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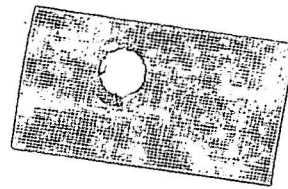
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Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (105-80291)
FROM: SAC, CLEVELAND (105-3877)
RE: DOMINICK EDWARD BARTONE, aka.
IS-CUBA
RA-CUBA
(OO: MIAMI)

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
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On 1/9/61, DUDLEY A. SMITH, US Probation Office, CV, advised that on that date, subject had visited the Probation Office to obtain permission to travel to New York City, Boston, Toronto and Welland, Ont. on business leaving CV 1/10/61. BARTONE also indicated he might have to fly to Miami on 1/13/61 to appear in Federal Court for a hearing on his petition to vacate his sentence which he, subject, said had been filed during his trip to Miami in Dec., 1960. He also told SMITH that the balance due on his fine, \$4,750.00, had been paid into the court in Miami.

SMITH said he did not know if any of this was true and that nothing had been received from the USDC in Miami re the matter.

SMITH said that the US Probation Office in CV had received calls from unnamed persons late in 1960 requesting that the Probation Office initiate proceedings with the Federal Court in Miami to have BARTONE's sentence reduced. SMITH said that of course, no such action was

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taken by his office. He said he did not know how subject could get his sentence vacated but indicated that in the past it was believed Teamsters Union pressure was used in behalf of BARTONE, who, though not connected with the Union, was formerly said to be close to LOUIS "BABE" TRISCARO, a Cleveland Teamsters Union official.

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On 1/9/61, CV 428-C advised SA W. CLARK FULLER that subject and WILLIAM J. BAPST of Miami reportedly in the "sugar business" together, buying boat loads of sugar in Cuba from where it is ostensibly shipped to another island and then transhipped into the US, port of entry not known.