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The Nazi Camps and the Persecution and Murder of the Jews –

Camps of Operation Reinhard

Translation: D03 The deployment of Amon Goeth in the field of the deportation and killing of Jews

The Supreme SS- and Police Chief East

[Der Höhere SS- und Polizeiführer Ost]

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To the

Chief of the SS-Personalhauptamt

Berlin

The SS-Untersturmführer (General SS) Amon-Leopold *Göth*, SS-no. 43673, did apply here for deployment in the General Government. SS-Untersturmführer Göth was deployed until 30 May 1942 in the Welfare Office for Ethnic Germans [Volksdeutsche Mittelstelle] Kattowitz and since this time he is free to be engaged otherwise. It is intended to deploy SS-Untersturmführer Göth with the SS- and Police Chief Lublin in the field of “resettlement of Jews” [“Judenumsiedlung”].

It is therefore asked to call up SS-Untersturmführer Göth as SS-Untersturmführer (S) of the Waffen-SS and deploy him here.

[Handwritten note in green pencil: Yes]

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SS-Obergruppenführer and Police General

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