

**SD-Abschnitt Stettin (Fond 1240)**  
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**Descriptive summary**

Title: SD-Abschnitt Stettin (Fond 1240)

Dates: 1936-1940

Accession number: 1993.A.0085.1.11

Extent: 1 microfilm reel (partial)  
digital images

Repository: United States Holocaust Memorial Museum Archives, 100 Raoul Wallenberg Place SW,  
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Languages: German

**Scope and content of collection**

Correspondence and newspaper clippings relating to the Seventh-Day Adventists and Jehovah's Witnesses, the confiscation of their printed materials, and one item about Jewish influence on churches.

Note: USHMM Archives holds only selected records.

**Administrative Information**

Restrictions on access: No restrictions on access.

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Memorial Museum Archives received the filmed collection via the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum International Archival Programs Division in 1993.

Existence and location of originals:      Rossiiskii gosudarstvennyi voennyi arkhiv

Related materials:

- Fishman, D. E. and Kupovetsky, M, Kuzelenkov, V. (ed.), *Nazi-Looted Jewish Archives in Moscow. A guide to Jewish Historical and Cultural Collections in the Russian State Military Archive*. Scranton: University of Scranton Press 2010. Published in association with the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum and The Jewish Theological Seminary.
- [https://www.lootedart.com/MFEU4M60512\\_print;Y](https://www.lootedart.com/MFEU4M60512_print;Y) [accessed 11 September 2018]
- <http://www.sonderarchiv.de/fonds/fond0503.pdf> [accessed 11 September 2018]
- <http://www.ceelbas-cdt.ac.uk/archive-guide/structure-soviet-archives> [accessed 11 September 2018]
- Browder, G. C. *Captured German and other Nation's Documents in the Osobyi (Special) Archive, Moscow*. Published by: Cambridge University Press on behalf of Conference Group for Central European History of the American Historical Association. Internet access: <http://www.jstor.org/stable/4546224> [accessed 11 September 2018]
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### **System of arrangement**

Fond 1240 (1821-1945). Opis 1; Dela 79. Selected records arranged in two series: 1. Correspondence and newspaper clippings; 1936-1939; 2. Reports on activities of the Seventh Day Adventists and Jewish communities, 1937-1940.

Microfilm reel: 80 (16 mm; 47 pages)

### **Indexing terms**

Nationalsozialistische Deutsche Arbeiter-Partei. Schutzstaffel.  
Germany. Geheime Staatspolizei--History.  
World War, 1939-1945--Atrocities--Germany.  
Police administration--Germany--History, 1939-1945.  
Seventh-Day Adventists--Europe--History--20th century.  
Jehovah's Witnesses--Germany--History--20th century.  
Jehovah's Witnesses--Persecutions--Germany.  
Germany--Politics and government--1933-1945.  
Europe--Politics and government--20th century.  
Poland--History--Occupation, 1939--1945.  
Szczecin (Poland)  
Clippings (Books, newspapers, etc.)  
Correspondence.  
Reports.

## CONTAINER LIST

### Reel 80

Fond 1240, opis 1

11 Correspondence with the sections of the Council on the supervision of the activities of the religious sect of Adventists, 1936-1939, 3 pp. Folder begins at image 6

20 Circulations and letters from the Gestapo office in Stettin, newspaper clippings about the prohibition of the activities of Jehovah's Witnesses in Germany, 1936-1937, 18 pp. Folder begins at image 12

*Report to regional SD about Jehovah's Witnesses, order to confiscate their printed materials; news clips about sentences against Jehovah's Witnesses.*

24 Correspondence with the sections of the Council on the supervision of the activities of the Seventh Day Adventists church, 1937-1940, 27 pp. Folder begins at image 34

*Confiscation order for Seventh-Day Adventists materials, items about sect membership, etc. Item on Jewish influences on churches (from the Institute for Research on and Elimination of Jewish Influence on German Church Matters).*