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NK 2207-C-TE on 1/22/68, furnished the following information to SA BERTIE J. WRISTON, JR.:

JOHN "SONNY" FRANZESE met with JOSEPH "WHITEY" DANZO on 1/18/68, in NYC. The purpose of the meeting - set up by FRANZESE - was to determine on whose side is SAL PROFACI, JR., in the JOE BONANNO dispute, and what was DANZO's attitude toward a situation in which "something" may happen to SAL PROFACI, JR. FRANZESE definitely left the impression that JOE and BILL BONANNO would be "hit" and that SAL PROFACI, JR., would also be "hit" if he chose allegiance with JOE and BILL BONANNO.

FRANZESE is a Godfather to some of "WHITEY" DANZO's children. SAL PROFACI, JR., is married to DANZO's daughter. BILL BONANNO is married to SAL PROFACI, JR.'s sister.

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 - (1-92-220) (JOE BONANNO)
 - (1-92-) (JOHN "SONNY" FRANZESE)
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 - (1-92-) (JOE YAKOVELLI)

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NK 2207-C-TE said DANZO realized what FRANZESE was driving at, since prior to the above questions, FRANZESE had treated him to a big dinner and drinks, during part of which FRANZESE talked about how JOE BONANNO had fouled things up, had tried to throw his weight around and grab everything for himself.

DANZO told FRANZESE he did not care what happened to SAL PROFACI, JR., as long as SAL's wife and kids were provided for.

Informant said DANZO is not a made member of LCN, but is under FRANK SALERNO, age 70-72, 5'8" - 10", slender build, brown eyes, thinning gray hair, wears tinted glasses and expensive clothes, resides Lafayette St., just off Prince St., NYC. SALERNO is DANZO's cousin and is a "consuleri" in the GENOVESE LCN "family".

Informant said SAL PROFACI, JR., is in the JOE COLOMBO "family" of LCN and his "captain" is JOE YAKOVELLI.

NYO is requested to send Newark background information and a photograph of FRANK SALERNO.