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CASE 31735 RPT 31765, RECORD VA 46609 RPT 43609

CAN YOU GIVE US ANY IDEA OF WHEN AND IF WE WILL GET A D RPT D AND
B RPT B REPORT ON PERMINDEX AND WORLD TRADE CENTER?

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Chief, New York Office

30 November 1959

Chief, Contact Division (Support)

New Case 31785

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1. Commercial Staff has requested a Dun & Bradstreet report on Perminex Ltd., a Swiss Corporation registered in Bern, Jan 1956, and its affiliate formed in Rome, Centro Mondiale Commerciale (World Trade Center). We are advised that Dr. Ferenc Nagy, former Prime Minister of Hungary, is president of Perminex. A-79697

2. Attached is outline of information desired on the two organizations. If the D & B report does not contain the financial information desired, would you please try to obtain this information through your bank sources.

E. M. ASHCRAFT

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1. BE THE TWO PAPERS FOR BACKGROUND

A) N.Y. TIMES, 31 AUGUST 1959 - 31 AUGUST 1959

3) DAILY AMERICAN, ROME & ROME, 2-12 NOV 1958 & 2-12 NOV 1958

2. ONE OF DIRECTOR ENRICO MANDEL-MANTELLI & ENRICO MANDEL-MANTELLI
WAS RECENTLY IN U.S. & U.S. EXPECT TO BE BACK TO N.Y.C. ABOUT 17 JAN 1963
& 17 JAN 1962. HE IS ONE OF DIRECTOR AND ALSO DESCRIBED AS IN CHARGE
OF ADMINISTRATIVE AFFAIRS.

3. ADDRESS: DUFOURTE 11, BASEL & DUFOURTE 11, BASEL

CAPITAL - 1 EPT 1 MILLION SWISS FRANC.

OFFICER - DR. FERENC NAGY & DR. FERENC NAGY, PRESIDENT

FRITZ CHURCH & FRITZ CHURCH, V.P.

DR. ERNST W. INFELD & DR. ERNST W. INFELD, DELEGATE

DR. ERNST FEIST & DR. ERNST FEIST

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DO. REPORT FOLLOWING V. 11079
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CHAD OFFICE LA TRANSFERRED FROM BUREAU TO DATE IN 1936 & 1936.

4. THEY PLAY TO OFFICE IN JAN 1960 JAN 1960.

5. WILL TRY TO OBTAIN MORE DETAIL LATER.

LITTLE INFO AVAILABLE NOW.

6. SHALL WE SEND A NY REPORT TO DO. FOR DO-ACT DO-ACT CREDIT

SOURCE: ALFRED BARTH

CHASE MANHATTAN BANK

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23 December 1959

Chief, DD/S-CH
ATTN: Mr. Charles P. White

Chief, Contact Division, OO

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Peraindex, Ltd and World Trade Center

REF : Your memorandum dated 23 Nov 1959 - CD/CO Case 31785

1. As you were previously advised, Dun & Bradstreet had no available information on either of the subject concerned. However, a bank source of this office has provided the following preliminary information.

2. For background our source suggested that we refer to the New York Times, 31 August 1959 and the Daily American, Rome, 9-10 November 1958. One of the directors, also described as being in charge of administrative affairs, Enrico Mandel Mantello, was recently in the US and expects to return to New York City about 17 Jan 1960.

3. The address of Peraindex is Dufourster 11, Basel (office transferred from Born to Basel in 1956). They plan to open a New York City office in January 1960. Capital: One million French Francs. Officers: Dr. Ferenc Nagy, President; Fritz Schurch, Vice President; Dr. Ernst W. Infeld, Delegate; Dr. Ernst Felast; Dr. Ernst Hollender.

4. We will forward additional information as it becomes available. We are also trying to obtain information from the U.S. Chamber of Commerce and National Association of Manufacturers.

5. If you have any questions please contact Lillian I. Grant, extension 2268.

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Chief, DD/S - CM
ATTN: Mr. Charles P. White

22 January 1960

Chief, Contact Division, OO

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PERMEX, Ltd. and World Trade Center

REF : Your memorandum dated 23 November 1959, CD/CO Case 31785

1. Attached for your retention is a brochure on subject organizations which was received by National Association of *A-2442*
Manufacturers about early November 1959.

2. NAW also suggested that additional information might be obtained from Lloyd McMahon, now Federal Judge of Southern District Court, New York City, who was formerly General Counsel for PERMEX, Ltd. If you wish our New York Office to pursue this lead, please let us know. *567472*

3. As we believe Mr. Crowley advised you, the Foreign Department of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce does not maintain records of individual foreign companies. C of C suggested that the World Trade Division, Dept. of Commerce might have some information which we presume you have already checked out.

4. Please advise William I. Grant, CD/CO, Support Branch, extension 2268, of further wishes concerning this subject.

Z. M. ASHCRAFT

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