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FROM SAC, CHICAGO 92-373

GUS ALEX, AKA, AR. DAILY SUMMARY. MRS PATRICK CURRAN, EVERGREEN PARK, ILL., ADVISED THAT HER HUSBAND DOES LANDSCAPING WORK IN HIS SPARETIME. SHE STATED THAT ABOUT TWO YEARS AGO MRS. NICK ALEX, MOTHER OF SUBJECT, HAD CONTACTED HER HUSBAND BY PHONE AND REQUESTED HER HUSBAND TO CARE FOR THE LAWN OF MRS. ALEX. SHE STATED THAT FOR THE PAST TWO YEARS HER HUSBAND HAS BEEN MOWING THE LAWN AT THE RESIDENCE OF MRS. ALEX, BUT HAS DONE NO LARGE SCALE LANDSCAPING WORK FOR HER. SHE STATED THAT ABOUT TWO YEARS AGO THE LAWN OF MRS. ALEX WAS COMPLETELY RESODDED BY AN UNKNOWN LANDSCAPER. SHE STATED THAT THE FEE PAID HER HUSBAND BY MRS. ALEX IN NOMINAL AND IS ONLY ~~IS ONLY~~ FOR HIS SERVICE FOR CUTTING THE GRASS. SHE STATED THAT SHE IS NOT ACQUAINTED WITH GUS ALEX NOR IS HER HUSBAND AND KNOWS NOTHING CONCERNING HIS ACTIVITIES, EXCEPT WHAT SHE HAS READ IN THE NEWSPAPERS. SHE SAID SHE HAS NEVER SEEN ALEX AND IS QUITE CERTAIN THAT HER HUSBAND HAS NOT OBSERVED HIM AT THE RESIDENCE OF MRS. ALEX. SHE STATED SHE RECENTLY VISITED HER DENTIST, DR. MAURICE P. GOLDMAN, THIRTY FIFTH AND HALSTED, AND WAS TOLD BY DR. GOLDMAN THAT GUS ALEX WAS ONE OF HIS PATIENTS. DR. GOLDMAN DID NOT INDICATE TO HER HOW RECENTLY HE HAD DONE WORK FOR ALEX OR HOW WELL ACQUAINTED HE WAS WITH ALEX. CGG SIX FOUR FOUR THREE C ADVISED THAT THE BRAVOS

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BROTHERS HAVE BEEN OPERATING SOME KIND OF A CARD GAME AND POSSIBLY OTHER GAMBLING ACTIVITIES IN A POOL ROOM LOCATED AT WESTERN AVE. AT CHICAGO. PETER ROSA, AN EMPLOYEE OF THE CHI DASH WEST BILLARDS, TWO FOUR ZERO SIX WEST CHICAGO AVE., INTERVIEWED IN ABSENCE OF OWNER, JAMES DALAKAS. ROSA SAID HE WAS NOT ACQUAINTED WITH THE BRAVOS BROTHERS AND THAT EXCEPT FOR A FRIENDLY GAME OF GIN RUMMY WHICH TAKES PLACE IN THE BACK ROOM OF THE POOL ROOM OCCASIONALLY HE KNEW OF NO OTHER GAMBLING ACTIVITIES AT THE CHI DASH WEST BILLARDS. HE STATED HE WAS NOT ACQUAINTED WITH GUS ALEX. PCI FRANK LA CROIX ADVISED THAT THE AUTO USED BY BUTCH LADON, CHAUFFEUR FOR ALEX, HAS NOT BEEN OBSERVED BY HIM AT THE GARAGE AT ONE FIVE FIVE ZERO LAKE SHORE DRIVE, RESIDENCE OF LADON, SINCE JUNE SEVEN, LAST. IT IS TO BE NOTED THAT CG SIX FOUR FIVE ZERO C ASTERISK HAS ADVISED IN THE RECENT PAST HE HAD OBTAINED INFORMATION FROM LADON THAT LADON PLANNED TO ATTEND THE GRADUATION OF ONE OF HIS RELATIVES IN NEW YORK DURING THE EARLY PART OF JUNE. INFORMANT STATED THAT LADON HAD MENTIONED HE WOULD LIKE TO GET AWAY FRMM CHICAGO FOR ABOUT A WEEK WHEN HE ATTENDS THE GRADUATION CEREMONIES AND THAT HE WOULD LIKE TO DRIVE TO NEW YORK. INFORMANT STATED THAT HE HAD NO T OBSERVED LADON IN CHICAGO SINCE JUNE SEVEN, LAST, AND PRESUMED THAT HE HAD DRIVEN TO NEW YORK. ALEX ARMED AND DANGEROUS WITH SUICIDAL TENDENCIES.

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