

TRANSLATION.

MEMORANDUM OF INTERVIEW BETWEEN GENERAL DONOVAN AND THE  
DEFENDANT GOERING, IN THE PRESENCE OF DR. KEMPNER AND  
HIS DEFENSE COUNSEL, DR. STAHRER, ON MONDAY,  
NOVEMBER 12, 1945.

The defendant Goering had, on Monday, November 12, 1945, sent a written request to General Donovan to grant him an interview so that he might be enabled to talk to him. General Donovan complied with this request, and the interview took place the same day, in the presence of Dr. Kempner and myself.

In the course of the interview Goering promised to give truthful answers, in writing, to any questions which might be directed to him by General Donovan.

I pointed to the fact that the handling of this matter would make it necessary that I, as defense counsel for Goering, have assigned to me a special room - naturally under the proper military guard - so that I might be in a position to discuss matters with Goering without the presence of third persons, since only then would the defendant Goering have the impression that his declarations were being made voluntarily and without any exertion of pressure. I made the further request that Goering not be interrogated by anyone else during the process of this work so that he might not be disturbed by such other interrogations.

General Donovan has promised that he will attempt to comply with my wishes insofar as this may be possible.

(sign.) Dr. O. Stahmer

Nuernberg, November 15, 1945.