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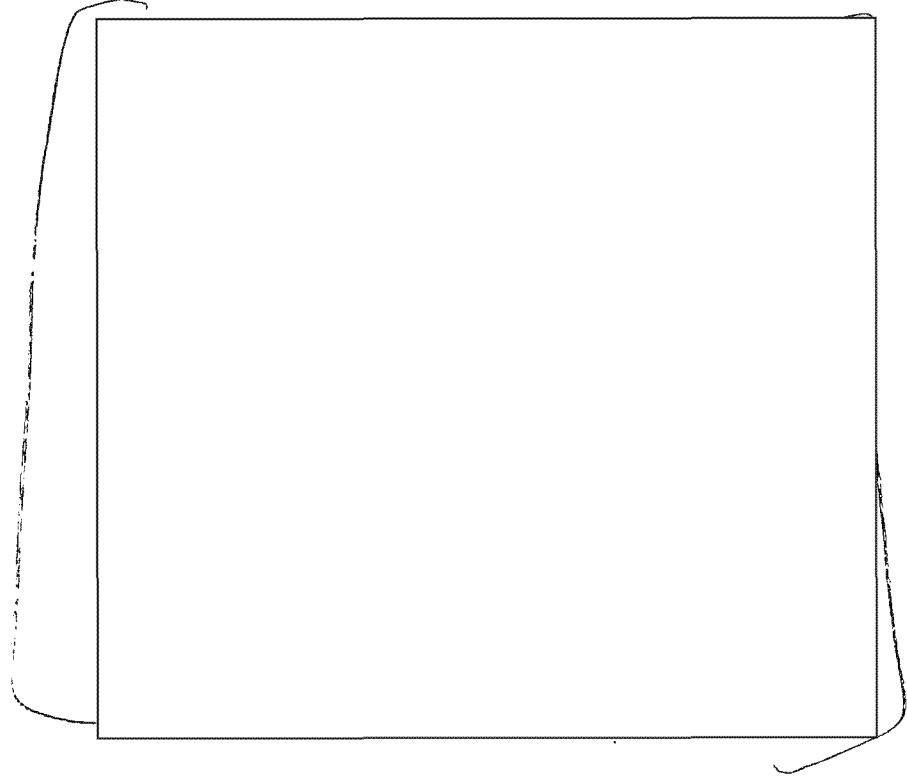
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Dear Mr. Houston:

On January 15, 1967, agents of the Bureau of Customs arrested three men at Tamiami Airport, Dade County, Florida, as they were preparing to depart in an airplane carrying bombs, napalm, and some small arms. The men were charged with violating Title 22, United States Code, Section 1934. The United States Attorney for the Southern District of Florida is presenting this matter to a grand jury and will seek an indictment which probably will charge offenses under 22 U.S.C. 1934, 18 U.S.C. 960, and 49 U.S.C. 1522. The following individuals are possible defendants under the prospective indictment:



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[Redacted] was among those arrested at Tamiami Airport, but he is not expected to be named as a defendant in the indictment. P3

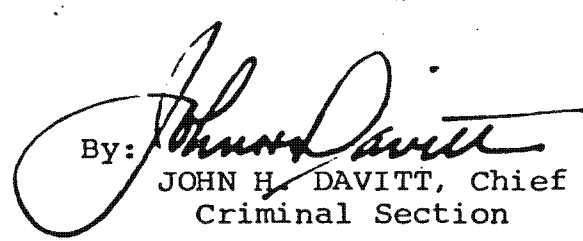
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We would appreciate any comments or observations you might wish to make relative to any operational interest which your agency may have currently or may have had in the past with respect to any of the individuals named above, including [Redacted]. In the event of any such past or present interest, we would appreciate your comments as to whether the disclosure of such interest would be detrimental to your Agency's operations. P3

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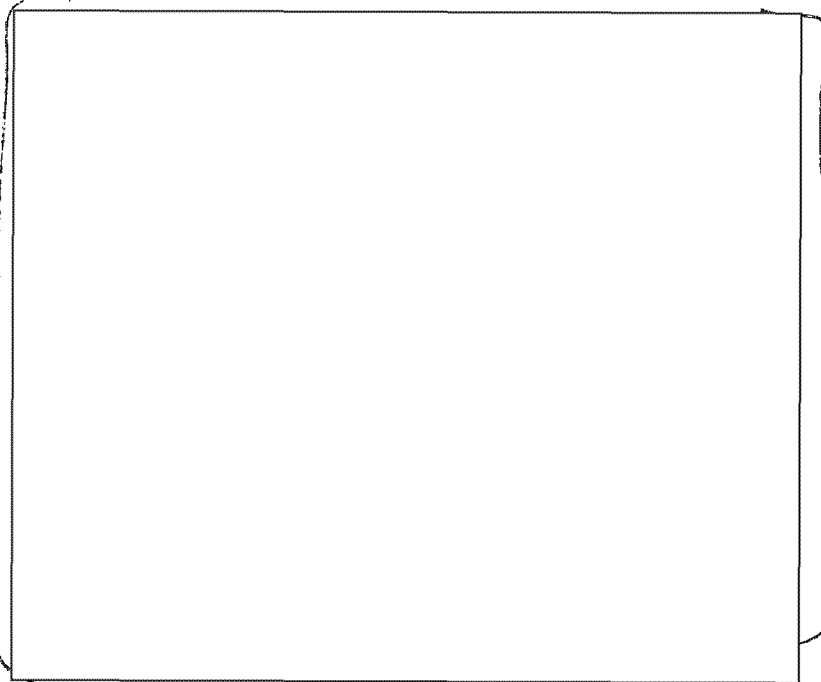
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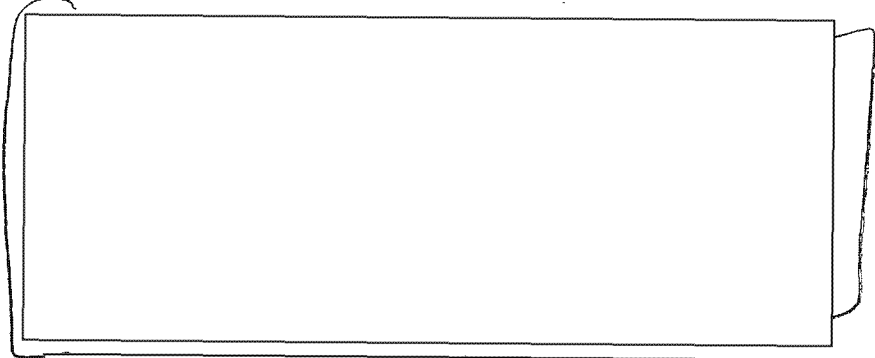
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