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TITLE OF CASE FRANK JOSEPH CARACCI, aka		REPORT MADE BY SA JOHN C. McCURNIN, II	TYPED BY -vhl
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REFERENCE: New Orleans report of SA JOHN C. McCURNIN, II,
dated 7/11/69.

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INFORMANTS

Identity of Source

Contacted by

NO T-6 is NO 1336-PC

SA THOMAS L. COLARELLI

NO T-24 is NO 1677-C-TE

SA THOMAS E. DUHADWAY

NO T-38 is NO 1075-C

SA L. M. SHEARER, JR.

NO T-43 is NO 1675-C

SA MARTIN L. ONDREJKO

ACCOMPLISHMENTS CLAIMED						<input type="checkbox"/> NONE	ACQUIT- TALS	CASE HAS BEEN:
CONVIC.	AUTO.	FUG.	FINES	SAVINGS	RECOVERIES			
								PENDING OVER ONE YEAR <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO PENDING PROSECUTION OVER SIX MONTHS <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO

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NO T-42 is NO 1232-C-TE

Contacted by

SA REED W. JENSEN

LEADS:

NEW ORLEANS

AT METAIRIE, LOUISIANA. Will interview NICHOLAS J. GRAFFAGNINI, 839 Bonabel Boulevard upon his return from Detroit, Michigan.

AT NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA. Interview IRWIN SURGI upon his return from Lafayette, Louisiana, in November, 1969.

ADMINISTRATIVE:

On July 15, 1969, NO 1075-C advised he has borrowed many times from the Rex Finance Company, and only recently failed to make a payment on schedule, and someone at the company was giving him a bad credit reputation. Source therefore went to JOE BOHRER and severely reprimanded him, possibly included a threat, and left. Later MORRIS LANSBURG called source in and asked him to go easy with BOHRER, indicating that he was closely related and said "If you hurt him, you hurt me." Source advised that this LANSBURG is the same MORRIS LANSBURG that previously brought sack full of money (bills) to CARACCI at the amusement company office. The above was furnished to SA L. M. SHEARER, JR.

On August 12, 1969, source advised that EMANUEL LANSBURG, 544 Andrew Street, New Orleans, is LANSBURG who brought large amount of bills in a bag to CARACCI as reported in the past. This LANSBURG was present when CARACCI called the Flamingo Hotel in Las Vegas to get his gambling losses back. He told CARACCI not to worry about the losses when the losses were being discussed before the telephone call. NO 1075-C has not observed MORRIS LANSBURG, former owner of the Flamingo Hotel in Las Vegas in connection with CARACCI.

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NO 92-837

NO 1677-C-TE advised July 31, 1969, that FRANK CARACCI had informed him that the defense in the bribery case will be that the two men approached him on behalf of the IRS Agent and that he made no overt acts to the IRS Agent and delt strictly with the other men.

The above information was brought to the attention of US Departmental Attorney JOSEPH TAFE.

Investigative period of this report overlaps that of previous report as investigation not received in time to incorporate in same.

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**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION**

Copy to:

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Report of:
Date:

SA JOHN C. McCURNIN, II
September 15, 1969

Office: NEW ORLEANS

Field Office File #:

NO 92-837

Bureau File #: 92-10262

Title:

FRANK JOSEPH CARACCI

Character:

ANTI-RACKETEERING

Synopsis:

NO T-38 advised 7/15/69, CARACCI and CHARLIE PACE have been making trips to Las Vegas over past month. CHARLES VOLL, Agent, U.S. Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs, Detroit, Michigan advised that meeting between FRANK PROFACI and CARACCI at Detroit on 5/10/69 did not appear to have any special significance in hoodlum matters. [redacted] appeared before Federal Grand Jury. [redacted] and advised that [redacted]

JFK Law 10(a)2

NO T-6 advised CARACCI did, in fact, purchase CHARLIE PACE's interest in Palace Amusement for \$125,000, \$25,000 down and \$1,000 a month. T-24 advised 8/9/69, CARACCI had taken wife and family on Caribbean cruise for two weeks. Property records pertaining to FRANK CARACCI set out.

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DETAILS:

ASSOCIATES:

NO T-38 advised on July 15, 1969, that CARACCI is gaining more influence in New Orleans and who has in the past had to summon NOFIO PECORA, who now comes to CARACCI when summoned, when in the past CARACCI use to go to PECORA. NO T-38 advised July 15, 1969, that MORRIS STANSBURG, is an associate of FRANK CARACCI, and is believed by NO T-38 to have operated the Flamingo Hotel, Las Vegas, and appears to

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NO 92-837/mhl

Will report results of investigation outstanding in other divisions.

INFORMANTS:

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IDENTITY OF SOURCE

T-24 is NO 1677-C-TE

T-26 is NO 1697-PC

T-36 is PCI

T-37 is NO 1600-PC

T-38 is NO 1075-C

T-39 is LV 413-PC

T-40 is JERRY WILLIAMSON,
Metropolitan Crime Commission
New Orleans

T-41 is Mr. FOREST CAMPBELL
National Airlines, New
Orleans (by request)

CONTACTED BY

SA THOMAS E. DUHADWAY

SA JOHN C. MC CURNIN, II

SA THOMAS L. COLARELLI

SA THOMAS L. COLARELLI

SA L. M. SHEARER, JR.

Las Vegas Agent

SA THOMAS L. COLARELLI

SA WILLIAM F. KUSCH

ADMINISTRATIVE:

Agent Bob Robinson, Federal Bureau of Narcotics, New Orleans, advised that he has information that FRANK CARACCI has contracted an individual, name unknown, to "persuade" IRS Agent ADOLPH J. MOLINE, JR. to change his testimony regarding bribe attempt by CARACCI. ROBINSON stated that IRS has MOLINE's residence under constant surveillance in view of possible physical retaliation by CARACCI against MOLINE or his family.

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NO T-24 is NO 1677-C-TE

NO T-33 is Sgt. ASHTON CROSSEN,
Jefferson Parish Sheriff's
Office Intelligence

NO T-34 is NO 1675-C

NO T-35 is PAT HARLAN (protect
by request)

CONTACTED BY

SA THOMAS E. DUHADWAY

SA JOHN C. McCURNIN, II

SA MARTIN L. ONDREJKO

SA ROGER A. BOMBARDIER

ACCOMPLISHMENTS CLAIMED					None	ACQUIT- TALS	CASE HAS BEEN:
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NO T-36 is PCI [REDACTED]
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CONTACTED BY

SA THOMAS L. COLARELLI

LEADS

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CHICAGO

At Plainfield, Illinois. Obtain subscriber to telephone number 436-6269 and conduct credit and criminal investigation re this subscriber.

DETROIT

At South Field, Michigan. Will interview IRWIN J. SURGI concerning his acquaintanceship with FRANK JOSEPH CARACCI.

NEW ORLEANS

At Baton Rouge, Louisiana. Will determine subscribers to the following listed telephone numbers and also conduct credit and criminal investigation re these subscribers:

926-5355

921-5308

355-5779

357-8447

355-5778

343-2242

926-0800

343-2202

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		CHARACTER OF CASE AR	

REFERENCE: New Orleans report of SA JOHN C. MC CURNIN, 11/30/68.

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INFORMANTS:

IDENTITY OF SOURCE

NO T-24 is NO 1677-C-TE

NO T-26 is NO 1697-PC

CONTACTED BY

SA THOMAS E. DuHADWAY

SA JOHN C. MC CURNIN

NO 1734-PC advised that FRANK CARACCI is, on a continual basis, telephonically contacting DOROTHY CROWDER,

ACCOMPLISHMENTS CLAIMED					NONE	ACQUIT-TALS	CASE HAS BEEN:
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NO T-24 is NO 1677-C-TE

NO T-26 is NO 1697-PC

NO T-27 is NO 1600-PC

NO T-28 is PC ALVIN NUMA CAHALL

Accomplishments - NONE

CONTACTED BY.

SA THOMAS E. DUHADWAY

SA JOHN C. MC CURNIN, II

SA THOMAS L. COLARELLI

SA PATRICK J. COLLINS, JR.

Case has been: Pending over one year ☒ Yes ☐ No; Pending prosecution over six months ☐ Yes ☒ No

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NO T-29 is SD 1064-C-TE

SA JACK ARMSTRONG

NO T-30 is NO 1525-C

SA THOMAS E. DUHADWAY

NO T-31 is LV 361-PC

Las Vegas Agent

NO T-32 is LV 241-C-TE

Las Vegas Agent

LEADS

NEW ORLEANS

AT NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA 1. Will maintain contact with informants concerning subject's activities.

2. Will interview selected number of associates of CARACCI to determine his business interests and also his activities.

ADMINISTRATIVE:

Investigative period of this report overlaps that of previous report as investigation not received in time to incorporate in same.

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