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PAID LEWIS \$500 AS A PAYOFF RE POLICY. PRESENT INDICATIONS ARE THAT THERE ARE SEVERAL WILDCAT POLICY WHEELS IN THE 24TH WARD HOWEVER, THIS SITUATION IS NOT UNIQUE TO THE 24TH WARD ITSELF.

R.T. SPENCER, CHIEF INVESTIGATOR, STATES ATTORNEY'S OFFICE, COOK COUNTY AND RETIRED SA, FBI, ADVISED THAT THE PRIME SUSPECT IN THIS KILLING IS A NEGRO WHOSE IDENTITY HE IS NOT PUBLISHING. APPROXIMATELY TWO WEEKS AGO LEWIS PURPORTEDLY RECEIVED A THREAT BY A STATEMENT "IF YOU GET ELECTED YOU WON'T LIVE 24 HOURS." SPENCER ADVISED HE WAS UNABLE TO ESTABLISH ANY DEFINITE LINKS BETWEEN LEWIS' MURDER AND SYNDICATE ACTIVITY.

IT IS POINTED OUT THAT CHUCK AND SAM ENGLISH, CHICAGO HOODLUMS, CONDUCT SOME OF THEIR LEGITIMATE BUSINESS ACTIVITIES IN A PORTION OF THE 24TH WARD AS WELL AS IN THE 29TH WARDS. NO INFORMATION HAS BEEN DEVELOPED INDICATING ANY DISPLEASURE WITH LEWIS ON THE PART OF THE ENGLISHS. NOTED CG 6486-C\* REPORTED ON PRESENCE OF CHARLES ENGLISH AND GIANCANA FEBRUARY 27 LAST FOR ABOUT TWO HOURS NO MENTION OF LEWIS MADE. CG 6512-CTE WHO IS EXTREMELY CLOSE TO THE ENGLISH OPERATION KNOWS OF NO DISSATISFACTION OR PROBLEMS BETWEEN LEWIS AND ENGLISH BROTHERS.

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TODAY CG 5875-C ADVISED THAT RICKY (LNU) NEGRO MALE FORMER NARCOTICS PUSHER ADVISED THE INFORMANT YESTERDAY AS FOLLOWS. RICKY FORMERLY PUSHED NARCOTICS FOR ONE "TENNESSEE," A NEGRO MALE, WHO OPERATES A GROCERY STORE ON CHICAGO'S SOUTHSIDE. RICKY STATED ALDERMAN LEWIS AND TENNESSEE WERE IN NARCOTICS OPERATIONS TOGETHER AND FREQUENTLY EXCHANGED LOANS OR INVESTMENT MONEY TO PURCHASE HEROIN. RICKY STATED LEWIS PRESENTLY HEAVILY IN DEBT AND WAS LOANED SUM OF MONEY BY TENNESSEE LAST WEEK. RICKY STATED TENNESSEE EARNS \$2,500 TO \$4,000 PER WEEK ON NARCOTICS TRADE.

CLOSE CONTACT BEING MAINTAINED WITH ALL INFORMANTS BOTH TECHNICAL AND LIVE AND TO DATE NO INDICATIONS LEWIS DEATH ATTRIBUTED TO CHICAGO SYNDICATE. BUREAU WILL BE KEPT ADVISED.

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