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SAC, Philadelphia

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ANGELO BEUNO. aka

1 - J. D. Donohue 1 - Mr. Flynn 1 - Mr. Kelly

Re your FD-143 dated 1/13/65.

Authority granted to continue PH 714-C\* for an additional 90-day period. If this source does not produce significant information during this period, you should give consideration to recommending that the source be discontinued.

Angelo Bruno is the powerful La Cosa Nostra underworld leader in Philadelphia. This source is a CATcwhiel is located in the automobile of PH 614-C-TE, a valuable top echelon informant of the Philadelphia Office who has on occasion allowed Bruno to use this vehicle. Philadelphia Office reports that during the past two-month period source has produced only limited information of value. It dad report information concerning a trip Bruno made with Philip C. Testa, a "capo" in La Cosa Nostra, to Trenton, New Jersey, where they met John Simone, who is also a "capo" in La Cosa Nostra. Philadelphia Office reports that during the past two months source was operative on 12 occasions; however, in many of these instances persons in contact with Bruno did not appear to have any importance with respect to the Bureau's investigation The cost of maintaining this source is minimail. the past Bruno has used this car when he did not want to be surveilled and therefore did not use his personally owned vehicle. In view of the potential of this source, recommend Philadelphia be authorized to continue source for an additional 90-day period.

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PH 591-C\* currently in operation at 1100 South 11th Street,

Not Applicable

If installation is a technical surveil tance, answer following questions:

Is the surveillance on a public coin-operated telephone?

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Is a trunk line utilized?

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Is the surveillance on a switchboard?

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d. Is surveillance on a private line or a party line?

NA

- e. If a party line, how many parties? NA
- 7. If a microphone surveillance involved, state number of microphones actually used and location of each:

One "CAT" unit.

8. Is the installation part of a tel-mike? If so, give symbol of other side of the combination:

NA

- 9. Specific examples of valuable information obtained since previous report with indication of specific value of each item and the date information received. State what use was made of each item involved: (Add insert pages)

  See attached sheets.
- 10. Could above information have been obtained from other sources and by other means?

No.

11. Number of live informants (in field division) who cover same subject:

PH 614-C-TE PH 672-C-TE

12. Has security factor changed since installation?

No.

13. Any request for the surveillance by outside agency (give name, title and agency):

No.

- 14. Cost of Plant Premises:
  - a. Rental costs for plant premises: NA
  - b. Give total number of other surveillances monitored at same plant.

    25 Watt "transmitter" installed Philadelphia Office

CP; however, "CAT" unit lacks range enabling transmitter, above to receive information except infrequently. Bureau autos by SA's, utilizing channel Two, monitor when BRUNO using unit.

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- c. If any others, set out the proportionate cost of instant surveillance: NA
- 15. Cost of Leased Line for instant installation?

NA

- 16. Personnel Costs:
  - a. Give total number of special employees and/or Special Agents working at plant and total salary costs.

It is estimated two agent days per month devoted to coverage of this unit.

- b. Total number of man hours per week spent at plant? NA
- c. If other installations monitored at same plant, list proportionate number of man hours per week spent on instant surveillance:

NA

d. If other installations monitored at same plant, list proportionate salary expense per annum for instant surveillance:

AN

17. Remarks (By SAC):

Source was established primarily to cover BRUNO when he exchanges his car for informant's car and leaves this Division. Source also used to assist other Offices in covering BRUNO on these trips. Suggest source be continued.