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The Department of External Affairs has been informed that special arrangements have been made for conversion of bank balances now held in the four sectors of the City of Berlin into prevailing German currencies by account holders who were United Nations nationals on October 1, 1949.

Applications for accounts held in banks in western sectors must be made directly to the bank by the account holder. Enquiries concerning accounts in eastern sectors of Berlin should be directed to the Department of External Affairs. All applications for conversion must reach Berlin prior to June 30, 1950, in order to avoid disqualification.

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