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Original and one copy of letterhead memorandum characterizing informants utilized in instant report.

#### ADMINISTRATIVE

NY T-1, in instant report, advised SAS HARRIS J.
MILLER and THEODORE F. BRUHL on 10/22/62, that MAURICE FREIDMAN
of the firm, I. FREIDMAN, "was with ABE CHAIT" and the informant
gave a reason for his statement. This information is set out in
the details of this report. In addition to that information,
the informant gave the following additional reason for his
statement that FREIDMAN "was with ABE CHAIT" and this information
is being set forth here so as not to disclose the identity of
the informant.

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NY T-l advised on October 22, 1962, that he, the informant, had got an account with Miss MAUD that FREIDMAN had formerly had, and that he got this account by cutting FREIDMAN's prices. The informant stated that FREIDMAN subsequently contacted him and told him to get out of the account. The informant said he then contacted JACK LIEBERMAN, an official in the Miss Maud Firm, and who is a close friend of ABE CHAIT, and advised LIEBERMAN of what FREIDMAN had said. The informant advised that LIEBERMAN, in the informant's presence, called ABE CHAIT and advised CHAIT that he, LIEBERMAN, gave CHAIT a lot of business and asked CHAIT to keep FREIDMAN out of the account. The informant said he has not heard anymore about this matter from FREIDMAN.

#### INDIVIDUALS CONTACTED IN OTHER CASES

JAMES RUBERTONE of Master Truckmen of America was contacted, as set out in the details of this report, in connection with the investigation of JOHNNY ODDO, NY file 92-673.

LOUIS SCHRAGER, mentioned as an associate of ABE CHAIT, in instant report, is the subject of a pending ITAR-Gambling investigation, NY file 166-50, in which Miami is the office of origin.

GEORGE KAPLAN, attorney for Master Truckmen of America, as mentioned in instant report, was contacted in the case relative to JOSEPH STRACI, NY file 92-686.

INFORMANTS	CONTACTED BY
NY T-1 PCI	SAS THEODORE F. BRUHL and JOHN R. KINSINGER (9/5/62)
	SAS THEODORE F. BRUHL and HARRIS J. MILLER (10/22/62)
NY T-2 NY 2512-C	SA JOSEPH GAMBLE
NY T-3 Former PCI	SA THEODORE F. BRUHL

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#### INFORMANTS (CONT'D)

CONTACTED BY

NY T-4 NY 99-C SA ARTHUR P. DUFFY

Careful consideration was given to each source concealed and T symbols utilized only in those instances where the identities of the sources must be concealed.

LEADS

NEW YORK

### At New York, New York

Will maintain contact with NY T-1, in instant report, for any information he may obtain relative to subject.

Will determine the principals in the firm Barony Fashions, 501 Seventh Avenue, New York City.

Will attempt to determine data relative to Philip Wise Stores, such as the principals in this firm, and specifically information relative to their having gone bankrupt, to determine if subject ever connected with the firm in any way.

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