

PH 92-444

*3. Will make concentrated effort to ascertain the residence of ANGELO BRUNO when staying in Miami, Fla.

*4. Will endeavor through displaying subject's photograph at the Miami Airport, to learn if subject is known as a frequent traveler between Miami and Havana, Cuba. If this investigation proves successful, will endeavor to arrange cooperation of the interested airlines so that the Miami Division can be apprised of the subject's movements.

*5. Will ascertain if BRUNO's business partner in Miami, IRVING CAREY, is now in possession of his 1958 Cadillac, 1958 Florida registration 1WW 3536, noting that this automobile has not been recently observed in the Philadelphia Division.

6. Will interview BEN GALLUP, 2820 Northwest 7th Avenue, Miami, Fla., telephone Jefferson 4-2317, noting that PH 269-C advises that this is BRUNO's main contact in Miami, Fla.

7. Will recontact MM 655-C who you will note advised SA ROBERT F. FETZNER on 12/24/58 that he had dined with ANGELO BRUNO at the Luau Restaurant, North Bay Village, Fla., on 11/19/58. Will attempt to learn from this informant the nature of BRUNO's activities in Miami, BRUNO's residence in Miami, BRUNO's contemplated movements so far as his alleged gambling interest in Havana, Cuba, is concerned; principally ascertain if BRUNO intends to return to Philadelphia due to recent events in Havana.

8. Will consider interview of (FNU) BRUNO, a councilman in North Miami Beach, who is supposedly, according to MM 655-C, a relative of ANGELO BRUNO, for information regarding BRUNO's activities in Miami.

AT TAMPA, FLA.

It does not now appear pertinent to ascertain the relationship between the owner of Florida registration 3WW 976 and VICTOR CALAMARO, criminal associate of BRUNO, as the Philadelphia Division contemplates interviewing CALAMARO in the near future.

NEWARK

AT ATLANTIC CITY, N.J.

Will maintain contact with former NK Confidential Informant

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JOSEPH MICHAEL CLETHERO and other Sources of Information who have reported that CARL "PAPPY" IPPOLITO and others were involved in a gambling casino in Havana, Cuba, with ANGELO BRUNO.

AT CAMDEN, N.J.

* Will ascertain the identity of subscribers to Laurel Springs, N.J., telephone number 4-2971-W and Dudley 6-4624 and if pertinent ascertain through established sources the connection between these subscribers and VICTOR CALAMARO, ANGELO BRUNO's criminal associate; or the subject.

PHILADELPHIA

AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

- *1. Will continue effort to get handwriting specimens of ANGELO BRUNO.
2. Will obtain results, if any, of toll calls made from BRUNO's Philadelphia residence.
3. Will report information received from contacts of confidential informants relating to ANGELO BRUNO's activities.
4. Will maintain contact with Philadelphia Detective MICHAEL KROTKIN in an endeavor to learn of BRUNO's movements in and out of Philadelphia.
5. Will consider interview of VICTOR CALAMARO and other criminal associates of ANGELO BRUNO, for explicit details of subject's activities.

Administrative Data

One copy of instant report is being furnished for the Legal Attache in Havana, Cuba as current investigation is being conducted in regard to BRUNO's activities there.

The extended period in this investigation was to avoid submitting a status report to the Bureau. The Bureau however has been kept advised of the pertinent developments in the investigation of ANGELO BRUNO.

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Informants

T-1 THERESA DOUGHERTY, Bell Telephone Company of Pennsylvania,
11/12/58, to SE E. DAVIS PORTER.

T-2 Philadelphia Police Officer LEONARD RUTIGLIANO, 12/29/58
to SA JOSEPH A. VERICA (name protected at his request)

T-3 Newark 1741-CS (undisclosed date).

T-4 NK PCI PAUL "SKINNY" D'AMATO on 9/16/58 to SA CHARLES B.
FLACK, Jr.

T-5 Former NK CI JOSEPH MICHAEL CLETHERO, to unidentified
Agent on 10/29/58.

T-6 PH 269-C to SA DALE M. Hiestand, 11/6/58.

T-7 MM 655-C to SA ROBERT F. FETZNER, 12/24/58.

T-8 PH 517-C, to SA J. ROBERT PEARCE, on 12/10/58.

T-9 PH 514-C to SA J. ROBERT PEARCE, on 11/25/58.

Criminal Informant Coverage

PH 251-C South Philadelphia racket figure widely acquainted with
racket element. Has identified BRUNO's associates and
illegal activities.

PH 269-C Closely associated with subject. Has journeyed to Miami,
Fla., with BRUNO.

PH 517-C A numbers writer. Friendly with PHILIP TESTA, BRUNO's
lieutenant.

PH 518-C A local prostitute, formerly married to racket figure.
Knows BRUNO and many of his associates.

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PH 489-C Numbers writer. Bootlegger. Familiar with BRUNO's activities.

PCI MORRIS KOVLER Old-time bootlegger. Gambler. Widely acquainted. Knows subject.

PCI ROSE ROSETTI Widely acquainted, South Philadelphia racket element. Resides near BRUNO's Philadelphia residence. Long-time association with BRUNO family.

PCI ELIZABETH ROSETTI Girl friend of local numbers banker. Widely acquainted local racket element. Resides close to and knows ANGELO BRUNO.

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☐ TOTAL DENIAL

During November 1958 Philadelphia Confidential Informant T-6 stated that he had no personal knowledge as to the whereabouts of BRUNO but was positive BRUNO was in Florida or Havana, Cuba. T-6 related that MARIO MAGGIO, son of MICHAEL MAGGIO (Philadelphia Top Hoodlum) as well as ANGELO BRUNO, told him that BRUNO has a "piece" of the Notel Niconale, Havana, Cuba. According to T-6 MARIO MAGGIO knows the whereabouts of ANGELO BRUNO at all times. T-6 said however, that BRUNO's main contact at Miami, Fla., is BEN GALLUP who controls the pinball machine business for the Italian group in that city. GALLUP's address is 2820 Northwest 7th Avenue, Miami, Fla., telephone number Jefferson 42317, according to T-6. T-6 said that he knows that BRUNO frequents this address when in Florida. He said this address is a business establishment where BEN GALLUP as well as an individual MIKE (INU) operate. MIKE supposedly controls the juke box business for the Italian group.

T-6 stated that he knows that BEN GALLUP at least on one occasion, met ANGELO BRUNO at the Miami Airport when BRUNO was arriving in Miami. He noted that BRUNO usually traveled between Philadelphia and Miami by airlines.

On December 31, 1958, the Miami Division advised that Philadelphia Confidential Informant T-7 had during December 1958, related that ANGELO BRUNO dined at the Luau Restaurant, North Bay Village, Fla., on November 19, 1958. BRUNO, according to T-7, had a "piece" of the Plaza Hotel gambling casino, Havana, Cuba., with CARL SAMUEL, "PAPPY" IPPOLITO, FBI No. 773655, and RAYMOND EDWARD BRALYNSKI, aka. Harry Brown. IPPOLITO and BROWN are Trenton, N.J., gamblers and supposedly control the nickelodeons in Cuba. T-7 advised (FNU) BRUNO, a councilman in North Miami Beach, Fla., as a relative; and JOE MILLSTEIN, a night club owner and shylock, as a friend, of ANGELO BRUNO.

On December 12, 1958, CARL CIPRIANI, Alcohol and Tobacco Tax Agent, Philadelphia, advised SA PEARCE as follows: From March 1955 to April 1956, he operated in an undercover capacity becoming widely acquainted with or receiving information about, members of the racket element, primarily Italian, in the South Philadelphia area. CIPRIANI identified, based on his experience, MARCO REGINELLI, as the former leader of the Greaser Gang in Philadelphia before his death. He said after REGINELLI's death, the New Jersey element of the gang wanted one of their