

A f f i d a v i t .

I, Dr. Ingenieur Wilhelm H e i n r i c h s , residing in Essen-Bredeney, Alfredstr. 264, born in Cologne on 15 October 1899, am aware that I render myself liable to prosecution if I make a false statement on oath. I declare upon oath that my statement is true and that it was made to be presented as evidence to the Military Tribunal in Nuremberg, Germany, or to any other Allied or German courts or authorities.

I remember that Herr von Buelow approached me in 1943 and asked me whether I could make use of Herr Walter Hassel in Kramatorsk. At this occasion Herr von Buelow emphasized the fact that the cast iron factory and he himself would like to get rid of Herr Hassel and that I would do him a great favor by taking Hassel over.

I told Herr von Buelow that Hassel was unknown to me and that I was not interested in taking over to Kramatorsk co-workers I did not know particularly as I have quite a number of good workers at my disposal whom I knew.

It was about August when one of the couriers who frequently travelled from Essen to Kramatorsk informed me that Herr Hassel would come to Kramatorsk to introduce himself. This plan was never carried out owing to the retreat of the German forces.

Essen, 17 January 1948.

(signed) Dr. Wilhelm Heinrichs
(DR. WILHELM HEINRICHS)

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I herewith certify the above signature of Dr. Wilhelm Heinrichs,
Essen-Bredeney, Alfredstrasse 264.

Essen, 27 February 1948.

Notarial Seal.

Computation of fees:

Value: RM 3.000.-

Fees: articles 144, 26, 39 RKO RM 4.-

Turnover Tax 3 % - " - .12
RM 4.12

(signed) Dr. Rust,
Attorney-at-Law
Officially appointed deputy of
Dr. Walter Ballas, Notary Public in Essen.

The Deputy of the Notary
Public
(signed) Dr. Rust.

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