrat TESCHNER     | LEUCHTENBURG, near JENA |
| Gauhauptmann Dr KREISSL           | REICHENBURG             |
| Reichsrichter BERNER              | PIRNA                   |
| Ministerialrat VON LUCAS          | BERLIN                  |
| Ministerialdirigent Dr LOSCHOLDER | "                       |

In addition, there are seven minor officials and seven employees in GARMISCH-PARTENKIRCHEN.

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2. Records

Most of the records of this Department were destroyed in an air attack on BERLIN in Nov 1943. Of the new records, part are in PIRMA, part in QUERFURT, and part in LEUCHTENBURG, near JENA. A few records were left in BERLIN, DOROTHEENSTRASSE 49, and a few were in GARMISCH-PARTENKIRCHEN, in the RATHAUS.

F. PUBLIC HEALTH MATTERS

1. Personnel

Dr KAUFMANN (MD)  
Ministerialrat ENGEL

GARMISCH-PARTENKIRCHEN  
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HIMMLER

HEAD STATE SECRETARY  
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STATE SECRETARY AND  
REICH HEALTH LEADER  
CONTI

CENTRAL DEPT  
Budget Dis-  
bursing, Accoun-  
ting, Distribu-  
tion of work,  
Internal rou-  
tine, etc.

DEPARTMENT I  
Constitution,  
Legislation,  
Administration.  
IO Constitution  
IV Legislation  
& Admin Law  
I "Sued Ost"  
I "BM" new order  
in Bohemia  
I "Ost"  
I "West"

DEPARTMENT II  
Civil Defense  
of REICH  
I-RW Civ Defense  
I-RW Mil Law and  
Policy  
I- RS War Damage

DEPARTMENT III  
A. Pol appointments  
Civil servants  
B. Higher Services  
C. Civ Servants Law,  
Policy, training,  
salaries, expenses  
welfare, pensions,  
salaried employees  
and workers.

DEPARTMENT IV  
Control of  
Local Govt

DEPARTMENT A  
Public  
Health

DEPARTMENT B  
Public  
Welfare

DEPARTMENT C  
Veterinary  
Matters

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