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## Dear Bertram,

Thank you for your letter of the 11th receiving in Zurich. I answer your points briefly before leaving for Greece:

- 1. Unfortunately it is too late for us to get in touch with F.D.J. again with regard to possible communist propaganda in the camp as I shall be away from London for at least 5 weeks from now. But Frank Judd is getting a copy of this letter and of course I am sure he will give instructions to the leader of the camp so that all precautions are taken to avoid any such use of the SCI team.
- 2. The British branch will not accept German volunteers who would not have been proposed by your secretariat. On this point, may I remind you that the list of volunteers for the Potsdam camp has now been closed by the British secretariat. However, and in view of the particular difficulties of the German branch, I am sure that the British branch will still accept one or two of your volunteers if their application forms receive London as soon as possible and in time to be dealt with. It would really be a great pity if we did not have West German volunteers on the camp.
- 3. I am enclosing the English version of the German Committee meeting.
- 4. The camp at Potsdam will end on the 27th July and the SCI volunteers will return to Paris on 3rd or 4th August after a short visit to places of interest in East Germany.

I quite agree with your definition of an observer and hope that your view will be shared by your Committee.

With my best wishes,

Roger Briottet

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