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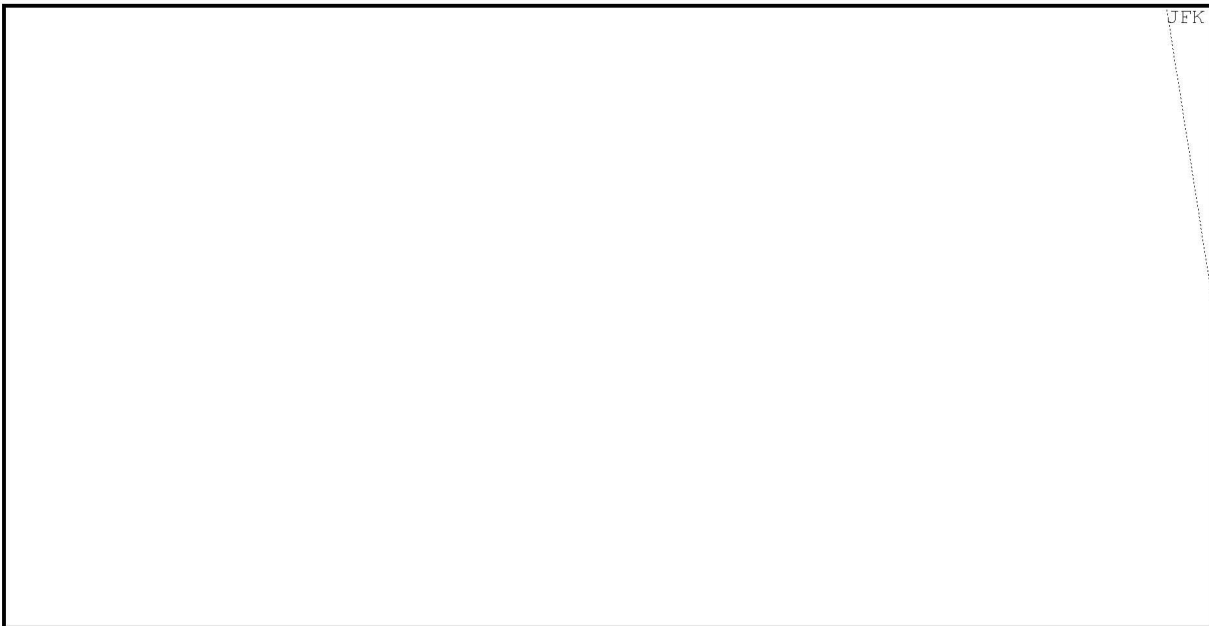
TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (92-3267) (RM)

FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (92-113C)

RE: JOHN ROSSELLI, aka
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According to information received from LA 4268C and LA 4396C*, ROSSELLI has been residing at his Los Angeles apartment during the past week.

On 10/30/63, LA 4268C, between 6:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m., observed ROSSELLI at the Friar's Club in Beverly Hills, California, and described ROSSELLI as being "half drunk."



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Inasmuch as the allegation that the persons found in CAMPBELL's residence were members of the FBI is completely false, the Bureau has been advised in a separate communication that CAMPBELL and CANTILLON will be interviewed concerning the allegation.

On 10/31/63, LA 4396-C², furnished information indicating that ROSSELLI planned to leave Los Angeles on that date via plane, probably for Las Vegas, Nevada.

On 11/1/63, information was received from the Intelligence Division of the Los Angeles Police Department that ROSSELLI, MAURICE H. FRIEDMAN, J. MENDOZA and B. WILLIAMS departed Los Angeles for Las Vegas on 10/31/63, via TWA flight 196 at 12:25 p.m.

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[redacted] PCI, advised that on 10/31/63, JOHN ROSSELLI came to the Beverly Crest Hotel in Beverly Hills, California, about 11:30 a.m., and visited with MAURICE FRIEDMAN, B. FRANK WILLIAMS and J. MENDOZA, who were staying at that hotel. Shortly after Rosselli's arrival, the four men left the hotel and informant believes they departed in ROSSELLI's automobile. Informant further advised that FRIEDMAN and WILLIAMS allegedly had a "big deal" going in Las Vegas and the four men were leaving for Las Vegas where they had to see several bankers. Informant has previously furnished information that B. FRANK WILLIAMS is a part owner of the Hotel Last Frontier Corporation in Las Vegas, as is also MAURICE FRIEDMAN. Informant advised that J. MENDOZA was from Las Vegas and possibly is an attorney. The current Las Vegas telephone

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directory lists a JOHN F. MENDOZA, an attorney, 130 Las Vegas Boulevard South, Las Vegas, Nevada.

PCI [redacted] advised that FRIEDMAN and WILLIAMS told him that they intended to return to the Beverly Crest Hotel on the evening of November 1, 1963. He did not know if ROSSELLI and/or MENDOZA intended to return at the same time. Informant said that from general conversation overheard by him between these four men prior to the time they left the hotel, he received the impression that possibly the Hotel Last Frontier Corporation or some other venture in which these men were interested was in the process of being dissolved. In this connection, it is known that for sometime FRIEDMAN and others connected with the Hotel Last Frontier Corporation have been endeavoring to sell some of their interests in this corporation.