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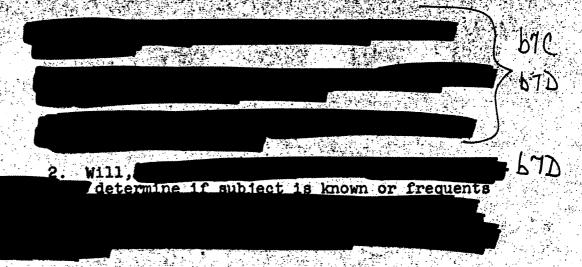
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3. Will attempt to determine the degree of frequency with which subject is using the Miami, Florida, and determine the extent of his activity.

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- 1. Will continue investigation at the Diplomat and Aristocrat Hotel in an effort to develop additional information regarding subject's current activities.
 - 2. Will maintain contact with

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PENETRATION OF SUBJECT'S ACTIVITIES

With respect to MEYER LANSKY, the accessibility, productivity, and security of utilizing extraordinary investigative techniques have been discussed individually and in conferences.

It should be noted that LANSKY moved into a new home in an exclusive residential district, Golden Isles, located in Hallandale, Florida. This area consists entirely of reclaimed land and has been planned so that canals and waterways separate each street. There is only one entrance into the entire district. LANSKY resides at 612 Hibiscus Drive, which is located on a There are three other homes at widely dead end. separated points on the street. A canal is located at the immediate rear of the LANSKY home and a large open lot is located south of the home. No homes have yet been built directly in front of his residence. As a result, his home commands a view of his entire street, the waterway in front of his house and the street beyond the waterway. There are no motels or hotels within a mile of the residence.

It is felt that the use of extraordinary investigative techniques would not be feasible at his residence.

Further, spot surveillances and contact with does not indicate any unusual degree of activity at his residence.

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LANSKY is still in somewhat of a recuperative state following his illness, and is not active. Since he has been removed from Cuban gambling advise there is no indication that he is involved in any sort of business activity, legal or illegal. However, LANSKY does spend considerable time at the Aristocrat Hotel and Diplomat Hotel, Hollywood, Florida, and at BEN GAINES' Skyway Motel, Miami, Florida. This matter will be explored further to determine if some place outside of LANSKY's residential area is susceptible to such techniques.

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Title:

MEYER LANSKY

Character:

ANTI-RACKETEERING

Synopsis:

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Subject continues to reside, Hallandale, Florida.

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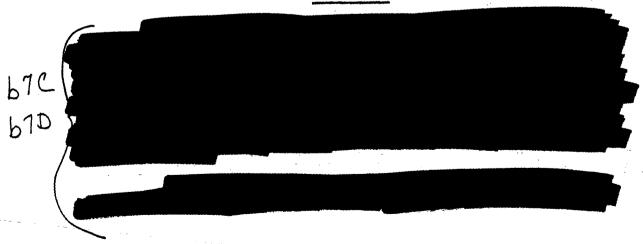
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that JAKE and MEYER LANSKY are doing absolutely nothing with their time and still spend time almost daily at the Aristocrat Hotel, either using the cabana area or the coffee shop

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stated that the LANSKYs still were not involved in business of any sort and appeared to be biding their time waiting for a good opportunity.

advised that MEYER LANSKY visits
the Diplomat occasionally, for meals or use of the cabana
area. He stated that he can usually be found, however,
in the vicinity of the Aristocrat Hotel. He advised
that LANSKY has not been conducting any business at
the Diplomat Hotel, and appears to be merely recuperating.





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subject's current activities and information pertaining to possible future gambling ventures.

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Hollywood, Florida, has advised that MEYER LANSKI does use the dining room facilities of the East and West Diplomat Hotels.

He is usually observed in the lobby or public cabana area, but not on a regular basis. He does not frequent any one general area, which could be construed as a meeting place for him or his associates.

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MEYER LANSKY does use the hotel's coffee shop and outdoor restaurant patio facilities. He stated this is on an irregular basis.

to his knowledge, LANSKY conducts no business at the motel.

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Investigation indicates that none of the above hangouts are worthy or susceptible to extraordinary investigative techniques. continut to advise that MEYER LANSKY is inactive.

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subject continues to reside at his Hallandale, Florida residence. Subject is inactive and has expressed no plans regarding any intended gambling activities.

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MEYER LANSKY

Character: ANTI-RACKETEERING

Synopsis:

Subject continues to reside Hallandale, Fla. advise subject is inactive. Newspaper, Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., 8/28/60, carried article reflecting subject reported to be in private hospital after suffering heart IN VIEW OF SUBJECT'S BACKGROUND AND FORMER ARRESTS FOR HOMICIDE, HE SHOULD BE CONSIDERED DANGEROUS. IS NOT TO BE DISSEMINATED.

AT MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA

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not know LANSKY except by reputation. He stated that
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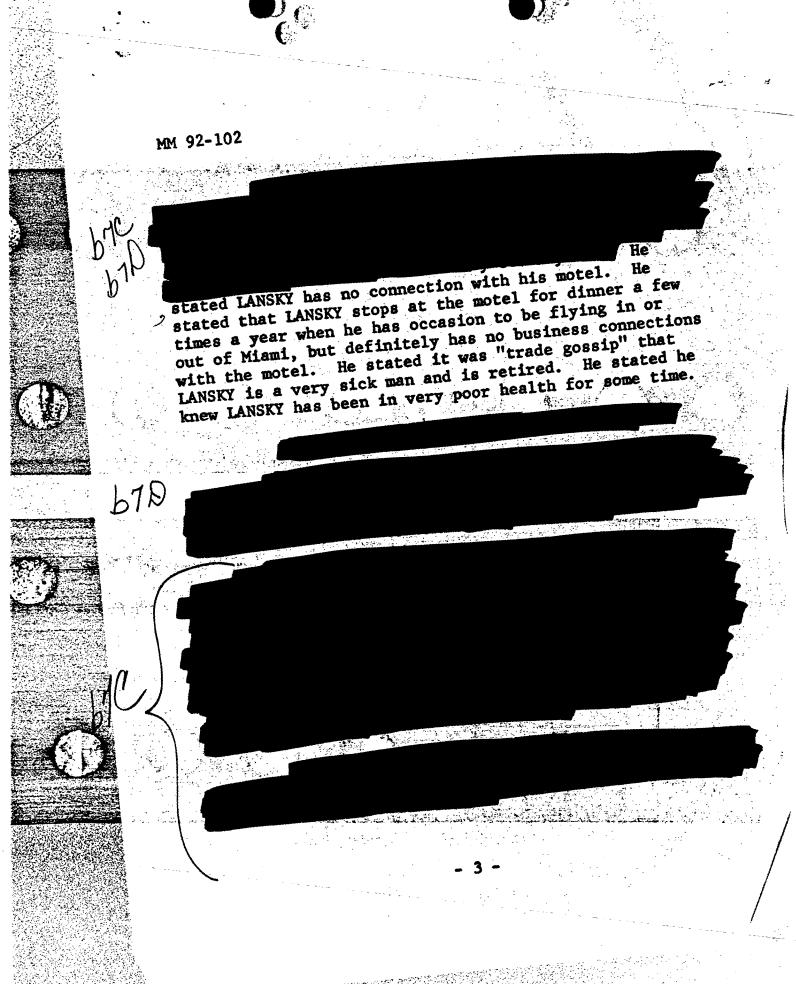
He advised LANSKY had no business connections with the
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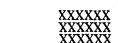
and it is possible that LANSKY,
because of his Cuban gambling connections, may have contactedthem, but he had no personal knowledge of this and
it was pure speculation in his part.

was never in his hotel andpositively had no connection with it. He stated that if LANSKY ever entered his hotel, by he would know it personally, as it would be called to his attention by the hotel staff.

He stated it was common gossip on Miami Beach that LANSKY is a very sick man and was not in any business at this time.

Miami Beach, was contacted July 20, 1960, and asserted that she did not know MEYER LANSKY. She stated she was unable to identify a photograph of him. She advised LANSKY had no connections with the hotel. The hotel caters to retired people and a man of LANSKY's type would have no occasion to visit or contact anyone at her apartment house.

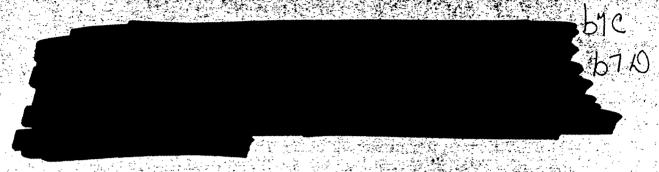




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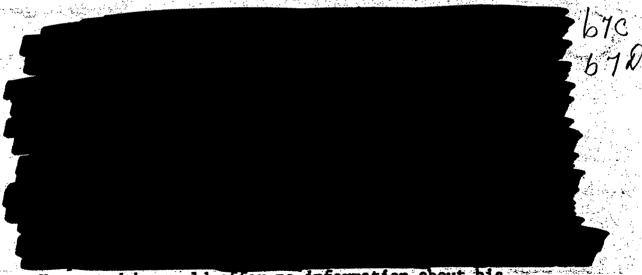
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The Ft. Lauderdale Daily News, under dateline August 28, 1960, Hollywood, Florida, carried an article advising that former Florida-New York gambling kingpin MEYER LANSKY was reported Saturday to be in a private hospital here, after suffering a heart attack. The article related that they, the newspaper, had been unable to confirm or deny reports of this illness.

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He stated he could offer no information about his activities or associates, because nothing unusual occurred during any of his visits. He advised that LANSKY always pays for services in cash.

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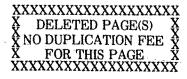




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MEYER LANSKY

Character:

ANTI-RACKETEERING

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Synopsis:

Subject, FBI #791783, reported born on 7/4/02 and 8/28/02 in Poland; arrived U. S. 4/4/11, naturalized 9/27/28 at N. Y. and attained 8th grade education. He resides with his second wife at Hallandale, Fla.

Subject connected with crime and associated with other hoodlums in 1920s, which he continued until present. Formerly operated gambling casinos in Havana, Cuba, reportedly suffered heavy losses when casinos intervened by Cuban Government under FIDEL CASTRO, Subject suffers from stomach ulcer and heart condition. Identification Record and description set forth. IN VIEW OF SUBJECT'S BACKGROUND AND FORMER ARREST FOR HOMICIDE, HE SHOULD BE CONSIDERED DANGEROUS.

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A. PERSONAL HISTORY AND BACKGROUND

1. Birth and Citizenship

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On September 27, 1928, he was naturalized in the United States District Court, Eastern District of New York, under certificate number 2517814. At this time he changed his name to MEYER LANSKY.

It is noted that school records for subject, set forth in detail later in this report, reflect his birth date as August 28, 1902.

The "New York Journal American", a daily New York City newspaper, in its issue of February 21, 1958, carried an article captioned "Gambler Faces Ouster to Poland". This article reflected that INS was preparing deportation proceedings against LANSKY.

On July 25, 1958, MORTON ROBSON, Assistant United States Attorney, Southern District of New York, advised that the denaturalization proceedings against the subject were dismissed on May 28, 1958, for lack of prosecution. Mr. ROBSON stated they cannot be reinstituted in New York since subject is now a resident of Florida.





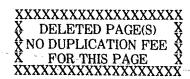




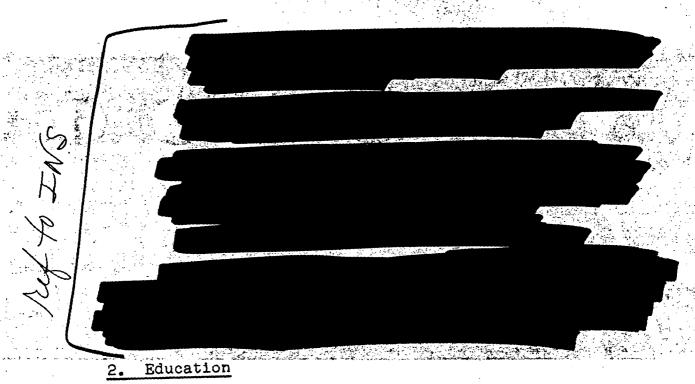
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The subject was examined under oath on December 10, 1953, in the United States Attorney's Office, Southern District of New York, New York City, by Assistant United States Attorney ROBERT W. SWEET, in the presence of MOSES POLAKOFF, Attorney for the subject. Hereafter in this report, information attributed to this examination, will be referred to as the examination by AUSA SWEET in 1953.

In the above examination, the subject stated that he graduated from Public School 34 in the lower East side of Manhattan in 1916 or 1917. He attended this school under the name of MEYER LANSKY.

On March 18, 1958, the records of Public School 165 at 76 Lott Avenue, Brooklyn, New York, of former students, were checked and reflected that a MEYER LANSKY, born on August 28, 1902, whose father was MAX, entered rublic School 165 on March 1, 1912, and attended until June 30, 1914, when he was transferred to Public School 34, Manhattan. The record reflects that his grades were all A's with the exception of 2 B's.



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Records of reflect that in about May, 1942, subject advised his present job was that of Vice President of the Krieg, Pector and Citron Company at 727 Monroe Street, Hoboken, New Jersey. He indicated he had spent seven years at this type work which he began in 1934.

Dodge Park Kennel Club, Council Bluffs, Iowa

Records of the Pottawattamie County Recorder, Council Bluffs, Dowa, examined by SA April 7, 1958, showed the trade name Dodge Park Kennel Club was registered on May 19, 1941. The owners were WILLIAM SYMS, MEYER LANSKY, and WILLIAM LONG, Agent, address 42nd Street and Broadway (Dodge Park Fairgrounds). LONG's address was the Chieftain Hotel, Council Bluffs, LONG's address was New York City; and WILLIAM SYMS' Iowa; LANSKY's was New York City; and WILLIAM SYMS' Iowa; LANSKY's was New York City; and WILLIAM SYMS' Iowa; LANSKY's was New York City; and WILLIAM SYMS' Iowa; LANSKY's was New York City; and WILLIAM SYMS' Iowa; LANSKY's was new York City; and WILLIAM SYMS' Iowa;
The same records showed the trade name was registered on June 16, 1941, to delete the name WILLIAM





LONG and to show MEYER LANSKY, 950 Sherman Avenue, Elizabeth, New Jersey, and WILLIAM J. SYMS as the operators. It was signed by LANSKY and SYMS and notarized by DE VERE WATSON. WATSON:

He advised the Dodge Park Kennel Club was built on city property in Council Bluffs. Town in 1041

He advised MEYER LANSKY and WILLIAM SYMS, both from Hollywood, Florida, were the builders and operators of the track. This track operated for three seasons, the summer seasons of 1941, 1942, and 1943.

Residence

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Broward County Court of Records, Fort Lauderdale, Florida, November 30, 1959, advised Broward County records reflected the filing of a warranty deed, June 26, 1959, for the purchase of the residence at 612 Hibiscus Drive, Golden Isles, Hallandale, Florida, by MEYER and THELMA LANSKY. at this address.

Recent residences

in February, 1955, advised that subject resided at the Tuscany Motel, Ocean Boulevard, Hollywood, Beach, Florida, which place is owned by subject's son, BARRY LANSKY.

Broward County Court of Records, Fort Lauderdale, Florida, November 30, 1959,



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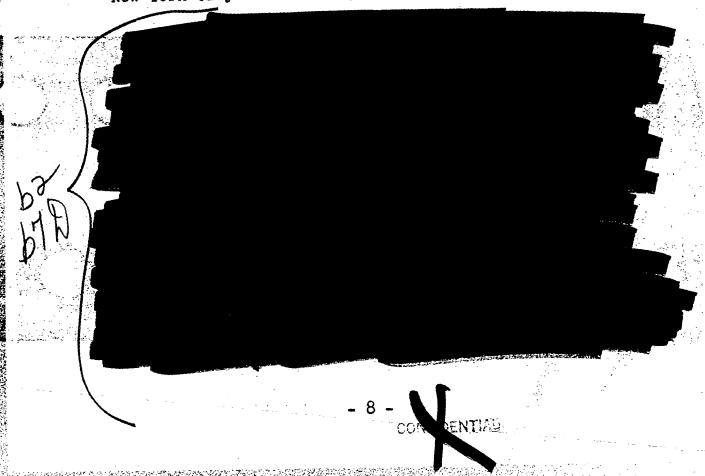
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advised that the H and J Building Corporation, and the Tuscany Motel recorded transfer of mortgage, November 12, 1959, to Florida Calsbad, Incorporated, who assumed a mortgage of \$381,885.00. Officers of Florida Calsbad, Incorporated were listed as SAMUEL R. BERKMAN, President, and ARTHUR SIEGEL, Secretary.

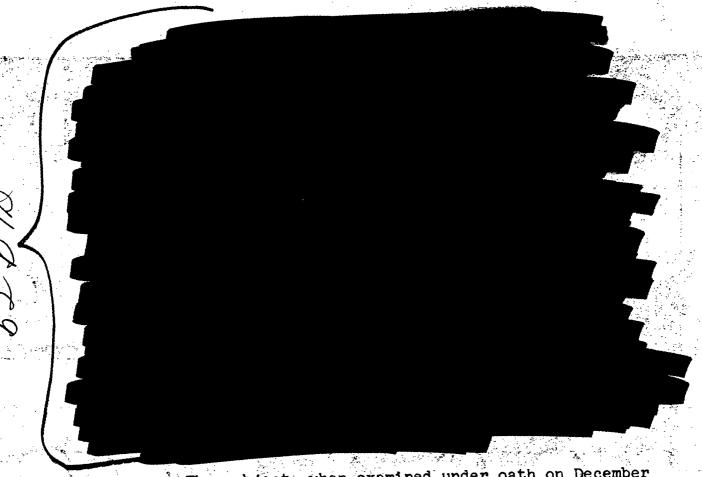
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Subject maintained various residences in the New York City area from 1918 to 1954.







The subject, when examined under oath on December 10, 1953, by AUSA ROBERT W. SWEET, Southern District of New York, New York City, in connection with denaturalization proceedings then pending against him, stated that in December, 1936, he had resided at the above address. He had moved to Boston from New York, because he had a Cerebral Palsy son and moved there to get treatment for him.

99th Street and Broadway Northeast corner New York City

The subject, when examined in 1953 by AUSA SWEET, stated he had lived at the above address for about two years before moving to Boston.



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Marital status

ANNIE CITRON

On March 10, 1958, SA checked the records of the Marriage License Bureau for Brooklyn, New York, and recorded the following:

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Application number 6697-29 was issued to MEYER LANSKY, white, male, age 26, and ANNIE CITRON, white, female, age 18. LANSKY's parents were MAX, born in Russia, and YETTA, born in Russia. His residence was 6 Columbia Street, New York City.

CITRON's parents were MOSES, born in Russia, and SELMA, born in Russia, and they resided at 156 South 9th Street, The certificate reflected it was the first marriage of both, and they were married on May 9, 1929, before Rabbi Isaac EPSTEIN.

On June 9, 1958, files of the Dade County Circuit Court were reviewed by SA under number 106443, and reflected that on January 29, 1947, ANNIE CITRON LANSKY, Plaintiff, filed Bill of Complaint in Action for Divorce against MEYER LANSKY, Defendant. They were married May 9, 1929, at New York City. They had three children; BERNARD, born January 15, 1930; PAUL, born September 22, 1932; and SANDRA, born December 6, 1937. She charged extreme cruelty. A final decree of divorce was granted by Judge M. C. WISEHART on February 14, 1957.

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The Subject in his application for passport on June 10, 1949; stated that he was married to THELMA SHEER SCHWARTZ on December 16, 1948; and that she was born in New York City on November 18, 1907.

Efforts to verify this marriage through marriage license records in New York City and Brooklyn met with negative results.

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On June 9, 1958, Dade County, Florida Marriage Records were checked for the period September 1, 1948 to August 1, 1950, and failed to reflect a marriage for subject to THELMA SHEER SCHWARTZ.

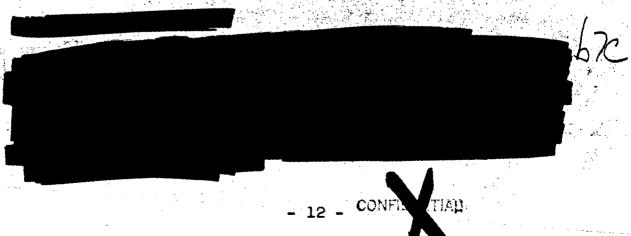


(a) Parents

MAX LANSKY, Father

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On March 7, 1958, Some checked the records of the Bureau of Vital Statistics, Borough of Manhattan, for a verification of death around 1940 of subject's father. He reported that certificate #422 for 1939 reflects that one MAX LANSKY died on April 9, 1939, in Florida, at the age of 59. A transit permit, number 422-39, reflects that he died in Miami, Florida, of a coronary thrombosis, and was interred at Mt. Carmel Cemetery, presumably New York, on April 11, 1939.







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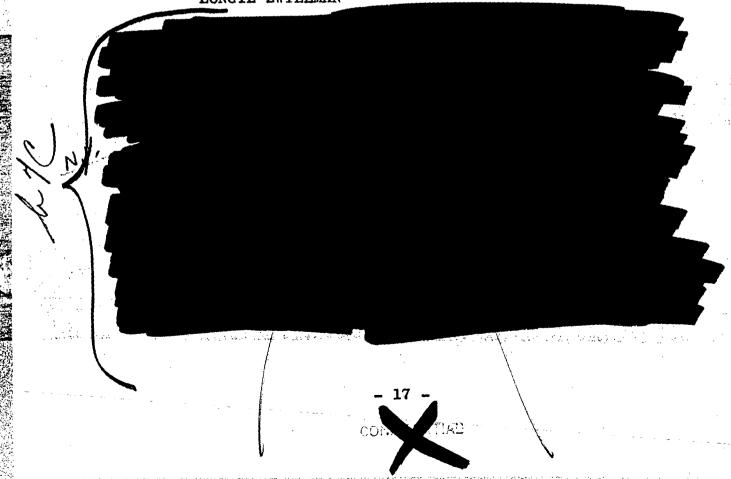
C. ASSOCIATES

When the subject was examined in 1953 by Assistant United States Attorney ROBERT W. SWEET, Southern District of New York, New York City, relative to deportation proceedings, he identified the following as then being friends or close associates:

BUGSY SIEGEL
JOE ADONIS
FRANK ERICSON
FRANK COSTELLO
LONGIE ZWILLMAN

He further stated that he had seen the following men within the last two years (1952 and 1953), but stated that he had no "dealings" with them in the past two years:

FRANK COSTELLO JOE ADONIS FRANK ERICSON LONGIE ZWILLMAN



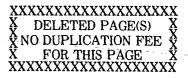




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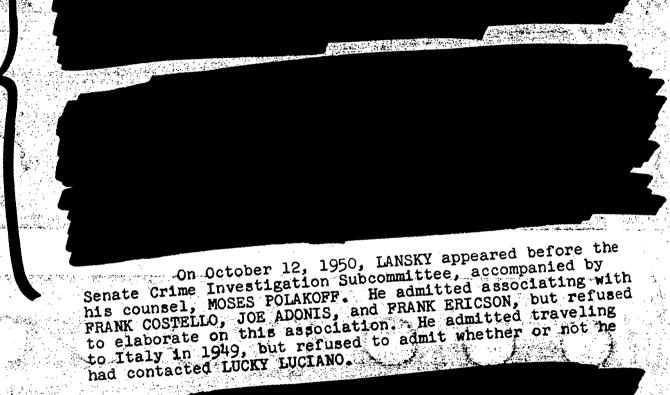
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"The Las Vegas Sun, Daily Newspaper, for October 28, 1954, contained an article reflecting that Nevada State Tax Commission was conducting an extensive hearing into the alleged "undisclosed interests" held by JAKE and MEYER LANSKY and others in the Thunderbird Hotel of Las Vegas. This article reflects MARION HICKS, President, Thunderbird Hotel, admitted in testimony that he had used money advanced by GEORGE SADLOW in the operation of the Thunderbird Hotel. The article described SADLOW as a long time lieutenant of MEYER and JAKE LANSKY. HICKS denied before the Nevada State Tax Commission, according to the article, that GEORGE SADLOW, JAKE or MEYER LANSKY had ever been in the Thunderbird Hotel Casino Pit directing gambling operations or in the counting room or at a director's meeting of the hotel. HICKS claimed MEYER and JAKE LANSKY were not financially involved in the operation of the Thunderbird Hotel.

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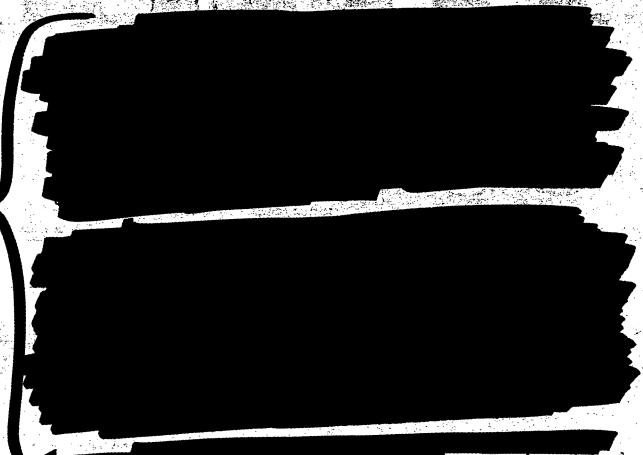
The Reno Evening Gazette, Reno, for June 24, 1955, carried an article which stated evidence at a hearing relative to the gambling license of the Thunderbird Hotel, Las Vegas, has disclosed MARION B. HICKS of the Thunderbird

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Hotel, borrowed \$197,000.00 from GEORGE SADLOW, who obtained part of it from JAKE LANSKY: The article further indicated SADLOW is an associate of MEYER LANSKY in various Florida gambling enterprises; that JAKE LANSKY is MEYER LANSKY's brother.



on January 22, 1958, their records contain no record of the LANSKYs having any interest of record in the gambling establishments in Nevada.

advised on January 23. 1958, their records contain no information of MEYER LANSKY having been issued a gambling license or work permit in the Clark County.



During the Spring of 1948, the Colonial Inn was padlocked as a result of an injunction to restrain a nusance by Assistant State's Attorney DWIGHT ROGERS, Jr., Hollywood, Florida. An account of this matter appeared in the "Miami Herald" and the "Miami Daily News".

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On December 17, 1957, Criminal Court, Broward County, Fort Lauderdale, Florida, advised that on August 20, 1950, Broward County Grand Jury indicted the following individuals on charges of operating indicted the following individuals on charges of operating a gambling house at the Club La Boheme, Hollywood, Florida:

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FRANK SCHIRMAN

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MEYER LANSKY

JAKE LANSKY

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The same Broward County Grand Jury on August 20, 1950, also returned indictments against the following individuals, charging them with operation of a gambling house at the Club Green Acres, Hallandale, Florida:

WILLIAM G. BISCHOFF

FRANK SCHIRMAN

SAM LAWRENCE BRATT

CLAUDE LITTERAL

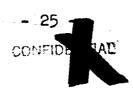
MEYER LANSKY

JAKE LANSKY

GEORGE SADLOW

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On September 12, 1950, informations were returned against the above individuals, charging them with operation of gambling houses at the Club La Boheme and Green Acres, and on September 16, 1950, represented by their attorney, JOSEPH VARON, Hollywood, Florida, the above appeared in Broward County Circuit Court before Judge JOSEPH T. KENNEDY, entered guilty pleas and each was fined \$1,000.00 on each count.









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F. PLACES OF AMUSEMENT

The subject, as previously set forth under Gambling Ventures, has been known to frequent the following places:

Hotel Nacional, Havana, Cuba

Casino International, Havana, Cuba

Montmarte Night Club, Havana, Cuba.

According to information supplied by

subject has frequented the following:

Diplomat Hotel, Hollywood, Florida

Aristocrat Hotel, Hollywood, Florida

Gaines Skyway Motel, Miami, Florida

He has been known to frequent the following places, all in New York City:

Dinty Moore's Restaurant 216 West 46th Street

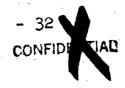
Billy Gwon's Chinese Restaurant 128 West 52nd Street

Old Timers Restaurant 7 East 40th Street

Forum Restaurant 57 West 48th Street

Stouffer's Restaurant 666 Fifth Avenue

Italian Pavilian Restaurant 24 West 55th Street



Savoy Plaza Hotel Terminal Barber Shop Fifth Avenue and 58th Street

Hotel Savoy Plaza Fifth Avenue and 58th Street

St. Moritz Hotel 50 Central Park South

Office of subject's attorney MOSES POLAKOFF 475 Fifth Avenue

G. TRAVEL

H. PERSONAL HABITS AND HEALTH

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that MEYER LANSKY has been seriously in and is still in extremely poor physical dvised that LANSKY, on February 1, 1959, suffered an attack, later diagnosed as pericarditis, which is an inflamation of the conical sac of serous membrane, which encloses the heart. Was placed in Monroe Jackson Hospital. 409 South Federal Highway, Hollywood, Florida.

LANSKY was being sought at the time in connection with a hearing before the Mc Clellan Rackets Committee.

two weeks of the time he entered the hospital, LANSKY suffered a severe attack and was close to death. At this time, large amounts of fluid formed around his heart, and the heart became enlarged. All of February and March and part of April, 1959, LANSKY was confined to the hospital, with the exception of a few scattered days when he was strong enough to leave the hospital.

I. MISCELLANEOUS

On February 27, 1958, SA
Hall of Records, 31 Chambers Street, New York City, reviewed tax liens for the years 1928 - February 13, 1958. The following tax lien was located for the subject:

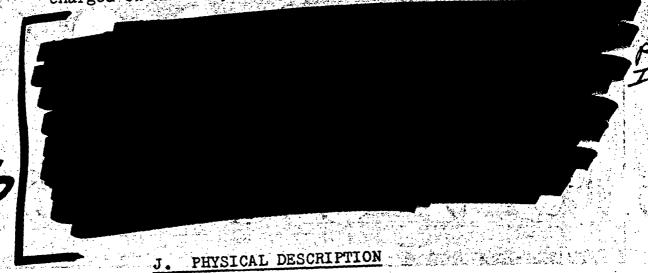
F1063 was filed against MEYER LANSKY of 1146
Harrison Street, Hollywood, Florida, on September 1, 1953.
This was for income and includes interests and penalties as follows:

1944 1945 1946 1947 1947 \$15,662.74 187,726.70 9,478.26 35,923.21

otal \$248,791.51



District of the Internal Revenue Service and was discharged on March 6, 1956.



The following is a physical description of the subject, obtained from investigation: PARTICULAR CONTRACTOR

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Sex Race Birth dates

Residence

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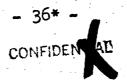
MEYER LANSKY Meyer The Bug Bugsy Meyer The Bug Little Meyer, Myer Lansky, Meyer Lazansky, Morris Lieberman, Bugs Meyer, Meyer Suchowltansky, Johnny Eggs, Meyer Suchowlansky Male: White 7/4/02 8/28/02 612 Hibiscus Drive, Hallandale, Florida 5' 42" to 5' 5" 140 CONTRACTOR EV.

Build Hair Eyes Complexion Characteristics

Occupation Marital status Relatives Brown Brown Dark Wears built up heels in shoes Gambler - executive Married Wife, THELMA (TEDDY) SCHWARTZ LANSKY; Sons, Lt. PAUL LANSKY, USAF; BENJAMIN LANSKY, aka., Buddy; Daughter, SANDRA RAPOPORT, nee LANSKY; Sister, Mrs. ESTHER CHESS, nee LANSKY; Brother, JACK LANSKY, aka., Jake; Father, MAX LANSKY, deceased; Mother, YETTA LANSKY 109-03-8534 791783

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IN VIEW OF SUBJECT'S BACKGROUND AND FORMER ARREST FOR HOMICIDE, HE SHOULD BE CONSIDERED DANGEROUS.





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In reply refer to File 92-102

Miami, Florida September 23, 1960

Re: MEYER LANSKY

Reference is made to the report of Special Agent dated and captioned as above.

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SAC, New York

Director, FBI

MEYER LANSKY ANTI-RACKETEERING

There is attached for your information copy of the identification record on captioned individual. A copy of this record was recently requested by the Department of Justice on behalf of the Senate Subcommittee on Anti-Trust and Monopoly.

The afore mentioned committee headed by Senator Kefauver is presently conducting hearings with respect to racketeering in professional boxing.

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Will maintain contact with any information which would indicate that LANSKY is presently active in any business operation, legitimate or illegitimate.

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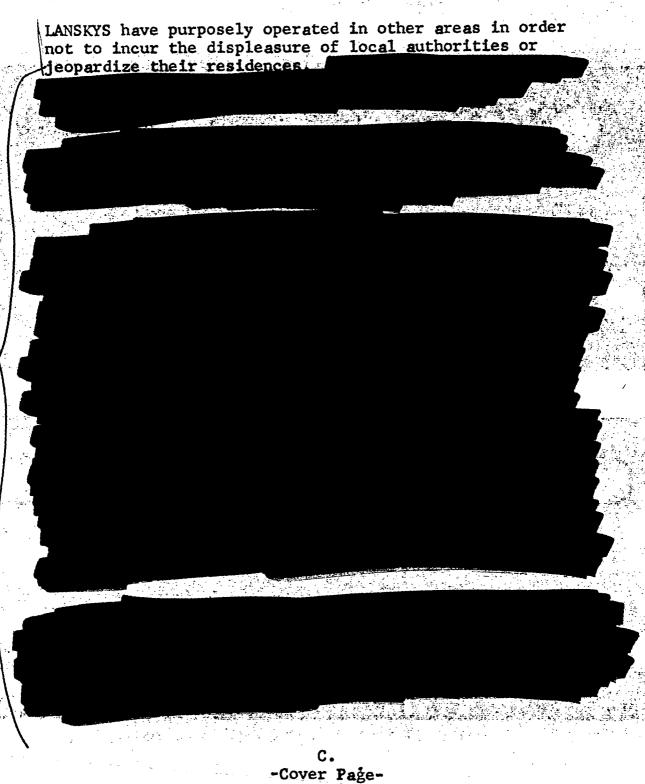
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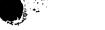
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Numerous spot checks were made of subject's residence.

and the Aristocrat and Diplomat Hotels. Nothing of value was developed.

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Character:

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Synopsis:

Subject continues residence in Hallandale, Fla.; not in good health; not involved in any known business venture, legal or illegal. IN VIEW OF SUBJECT'S BACKGROUND AND FORMER ARRESTS FOR HOMICIDE, HE SHOULD BE CONSIDERED DANGEROUS.

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DETAILS: AT HOLLYWOOD, FLORIDA

use the hotel facilities.

MEYER and JACK LANSKY continue to

He advised most of their time is spent in card games or enjoying the cabana facilities.

He advised MEYER LANSKY is not in good health.

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MEYER LANSKY does use the Diplomat Dining Room and Coffee Shops, but spends most of his time at the Aristocrat Hotel.

Advised he is unaware of any activity in which subject is interested in the Hollywood - Mismi, Florida area.

he has had constantly check in the vicinity of subject's residence and is convinced that the residence is not used as a hangout. No large gatherings or unusual activities have been reported.

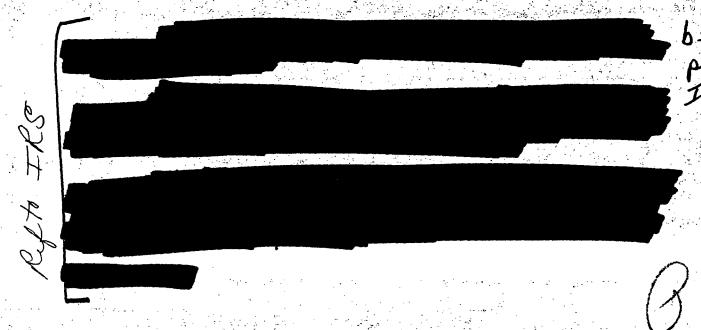
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MEYER LANSKY have furnished information that subsequent to LANSKY's return to Fla. from Cuba, he has not engaged in business activities, either legal or illegal, and has been in poor health.

In an effort to clearly establish MEYER LANSKY's current activities and status of health, the following investigation was conducted:

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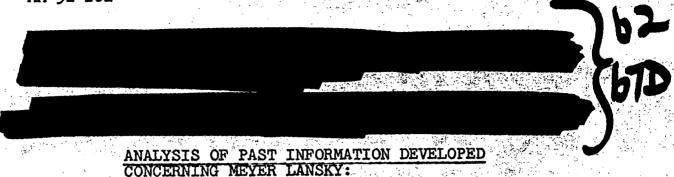
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MEYER LANSKY is currently undergoing treatment for ulcers

MEYER LANSKY does not

possess good health.

MEYER LANSKY's health is not good as he has ulcers and a heart condition. LANSKY is not currently involved in any business activity, either legal or illegal.



It is believed that a successful prosecution of MEYER LANSKY cannot be initiated on the basis of any information developed in the past. A successful prosecution of MEYER LANSKY will only be brought about through the development of new information.

MEYER LANSKY'S MOST VULNERABLE AREA:

It is believed that an evasion of income tax is the most vulnerable area where MEYER LANSKY can be successfully prosecuted. Emphasis will be placed on ascertaining information concerning LANSKY's past and current income.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

The Miami Office is not aware of the criteria used by the Bureau in the specific selection of MEYER LANSKY for intensification. It is believed, because of LANSKY's reported inactivity due to ill health, that there are more important and active top hoodlums in the Miami area. However, in view of the Bureau's selection of MEYER LANSKY, the following investigation has been initiated or is planned, to develop current information concerning MEYER LANSKY.

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3. Survey will be conducted to determine if is possible on the residence of MEYER LANSKY.

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- 4. A request for on MEYER LANSKY's residence is being made by separate communication.
- 5. A request will be made by separate communication for Bureau authority to conduct a survey for the purpose of utilizing unusual investigative techniques.
- 6. Complete income tax returns concerning MEYER LANSKY will be obtained.
- 7. Liaison will be established with Internal Revenue Service, Miami, to coordinate investigation to develop evidence of evasion of income tax by MEYER LANSKY.

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Periodical fulltime physical surveillance

will be considered concerning MEYER LANSKY.

10. Interviews will be conducted with selected persons seen in the company of MEYER LANSKY.

The above investigation is expected to involve considerable expenditure of personnel and investigative time. As information is developed concerning MEYER LANSKY, it is expected that additional avenues of investigation will be located and explored.

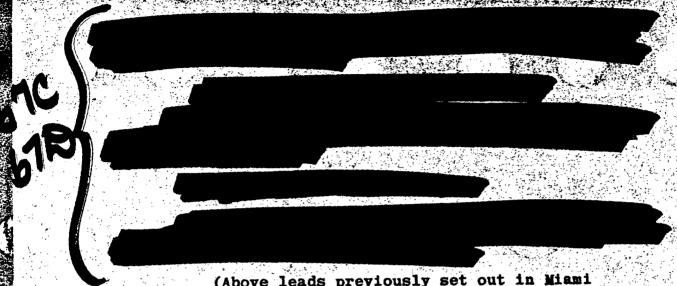
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(Above leads previously set out in Miami airtel to Bureau February 21, 1961).

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AT HALLANDALE, FLORIDA

1) Will continue physical surveillance of MEYER LANSKY to ascertain information concerning his current activities and associates.

Will conduct investigation to identify at the Aristocrat Motel.

- B -- COVER PAGE - 92-102 AT MIAMI, FLORIDA Will maintain contact will maintain contact with or information concerning the vities of MEYER LANSKY, both legal and illegal.



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Title:

MEYER LANSKY

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ANTI-RACKETEERING

Synopsis:

MEYER LANSKY resides 612 Hibiscus Drive, Golden Isles, Hallandale, Fla. LANSKY reported not currently involved in business activity either legal or illegal.

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DETAILS:

A. PERSONAL HISTORY AND BACKGROUND

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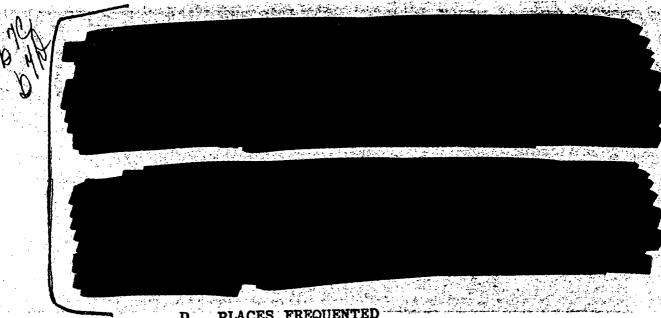
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92-102 advised that MEYER LANSKY still resides at 612 Hibiscus Drive, Golden Isles, Hallandale. MEYER LANSKY was observed at his residence, 612 Hibiscus Drive, by Special Agent February 15, 16, 23, and 24, 1961. B. CRIMINAL ACTIVITIES C. LEGITIMATE ENTERPRISES



PLACES FREQUENTED

MEYER LANSKY was personally observed by Special at the places listed below and on Agent the dates indicated:

Carlsbad Spa, located on South Ocean Drive, Hollywood, Florida, on February 15 and 24, 1961.

Aristocrat Motel, located on South Ocean Drive, Hollywood, Florida, on February 24, 1961.

Diplomat Hotel, located on South Ocean Drive, Hollywood, Florida, February 24, 1961.

February 10, 1961, that MEYER LANSKY visits the Aristocrat Motel almost daily, most often with his brother, JACK LANSKY.

advised that MEYER LANSKY still visits the Coffee Shop of the Diplomat Hotel occasionally and also sees explained that NEVER LANSKY is in noor health

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E. PERSONAL HABITS AND STATUS OF HEALTH

Agent during the period February 15 to 25, 1961, determined that he drives the following two automobiles:

1) 1961 white Chevrolet Impala, 1961 Florida registration number 10W-254.

A review of Broward County Motor Vehicle Registrations on February 20, 1961, determined that this license is registered to the Springer Motor Company, a car rental agency located at 1755 Tyler Street, Hollywood, Florida.

2) 1961 white Comet, 1961 Florida registration number 10E-157.

A review of Broward County Motor Vehicle Registrations on February 20, 1961, determined this license registration is not yet filed.

was interviewed

on February 9, 1961, by Special Agent and furnished the following information:

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IN VIEW OF LANSKY'S BACKGROUND AND FORMER ARRESTS FOR HOMICIDE, HE SHOULD BE CONSIDERED DANGEROUS.

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In Reply, Please Refer to File No. 92-102

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
Miami, Florida
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dated and captioned as above at Miami.

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All sources (except any listed below) used in referenced communication have furnished reliable information in the past.



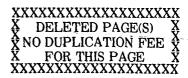




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Bureau has received inquiry from Department concerning for testimony concerning criminal activities of availability of Lansky during period beginning five years prior to 4/14/27. Department contemplating denaturalization action.

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DIRECTOR, FBI (92-2831) DATE: March 1, 1961

FROM

SAC, MIAMI (92-102 Sub II)

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SUBJECT:

RECOMMENDATION FOR INSTALLATION OF TECHNICAL OR MICROPHONE SURVEILLANCE

RE: Title MEYER LANSKY, aka

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Character of Case Anti-Racketeering Field Office Miami -Symbol Number To be assigned Type of Surveillance (Technical or Microphone)

1. Name and address of subject:

MEYER LANSKY, 612 Hibiscus Drive, Golden Isles, Hallandale, Florida

2. Location of technical operation:

612 Hibiscus Drive, Golden Isles, Hallandale, Florida

3. Other technical surveillances on same subject:

LANSKY's home is in an exclusive residential area, Golden Isles, Hallandale, Florida. Waterways separate each street. located on a dead end street. A waterway is at the back of LANSKY's home. No homes have been built across from or to the wouth of the LANSKY home. His home commands a view of the street and waterway. Use of a misur at LANSKY's home is not believed feasible.

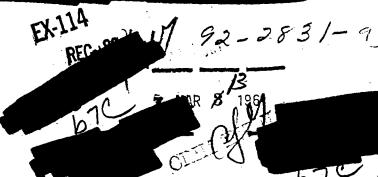
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6. Type of case involved:

Anti-Racketeering and Criminal Intelligence.

7. Connection or status of subject in the case:

LANSKY is one of the individuals selected by the Department for investigation and prosecution. LANSKY has been described as one of the most powerful and influential hoodlums in the country.

8. Specific information being sought:

Information of illegal operations of LANSKY. Information concerning business and financial operations.

9. Reasons for believing the specific information will be obtained by the technical surveillance:

LANSKY in poor health, does not have place of business. It is believed LANSKY relys upon telephone to conduct activities

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10. Importance of case and subject:

LANSKY one of prominent hoodlums selected as prime target for early Federal prosecution. Bureau has directed that every resource be used toward this objective. 11. Possibilities of obtaining desired information by other means (Explain in detail):

LANSKY has been subject intensive investigation. Investigation to date has not developed desired evidence of LANSKY's illegal operations. Internal Revenue Service has conducted investigation concerning LANSKY's business operations since 1944, however evidence has not been developed to support a successful prosecution. It is believed that unusual investigative techniques are necessary to develop information to be used for investigative leads to uncover evidence of LANSKY's illegal operations.

12. Risks of detection involved:

None known.

13. Probable length of technical surveillance:

Indefinite, depending on productivity.

14. Request made for technical surveillance by any outside agency (name specific official, title and agency):

None.

15. Remarks:

None.

16. Recommendation of Assistant Director:

17. Recommendation of Assistants to the Director:

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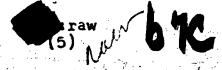
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Reur FD-142 dated 3/1/61.

Refer to SAC Letter 61-10, dated 3/1/61, advising that Tesurs on criminal intelligence cases are not being authorized, except when consistent with present policy.

1- Mr. J. D. Donohue, Room 1244



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FBI Date: 3/9/61 Transmit the following in _ (Type in plain text or code) AIRTEL (Priority or Method of Mailing) DIRECTOR, FBI (92-2831) SAC, NEW YORK (92-660) FROM MEYER LANSKY SUBJECT: (00: MIAMI) Re Bureau airtel to Miami, dated 3/3/61, and SA dated 2/27 and 4/28/58 reports of SAI at NY. A review of captioned case reflects furnished information concerning subject's criminal activities during five year period prior to 4/14/27. Concerning witnesses, rerep dated 2/27/58, on page 14, reflects a memo contained in USA's file, SDNY, dated January, 1957, which stated Bureau (92-2831) Miami (92-102)(Info) New York (92-660) 12 MAR 10 1961 ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED 9/12/83 BYSPIGSKIOMS 235,255 Sent Approved:

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Inasmuch as the WSA's Office and INS are apparently aware of these potential witnesses, no effort is being made by NY to determine their availability.

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Miami does not have knowledge of witnesses who can testify as to the criminal activities of MEYER LANSKY during the 5 year period prior to 1927.

It is suggested that the N. Y. Office contact and ascertain if would be in a position to testify as a witness re the criminal activities of MEYER LANSKY during the 5 year period prior to 1927.

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Re Bureau airtel to Miami 3/3/61 and report of SA dated 2/27/58 at New York.

Newark and Albany immediately locate and interview determine present attitudes toward testifying concerning Lansky's criminal activities in 1920's. Department has requested this determination in contemplation of denaturalization action against Lansky. Advise New York.

New York prepare investigative report in form suitable for dissemination, setting forth in detail information contained in pages 18 through 26 of rerep.

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Office Memorandum UNITED STATES GOVERN Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation DATE: Mr. Belmont William E. Foley, Acting Assistant Attorney General Criminal Division SUBJECT: Meyer Lansky Intelligence Report, dated September 23, 1960, headed "Meyer Lansky Anti-Racketeering", prepared Naturalization forms filed by Lansky on April 3, 1926, and April 14, 1927, respectively, state that his then occupation was "machinist". Although he was trained as a machinist, if it can be shown that he had stopped working in that capacity and had actually become a racketeer before he was naturalized, it may be possible to have the order of September 28, 1928, granting his naturalization, set aside. It will be appreciated, therefore, if you will can be made inform us whether available for interview and use as a witness. We shall also appreciate being informed of the identity and who may have knowledge availability of who may have k that Lansky was identified with crime during the period beginning five years prior to April 14, 1927, when his petition for naturalization was filed, until the date of the admission to citizenship. Testimony that he was engaged in criminal activities shortly before or shortly after this period would be pertinent. **EX 101** 3 22 Kill by 1/48 3 3 2 2 to the states

Assistant Attorney General Criminal Division

March 6, 1961

Director, FBI

MEYER LANSKY ANTI-RACKETEERING

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Receipt is acknowledged of your memorandum of March 1,

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Inquiry is being made to determine if listed in report of Special Agent , dated at Miami, Florida, September 23, 1960, is available for testimony concerning Lansky's criminal activities during the five years prior to April 14, 1927. Inquiry is also being made to determine if are available for similar testimony.

You will be advised as soon as the pertinent findings have been made.

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Department suggests possibility of denaturalization proceedings against Lansky if it can be established he was engaged in criminal activities during five-year period immediately prior to naturalization 4/14/27. Lansky was born in Poland and as a small child immigrated to U. S. with parents. By airtel 3/3/61 appropriate offices instructed to review files and advise Bureau by 3/10/61 of pertinent data.

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Assistant Attorney General March 15, 1961 Herbert J. Miller, Jr. Director, FBI ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED MEYER LANSKY HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED ANTI-RACKETEERING DATE 9/12/83 BYSPIGSKLOMS 235,255 Reference is made to your memorandum of March 1. and my memorandum of March 6, 1961, your file b267D listed in report of Special Agent dated at Miami, Florida, September 23, 1960, 67C Concerning other individuals who may be available to testify concerning Lansky's illegal activities during the five years prior to April 14, 1927, it has been ascertained furnished information to the United States Attorney, Southern District of New York, about Lansky's activities during the pertinent period. 2 0 NOTE: By memo 3/1/61 Department asked if was available for testimony concerning Lansky's triminal activities de 1920's.

Department indicated desire to prove convoid Lansky was engaged in illegal activities during 5-yr. period prior to Evans 4/14/27 when he was naturalized; thus providing basis for denaturalization. Newark and Albany are being instructed to the land new York is being instructed to

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NOTE: Department requested information re possible witnesses concerning Lansky's criminal activities in 1920's as material for denaturalization action.

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M.S. Fawer, Attorney, Organized Crime and Racketeering Section, telephonically advised on 3/22/61 of withdrawal of request and will confirm by letter. Fawer has discovered Dept. already has sufficient info

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In response to your memorandum of March 15, 1961, we

have been informed that

We do not believe that it would serve any purpose to inter-We are already informed as statements to the United States Attorney, to and there is no necessity, therefore, of your obtaining copies for our use. We appreciate the cooperation you have afforded us in this matter.

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Field Office File No.: 92-102

Title:

MEYER LANSKY

March 15, 1961

Bureau File No.: 92-2831

Character: ANTI-RACKETEERING

Synopsis:

MEYER LANSKY resides 612 Hibiscus Drive, Golden Isles, Hallandale, Florida. MEYER LANSKY frequents the Aristocrat Motel and Carlsbad Spa, Hollywood, Florida. LANSKY suffered ulcer attack and was confined to bed. Telephone contacts set forth. IN VIEW OF LANSKY'S BACKGROUND AND FORMER ARRESTS FOR HOMICIDE, HE SHOULD BE CONSIDERED DANGEROUS.

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DETAILS:

A. PERSONAL HISTORY AND BACKGROUND

1. Residence

MEYER LANSKY was personally observed at his residence, 612 Hibiscus Drive, Golden Isles, Hallandale, Florida, by SA on March 6 and 9, 1961.

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knows that the LANSKYs reside at 612 Hibiscus Drive, but does not know them and does not possess information concerning them said he was certain that did not even know the LANSKYs.

this is an exclusive neighborhood, and that he is almost certain that none of the neighbors know one another socially, but keep to themselves and are very quiet.

advised on March 7, 1961, that
MEYER LANSKY has Post Office Box 356.

stated
this box was obtained by LANSKY on July 16, 1960.

advised that he had not observed MEYER LANSKY during the past week, but had observed Mrs. MEYER LANSKY returning to their residence March 5, 1961.

advised that he had received no recent information concerning the activity of MEYER LANSKY.

B. ASSOCIATES

On March 3, 6 and 9, 1961, JACK LANSKY, brother of MEYER LANSKY, was observed at LANSKY's residence, 612 Hibiscus Drive.

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On March 6, 1961 was observed leaving the residence of MEYER LANSKY.

The records of the Broward County, Florida Grand Jury August 20, 1950, reflect that VINCENT ALO and MEYER LANSKY, among others, entered guilty pleas to charges of operating gambling houses in Broward County, Florida, and on September 15, 1960, paid fines of \$1,000.00.





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C. LEGITIMATE ENTERPRISES

D. PLACES FREQUENTED

MEYER LANSKY was personally observed by SA

at the places listed below on the dates
indicated:

Carlsbad Spa, located South Ocean Drive, Hollywood, Florida, February 28 and March 9, 1961.

Aristocrat Motel, South Ocean Drive, Hollywood, Florida, February 28, 1961.

MEYER LANSKY almost every day either at the Diplomat Hotel or walking between the Aristocrat Motel and the Carlabad Spa.

observed MEYER LANSKY for the past few days, which he stated is unusual.

E. TRAVEL

On February 24, 1961, Mr. and Mrs. MEYER LANSKY were observed at the Miami International Airport at the Northeast Airlines ticket counter by SA's

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F. PERSONAL HABITS AND STATUS OF HEALTH

On March 3, 1961, JACK LANSKY, brother of MEYER
LANSKY, was overheard by SA
that MEYER was "not feeling good, not very good".

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SA that MEYER LANSKY was ill, his illness being caused by ulcers

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Miami, Florida March 15, 1961

In Reply, Please Refer to File No. MM 92-102

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Reference Report of Special Agent dated and captioned as above at Miami.

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Information was obtained that LANSKY had made a trip probably to New York City to get away from his family.

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attempt to determine if MEYER LANSKY in New York City. located, New York conduct appropriate investigation to determine activities and associates LANSKY.

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AT BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

1. Will interview

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LANSKY has again suffered an ulcer attack and is reported to be away from his residence in Hallandale, Florida, on a trip. It is believed that if MEYER LANSKY is in the Boston area he will

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2. On March 9, 1961, MEYER LANSKY was observed in a 1957 Chevrolet owned by Armored Car Service, Miami, Florida.

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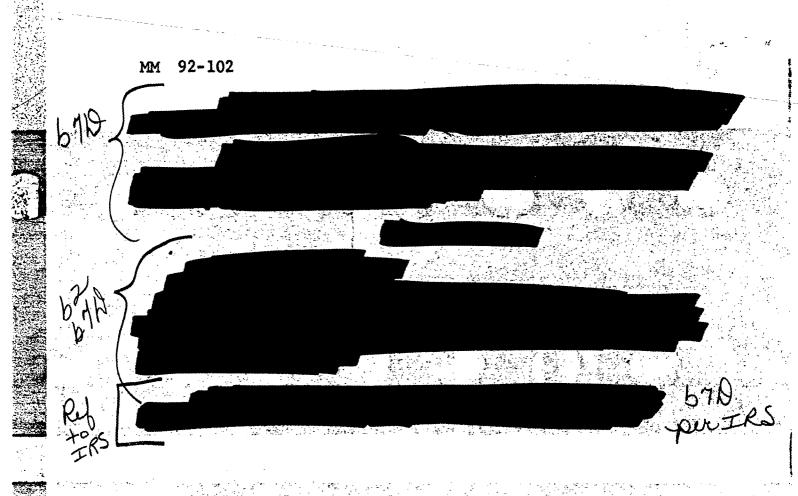
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Office: Miami, Florida

March 31, 1961

Bureau File No.: 92-2831

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Title:

MEYER LANSKY

Character: ANTI-RACKETEERING

Synopsis: MEYER LANSKY resides 612 Hibiscus Dr., Golden Isles,

Hallandale, Fla.

LANSKY reported to be away from home for short visit probably to NYC_

interviewed. IN VIEW OF LANSKY'S BACKGROUND AND FORMER ARRESTS FOR HOMICIDE, HE SHOULD BE CONSIDERED DANGEROUS.

DETAILS:

Personal History and Background

stated he knows

the LANSKYs reside at this address but does not know them personally.

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MEYER LANSKY was personally observed by SA at his residence on March 13, 1961.

B. Associates

on March 9, 1961, MEYER LANSKY was observed by SA in a 1957 Chevrolet, four-door sedan. An unknown male was driving this automobile and it was determined that this car had 1961 Florida registration 1-9093.

A review of Dade County Motor Vehicle Bureau records on March 9, 1961, determined that this car was registered to the Armored Car Service, 515 NW 5th Street, Miami, Florida.

He stated that he had known LANSKY for many years, considered them friends and knew that they were friends of each other.

a good friend, that LANSKY was well liked, and well educated.

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He stated that LANSKY had not obtained his education formally but was self-educated through reading.

had no business associations with MEYER LANSKY and had no specific knowledge of LANSKY's business activities. He stated he knew nothing of any Federal violation regarding MEYER LANSKY and knew nothing derogatory regarding him. He stated that he had heard many things about LANSKY and knew his reputation, but that he, personally, knew nothing derogatory about him. knew that LANSKY resided in Hallandale, Florida, and was a seriously ill man and under treatment of his physician.

On March 23, 1961, a 1960 Pontiac, four-door sedan, 1961 Florida license lw 18399, was observed parked at the LANSKY residence.







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C. Legitimate Enterprises

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D. Places Frequented

Investigation has determined that both Mr. and Mrs. MEYER LANSKY frequently visit the Aristocrat Motel, South Ocean Drive, Hollywood, Florida. MEYER LANSKY was last observed at the Aristocrat Motel by SA on February 28, 1961. On March 22, 1961, Mrs. MEYER LANSKY was observed by SA leaving the Aristocrat Motel located on South Ocean Drive, Hollywood, Florida.

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was interviewed by SA acknowledged that MEYER LANSKY frequented the Aristocrat Motel, but he stated that he had not seen LANSKY for about five weeks.

acknowledged that he knew Mrs. MEYER LANSKY and that she also visited the Aristocrat Motel.

was questioned as to the last time he had observed Mrs.

LANSKY and he advised that he had not seen her for a week or two.

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that he did not really want to discuss the activity of the LANSKYS nor to refuse to answer questions regarding them. stated he was afraid that if the LANSKYS knew he was being interviewed by the FBI regarding them his job would be in jeopardy.

MEYER LANSKY has been personally observed by SA visiting the Carlsbad Spa located on South Ocean Drive, Hollywood, Florida. LANSKY was last observed at the Spa on March 13, 1961, by SA

was interviewed by SA

advised that she knew of MEYER LANSKY but does not know him well and does not recall having seen him at the Carlsbad Spa in the past few years. She stated that it was possible for him to visit Carlsbad Spa and for her not to have this knowledge She stated that she knew nothing regarding the activities or business of MEYER LANSKY.



MM 92-102 E. Travel

MEYER LANSKY had left his residence for a short time.

MEYER LANSKY has trouble with all three of his children and as a result of this trouble his stomach ulcer condition is worsened.

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F. Personal Habits and Status of Health

dvised SA EDDY on March 19,
1961, that MEYER LANSKY and considered
LANSKY to have a serious health problem with his stomach
ulcers.

IN VIEW OF LANSKY'S BACKGROUND AND FORMER ARRESTS
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Miami, Florida March 31, 1961

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IN VIEW OF LANSKY'S PRIOR ARRESTS FOR HOMICIDE, HE SHOULD BE CONSIDERED ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

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Re Miami airtel to Bureau dated 4/19/61 and Boston airtel to Miami dated 4/17/61.

Boston airtel advises LANSKY admitted to Peter Bent Brigham Hospital, Boston, Mass., 3/14/61, for treatment of his ulcers. LANSKY indicated he is going to return to Fla. after he leaves Boston and will bring his wife's grandchildren with him.

Boston currently attempting to locate LANSKY and determine his activities after release from hospital. Boston advise date of LANSKY'S release from hospital.

IN VIEW OF LANSKY'S PRIOR ARRESTS FOR HOMICIDE, HE SHOULD BE CONSIDERED ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

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Title: MEYER LANSKY

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Synopsis: MEYER LANSKY not observed at his residence. 612 Hibiscus Drive, Golden Isles, Hallandale, Fla.

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seen LANSKY and believe he is still out-of-town.

IN VIEW OF LANSKY'S BACKGROUND AND FORMER ARRESTS FOR HOMICIDE, HE SHOULD BE CONSIDERED ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

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DETAILS:

A. PERSONAL HISTROY AND BACKGROUND

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advised on

April 14, 1961, that he has not seen subject for several days.

Daily physical surveillances and spot checks by

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from March 24, 1961,
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advised that he has still not seen the subject since the last contact by Special Agents. He stated that he observed Mrs. LANSKY around April 6, 1961, entering the hotel. He stated he would be on the lookout for the subject.



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to File No. 92-102

Miami, Florida April 24, 1961

Title MEYER LANSKY

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Reference report of Special Agent dated April 24, 1961, and captioned as above at Miami.

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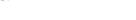
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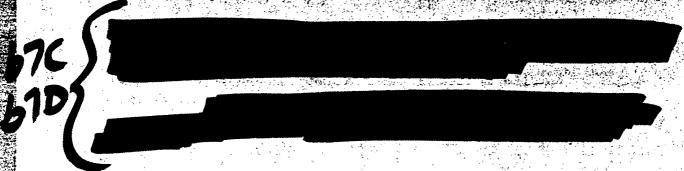


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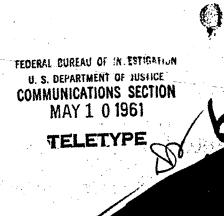




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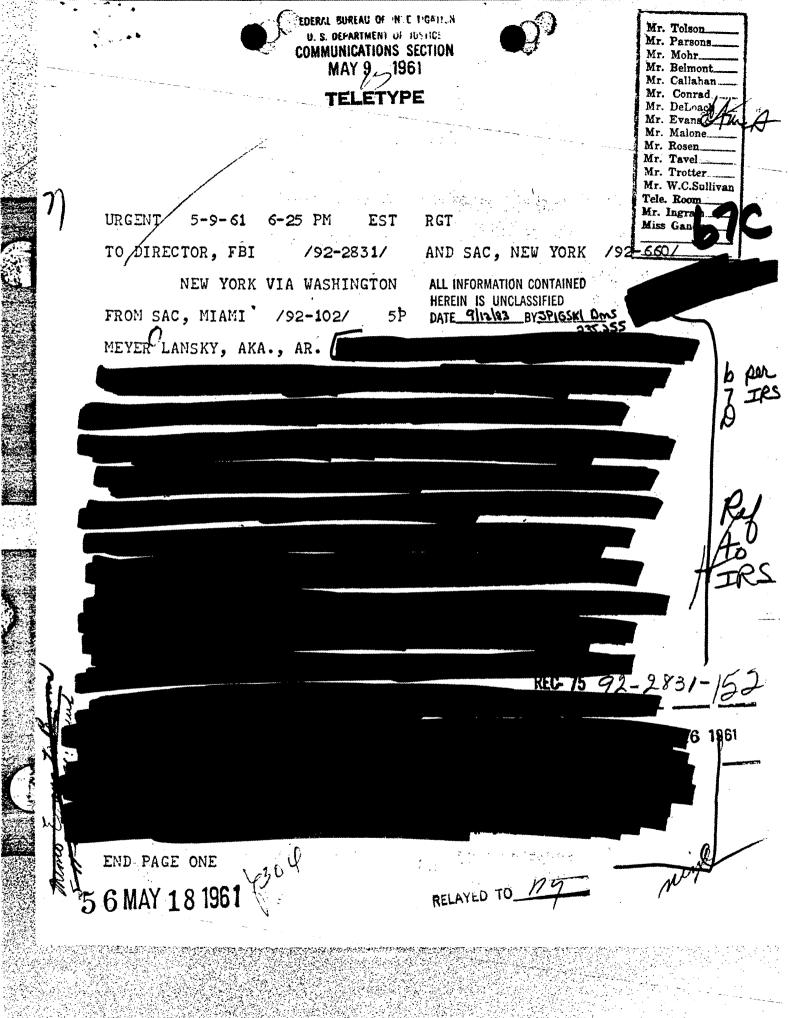
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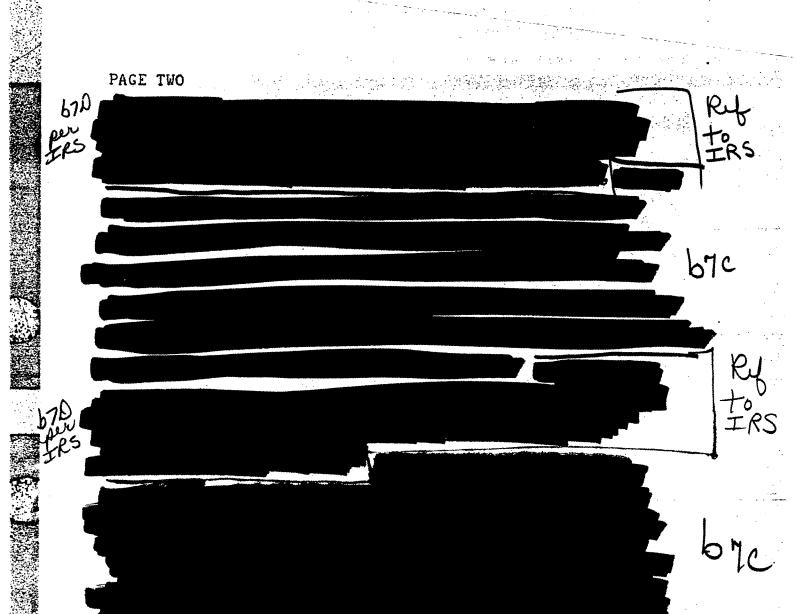
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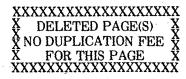


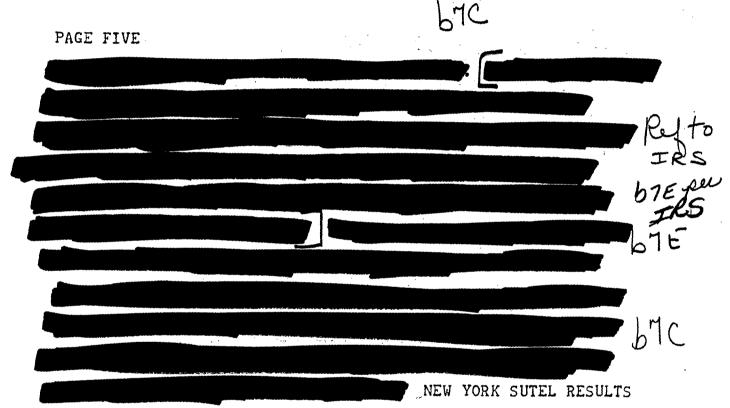


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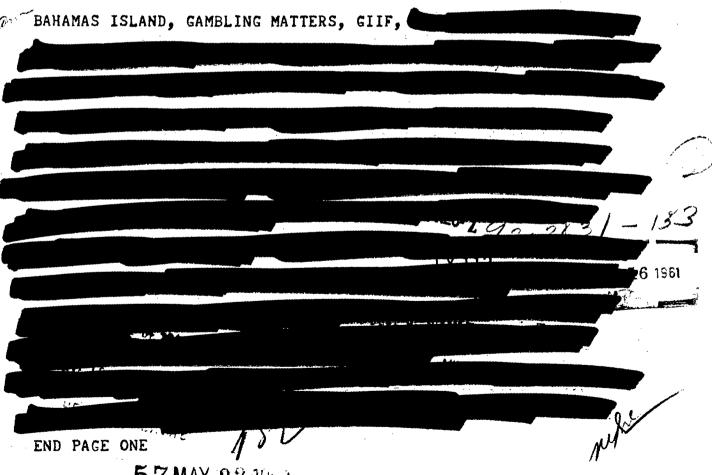
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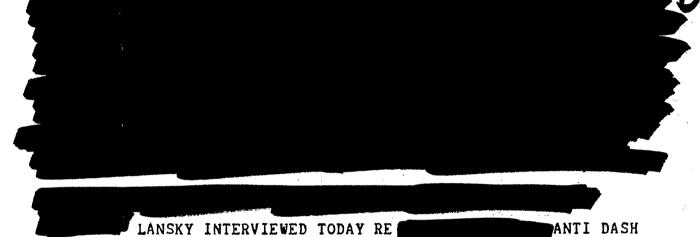
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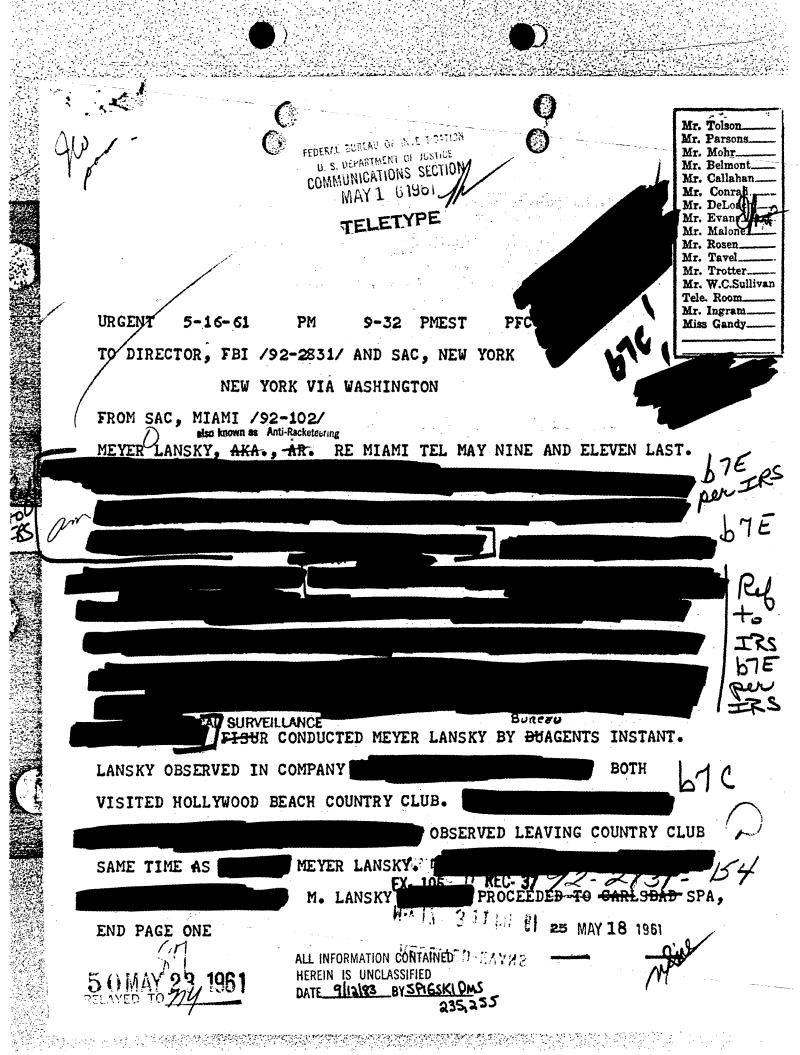
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There is enclosed herewith two copies of a letter dated May 16, 1961, from Mr. Edwyn Silberling, Chief, Organized Crime and Racketeering Section, Criminal Division of the Department, captioned as above. This letter sets forth specific infestigation requested by Mr. Silberling relating to the activities of

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Information copies of this report have been designated for the above offices, in view of the extensive activity of IANSKY in their territories, and possible subsequent investigation there.

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A conference with representatives of the Attorney General's Office,

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Washington, D. C., was held on May 4, 1961, in the Miami Office of the FBI; and the IANSKY case was discussed.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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May 22, 1961

Field Office File No.:

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92-2831

Title:

MEYER LANSKY

Character:

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Synopsis:

IANSKY has returned to his residence, 612 Hibiscus Drive, Golden Isles, Hallandale, Fla., after an absence of several days. Part of time was spent in Boston hospital for treatment of stomach ulcers. In interview, he admits knowing but declined to answer any specific questions.

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DETAILS:

PERSONAL HISTORY AND BACKGROUND

Residence:

Subject continues to reside at 612 Hibiscus Drive, Golden Isles, Hallandale, Florida. Daily fisurs at

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at subject's residence, April 18 through 27, 1961, failed to reflect any evidence subject had returned home. A man, possibly identical with subject, was observed by SA at this residence on April 28, 1961.

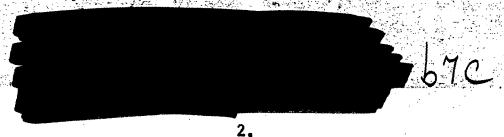
On May 3, 1961, Mrs. MEYER LANSKY was interviewed at this address. She stated MEYER was suffering from ulcers, and had gone off on an auto trip for a few days. She stated he has to be alone during these attacks. Mrs. IANSKY went into a tirade about the "harrassing tactics of the FBI". She said it was a shame that the FBI was contacting friends and associates of IANSKY, and making inquiry about him, as he had a clean record, and nothing to hide, and these tactics were a source of embarrassment to him. She stated she would tell her husband that the FBI had made inquiry of her concerning him, and that he would contact the FBI Office in Miami on his return.

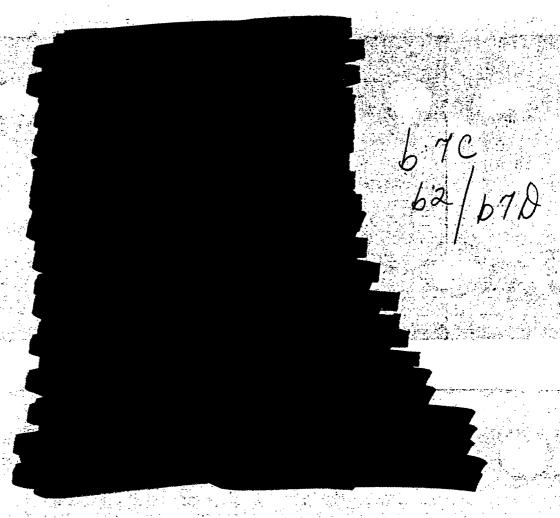
reflect the subject at his residence or at his known hangouts in the Miami area.

On May 10, 1961, IANSKY telephonically contacted the FBI Office at Miami, Florida, and stated he was available for interview at his residence.

By communication dated April 28, 1961, the New York Office advised that:

The following investigation at New York, New York, was conducted by SA In an effort to locate subject. Subject had not been seen or heard from by any of these individuals:





It should be noted the subject was in the Boston area during March of 1961, at which time he reportedly expressed his intention to Eturn to Florida.

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By communication dated April 17, 1961, the Boston Office advised that on April 14, 1961.

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MEYER LANSKY, 612 Hibiscus Drive, Golden Isles, Florida, advised prior to interview he had contacted his lawyer, and was advised not to answer anything which he thought might incriminate him. He stated he knew for many years. He said he last saw about a year ago in Miami. He said he saw him socially, and it was not a business contact. He said he believed this time is somewhere in California. He said he believed is living in Italy, with her two children, He said he believes she moved there from Switzerland, to take advantage of the Italian schools. He said he did not know why she lived abroad. He said he does not have any business interests with at this time. He refused to discuss any business dealings he may have had with the advice of his lawyer. LANSKY stated he knew he was being investigated by the Internal Revenue, and said he was not going to be pinned down to specifics in any way, as he was not going to incriminate himself in any way. His attitude was friendly, but he evaded all questions on business, or contacts. He advised he was legally married to his present wife, THEIMA, but refused to say where or when. He said he felt he was being persecuted because of his name, and said he took a "fall" in the Arrowhead Inn flasco because there had been a falling out amongst politicians, and he was offered up as a sop as a consequence,

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Miami, Florida May 22, 1961

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Reference

Report of SA dated and captioned as above at Miami.

All sources (except any listed below) used in referenced communication have furnished reliable information in the past.

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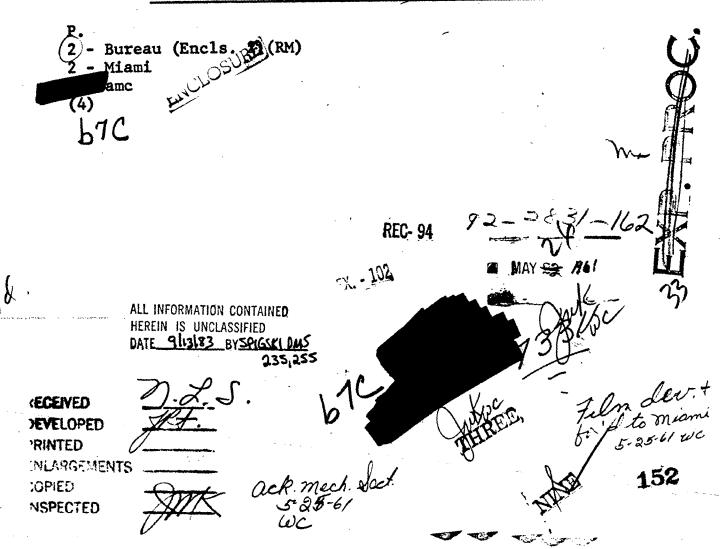
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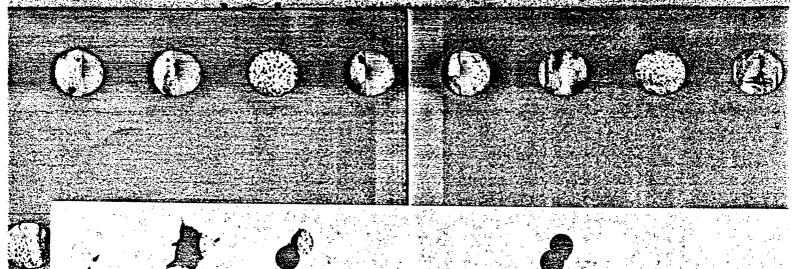
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MEYER LANSKY SHOULD BE CONSIDERED ARMED AND DANGEROUS.





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SAC, Miami (92-102)

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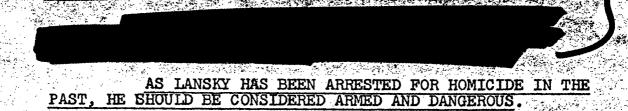


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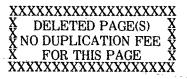






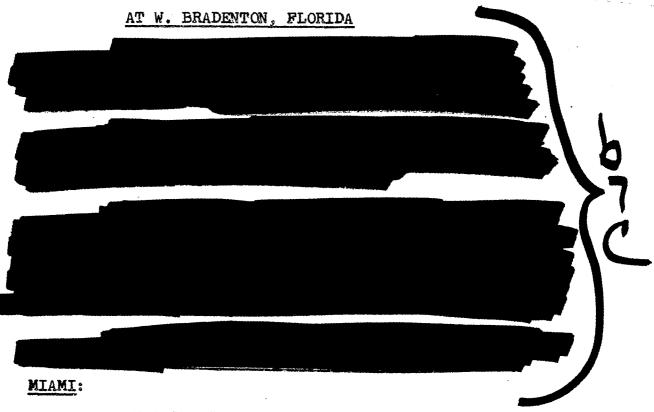
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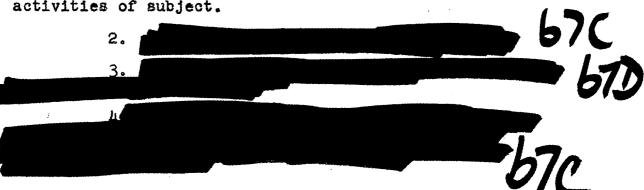
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Miami, Florida

Title:

MEYER LANSKY

Character:

ANTI-RACKETEERING

Synopsis:

MEYER LANSKY presently at his residence, 612 Hibiscus Drive, Golden Isles, Hallandale, Fla. Surveillances reflect he is active physically and not bedridden. Associates and contacts of LANSKY's set out.

Refer to IRS

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DETAILS:

PERSONAL HISTORY AND BACKGROUND

MEYER LANSKY is presently residing at his home, 612 Hibiscus Drive, Golden Isles, Hallandale, Florida, as of June 6, 1961, when he was observed there by SA.

Spot checks and fisurs from May 11, 1961, through June 8, 1961 failed to reflect LANSKY has been away from the Hallandale - Miami area for any great interval of time, if at all during this period.

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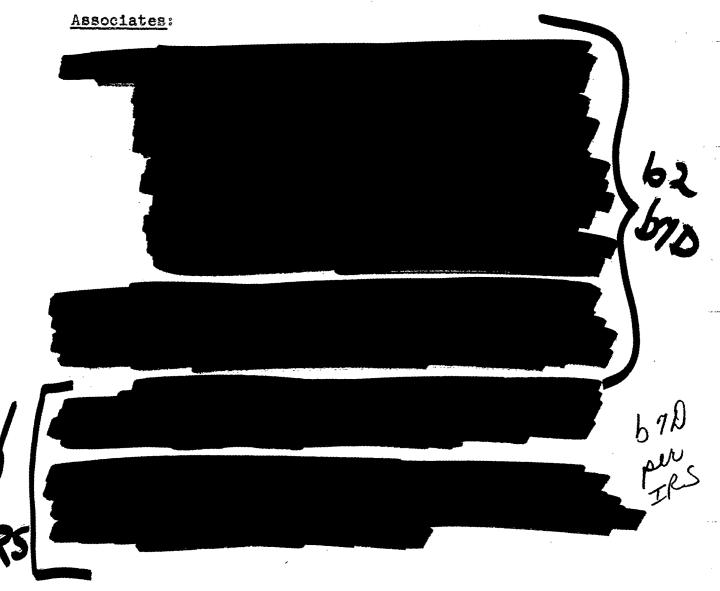
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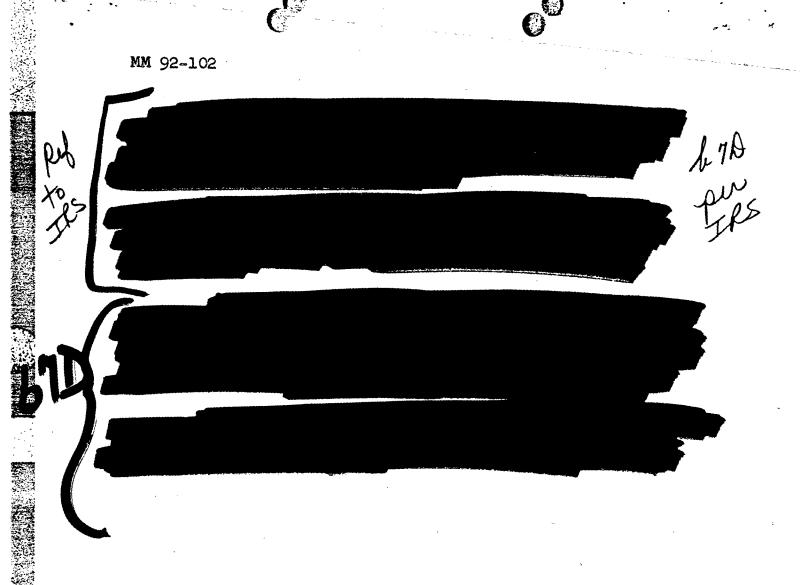
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Health:

Personal observation by surveilling Agents reflect LANSKY is active in that he walks briskly, drives a car, and talks coherently. No contact has been made with this investigation.







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SAS participated in the surveillance of MEYER LANSKY on May 17, 1961.

On May 16, 1961, MEYER LANSKY was driving a 1961 tan Oldsmobile with 1961 Florida license 10E219. After visiting the downtown area of Hollywood, Florida, he picked up in the 1200 block of Monroe Street, Hollywood, and proceeded to the Hollywood Beach Country Club.

Immediately thereafter MEYER LANSKY were observed leaving the Country Club.

After MEYER LANSKY dropped off in the 1200 block of Monroe Street, he proceeded to the Carlsbad Spa where he parked. Shortly thereafter arrived at the Carlsbad Spa in his grey Ford Thunderbird. The following cars were observed parked at the Carlsbad Spa:

1961 white Cadillac with 1961 Florida license plate 10WW176.

1961 white and green Ford with 1961 Florida license plate 1-72065.

1961 white Chevrolet with 1961 Florida license plate 1W-145490.

Restaurant located 185th Street and Collins with an unidentified man.

Arrived at the restaurant MEYER LANSKY arrived in a white Jaguar which was driven by an unidentified white male. The license plate on the Jaguar was red in color with white and silver numbers 9274 over 75 in the lower left hand corner of the license were the letters TIB. The license plate was not identified as to state or county. It is believed to be a foreign license plate. The unidentified

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male driver of this car is described as $5^{1}6^{11} - 5^{11}8^{11}$, in his 60^{1} s, medium weight, grey hair, combed straight back.

Immediately after MEYER LANSKY arrived at Maisel's restaurant, a blue Oldsmobile arrived and it was obvious that they were accompanying LANSKY. The two unidentified white males in the Oldsmobile are described as (1) white male, 6'1" - 6'2", 220 pounds, in his 50's bald, well sun-tanned; (2) described as white male, age 50, 5'10" - 6', 180 - 190 pounds, dark hair - greying, well sun-tanned. This blue Oldsmobile had 1961 Florida license plate 10WW8029.

At 1:58 PM, the blue Oldsmobile described above was observed being driven from the Maisel's parking lot. The two white males described above were in the car as well This car returned to the Carlsbad Spa. Immediately after the Oldsmobile left, the white Jaguar also departed Maisel's. The car drove to the Sahara Motel where the driver talked to a woman standing near the door. Almost immediately thereafter a car arrived at the Carlsbad Spa. The car had 1961 Florida license plate 10WW176. MEMER LANSKY was observed to be a passenger in this car. The driver is described as white male, age 50, 61, 250 pounds, well dressed. Later this white Cadillac was observed at 2:40 PM parked at the Aristocrat Motel. was also observed at the Aristocrat Motel later that afternoon. At 4:50 PM MEYER LANSKY returned to the car. MEYER LANSKY then after Carlsbad Spa in conversation with his brother, JACK LANSKY, returned to his residence.

On May 17, 1961, MEYER LANSKY was picked up at his residence by a white male, driving a 1961 white Chevrolet with 1961 Florida license plate 1W145490. This individual with MEYER LANSKY drove to Maisel's located at 79th Street Shopping Center on Biscayne Boulevard. They later proceeded to Jordan Marsh' Department Store and after shopping there returned to MEYER LANSKY's residence. MEYER LANSKY left the automobile at his residence and was not observed to leave the residence