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Memorandum

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FROM : SAC, NEW ORLEANS (92-257)

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OF INFORMATION ON RACKETEERS
CRIMINAL INTELLIGENCE PROGRAM - GeneralOto P HoodlumReBulet to Albany 6/14/60 and Buairtel to Albany
6/22/60.

Following receipt in this office of Bulet to Albany 5/29/59, concerning "Requests for Information From FBI Files, Offices of U. S. Attorneys, Top Hoodlum Program"; this office did not receive requests from the USA in New Orleans, the USA in Jackson, Mississippi, or the USA in Shreveport, Louisiana, for memoranda concerning background information on top hoodlums in the New Orleans area.

Consequently, upon receipt of the Bureau's 6/14/60 letter, it was necessary to prepare memoranda concerning top hoodlums CARLOS MARCELLO and JOSEPH ALBERT PORETTO, which memoranda are attached.

The confidential sources referred to in these memoranda are set out as follows:

Confidential Source 1 - RAYMOND L. ROLLING, a PCI of the New Orleans Office, who formerly operated a handbook in Jefferson Parish and is well acquainted with the gambling element in that area.

Confidential Source 2 - a former criminal informant of the New Orleans Office who is an accomplished professional gambler, well acquainted among the gambling element in Jefferson Parish.

- 2 - Bureau (Enc. 8)
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Confidential Source 3 - [REDACTED] a gambler
presently operating in Jefferson Parish, Louisiana.

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Confidential Source 4 - [REDACTED] former
associate with CARLOS MARCELLO and FRANK COSTELLO in operation
of the Beverly Country Club. [REDACTED] presently is managing
the Beverly Country Club property, which is open on a
seasonal basis in Jefferson Parish.

Confidential Source 5 - BEN J. SHEAR, a former
PCI, presently operating an agency selling ice making
machines to bars, night clubs and restaurants in New
Orleans. SHEAR is a long time acquaintance of CARLOS
MARCELLO and formerly operated a number of pinball and
slot machines in New Orleans and Jefferson Parish.