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Guidelines on Svetlana (Stalin) Defection

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The sensitivity of Svetlana's defection ^{due} to the possibility of political repercussions makes it extremely inadvisable that RL undertake any treatment which the Russians could construe as evidence of USG psych exploitation.

1. Minimum news coverage and press reviews necessary for credibility.
public
2. No commentaries or/statements by Svetlana without prior approval.
3. Note that she has not been resettled or granted political asylum
by any host government.
4. Above restrictions apply until specifically lifted by Hqs.

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