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TO: [illegible]

FROM: [illegible] (8-1351)

DATE: November 5, 1952

SUBJECT: [illegible]

[illegible] telegram to the Bureau, DC to Atlanta, dated 10-31-52.

Subject [illegible] date before U. S. Commissioner [illegible] in Atlanta, and has discharged on a poor convict's oath. [illegible] present at his hearing were U. S. Commissioner [illegible], Assistant U. S. Attorney [illegible], Subject's wife [illegible], and an unidentified man. Subject's wife, [illegible], and the unidentified man were not placed under oath and did not take an active part in the hearing.

Assistant U. S. Attorney [illegible] advised that the following transpired at the hearing:

Subject BRETTHAUER testified under oath and denied he had any property of value either tangible or intangible and advised that the $100 a week that his wife has been receiving from the Techniflex Corporation represented an advance to him by the Techniflex Corporation against royalties that might be due to him for a valve that he designed for Techniflex, which valve has not yet been manufactured or sold. Subject BRETTHAUER advised that negotiations had been completed for the manufacture and the sale of this valve.

BRETTHAUER advised that these payments made to him by Techniflex had not been continuous payments that rather had been paid to him only during a portion of the time he was in the penitentiary.

[illegible] testified under oath that he has a claim against the [illegible] of aeronautical [illegible] of the Republic of China, 2100 Tarpon Place, Arlington, D.C. This claim is in the amount of not less than $[illegible] nor more than $[illegible] of an original $85,000 that was to be advanced by the Corporation for developing processes in the manufacture of various chemicals.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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New York, New York
October 30, 1952

Transmit the following Teletype message to BUREAU

ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, WAS, PLACED TAKING FINANCIAL ABILITY. ABRAHAM BROTHMAN IS TO BE RELEASED FROM FEDERAL PENITENTIARY, ATLANTA, GEORGIA ON NOVEMBER FIVE NEXT WHICH HE HAS TAKEN A PAUPER'S OATH. USA, SDNY HAS REQUESTED INVESTIGATION TO DETERMINE THE FINANCIAL ABILITY OF BROTHMAN TO PAY HIS TEN THOUSAND DOLLAR FINE. A REVIEW OF THIS NY FILE, ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, WAS, ESPIONAGE-R, OBSTRUCTION OF JUSTICE, BUFILE ONE NAUGHT NAUGHT DASH THREE SIX FIVE NAUGHT FOUR NAUGHT, WFO FILE ONE NAUGHT NAUGHT DASH TWO ONE FOUR SEVEN NAUGHT REFLECTS THAT [redacted] b7d RECENTLY ADVISED THAT BROTHMAN STATED THAT " HE HAS SOLD HIMSELF FINANCIALLY TO JACOB FREIDUS". THIS INFORMANT FURTHER ADVISED THAT BROTHMAN WAS WORKING ON A PATENT WHICH IF DEVELOPED WOULD BELONG ONE HUNDRED PER CENT TO FREIDUS. JACOB FREIDUS WAS INDICTED ON APRIL SEVEN, FORTY NINE ON CHARGES OF HAVING EVADED PAYMENT OF INCOME TAXES. HE WAS TRANSFERRED FROM FEDERAL HOUSE OF DETENTION, NYC TO BIG WASHINGTON, D.C. JAIL ON AUGUST TWENTY SEVEN, FIFTY TWO. FREIDUS IS AFFILIATED WITH STARRETT TELEVISION, SIX NAUGHT ONE W. TWENTY SIXTH STREET, NYC AND TECHNITEX.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Transmit the following Teletype message to:

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CORP., PORT JERVIS, NY. FREIDUS ALLEGEDLY PAID FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS TO BROTHMAN'S ATTORNEY FOR BROTHMAN'S APPEAL. [redacted] b7d

[redacted] TECHNIFLEX CORP., PORT JERVIS, NY, WAS INTERVIEWED IN JANUARY OF NINETEEN SIXTY TWO BY AGENTS OF THE NYO.

[redacted] STATED THAT HE HAS BEEN SEEING NAOMI BROTHMAN, WIFE OF ABRAHAM, ABOUT ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS PER WEEK AS COMPENSATION FOR THE USE BY TECHNIFLEX OF A "ONE INCH ON DASH OFF TYPE PACKLESS VALVE" DESIGN BY ABRAHAM BROTHMAN. [redacted] b7d STATED THAT THE CHECKS ARE MADE OUT TO HIM AND HE INDORSES THEM THEREAFTER GIVING THE CASH TO NAOMI. THE CONFIDENTIAL INFORMANT MENTIONED ABOVE HAS ALSO ADVISED THAT BROTHMAN IS DOING SOME WORK FOR STARRETT TELEVISION ON THE DESIGN OF A COLOR TELEVISION RECEIVER. WASHINGTON FIELD IS REQUESTED TO INTERVIEW FREIDUS AT THE WASHINGTON, D.C., JAIL REGARDING THE FINANCIAL STATUS OF BROTHMAN PARTICULAR ATTENTION SHOULD BE PAID TO ANY ARRANGEMENTS BROTHMAN MAY HAVE WITH FREIDUS FOR WORK BROTHMAN MAY BE DOING FOR TECHNIFLEX OR STARRETT TELEVISION. THE DETAILS OF ANY MONEY PAID TO BROTHMAN OR TO A THIRD PARTY FOR BROTHMAN BY FREIDUS SHOULD BE ASCERTAINED. IT IS REQUESTED THAT THIS MATTER BE HANDLED EXPEDITIOUSLY IN VIEW OF THE FACT THAT BROTHMAN WILL BE RELEASED NOVEMBER FIVE NEXT. BOARDMAN

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

AIR - TEL

New York
10/31/52

Transmit the following Teletype message to: BUREAU

ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, WAS; ASCERTAINING FINANCIAL ABILITY. USA, SDNY, HAS REQUESTED USA, ATLANTA, TO QUESTION BROTHMAN UNDER OATH ABOUT CERTAIN MATTERS BEFORE ALLOWING HIM TO TAKE A PAUPER'S OATH. THIS EXAMINATION WILL PROBABLY TAKE PLACE ON NOVEMBER THREE NEXT. USA, SDNY, HAS REQUESTED NAOMI BROTHMAN TO APPEAR FOR EXAMINATION ON NOVEMBER FIVE NEXT. THIS QUESTIONING WILL BE MAINLY CONCERNED WITH A PAYMENT OF ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS PER WEEK THAT NAOMI HAS ALLEGEDLY BEEN RECEIVING FROM TECHNIFLEX CORPORATION AS ROYALTIES FOR A VALVE DESIGNED BY ABE AND USED BY TECHNIFLEX. ATLANTA SHOULD ALERT INFORMANTS FOR ANY ATTEMPT ON THE PART OF BROTHMAN TO COMMUNICATE WITH NAOMI TO INSTRUCT HER WITH REGARD TO HER ANSWERS IN THE SUPPLEMENTARY PROCEEDING.

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WASHINGTON AND NEW YORK FROM NOLE FIELD 5:30 P.M.

DIRECTOR AND SAC INTERNAL

ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, WAS., AFA. HE BY TEL OCT. THIRTY LAST. BY FILE NUMBER THREE DASH FIVE SEVEN SIX. JACK FREIDUS, UPON INTERVIEW NOV. FOUR, AT DISTRICT JAIL STATES FIRST MET BROTHMAN AT WESTSIDE DETENTION HEADQUARTERS, NEW YORK WHILE BOTH INCARCERATED. FREIDUS STATES HE HAS NO AGREEMENTS WITH BROTHMAN EXCEPT A TENTATIVE AGREEMENT WRITTEN IN CONSIDERATION OF APPROXIMATELY ONE PAGE BY WHICH FREIDUS HAS AN OPTION ON THE EXPLOITING OF CHEMICAL PATENTS OWNED BY BROTHMAN. FREIDUS WOULD ONLY STATE THAT THE AGREEMENT WAS BASED ON ROYALTIES AND PROVIDES GENERALLY FOR ONE TO THREE PER CENT OF SALES VALUE. HE SAID THERE ARE ABOUT SEVEN PATENTS BELONGING TO BROTHMAN. FREIDUS STATES COPY OF AGREEMENT MADE THE WITH PAPERS SENT TO HIS ATTORNEYS OR PAPERS AT HOME. FREIDUS STATES HIS ATTORNEYS PROBABLY WOULD NOT KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT THE AGREEMENT. FURTHER THAT UNLESS BOTH PARTIES STICK TO THEIR WORD THE AGREEMENT IS NOT WORTH THE PAPER IT IS WRITTEN ON. FREIDUS STATES [redacted], PRESIDENT, TECHNIFLEX, AUTHORIZED TO PAY OVER TO [redacted] FOR TECHNIFLEX FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS WHICH HE PAID OVER TO NAOMI BROTHMAN WHO IN TURN PAID JOHN MC ADE MINTON ON LATE BROTHMAN'S APPEAL ARGUED IN COURT OF APPEALS. FREIDUS STATED PAYMENT MADE IN DEVIOUS MANNER IN ORDER THAT MINTON WOULD NOT KNOW THAT FREIDUS WAS SOURCE OF FUNDS, INASMUCH AS

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[illegible] PAID INTO TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS FOR HIS APPEAL. FREIDUS STATES [redacted] PATENT TO HAVE MADE MORE AT ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS A [illegible] FOR [illegible] EXPENSES. HE STATES HE [illegible] ONE HUNDRED [illegible]. HE STATES THAT [illegible] HAS SENT MORE PATENTS TO [illegible] CONCERNING [illegible] PRESSURE CONTROLS. PATENT APPLICATIONS ARE TO BE FILED [illegible] CONTROLS. FREIDUS STATES BROTHMAN THE [illegible] SPACE HE HAD SENT TO EDWARD AUCHAN, A WEALTHY PHILANTHROPIST AND STOCKHOLDER IN SEARS ROEBUCK, AND RELATIVE OF JULIUS ROSENWALD, PROPRIETOR IN SEARS ROEBUCK. PATENT OR LOYALTY RIGHTS FOR TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS OR SOME SUCH FIGURE WHICH WAS USED FOR HIS BAIL. FREIDUS STATES THAT NO PROVISION HAVE BEEN MADE REGARDING THE MONEY PAID AND REGARDING INFORMATION MAY HAVE BEEN GIVEN THAT BROTHMAN'S FAMILY AND FRIENDS RAISED THE MONEY. FREIDUS WOULD NOT ELABORATE ON THIS SALE STATING HE ASKED NOTHING MORE ABOUT IT. FREIDUS STATES BROTHMAN IS ABSOLUTELY FREE, THAT HE BELIEVES HE OWNS A HOUSE AT POUGHKEEPSIE, NEW YORK, WITH A SEVEN THOUSAND DOLLAR MORTGAGE AND OWNS AN AUTOMOBILE. FREIDUS STATES HE IS SOLELY INTERESTED IN THE POTENTIAL BROTHMAN HAS TO OFFER AS A BRILLIANT ENGINEER AND BROTHMAN'S ABILITY TO MOVE FROM ONE TYPE RESEARCH TO ANOTHER. FOR INSTANCE BROTHMAN COULD DO WELL IN THE CHEMICAL FIELD OR ELECTRICAL FIELD OR PART OTHER FIELDS. FREIDUS SAYS HE EXPECTS TO USE BROTHMAN'S TREMENDOUS ABILITIES UPON BROTHMAN'S RELEASE FROM IMPRISONMENT. BRIEFLY, HE WAS VERY MUCH CONCERNED AT THIS POINT WITH BROTHMAN'S ACTUAL CONNECTION WITH

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[illegible] MATTERS AND STATED THAT SHOULD BROTHMAN INDICATE ANY SUCH CONNECTION HE WILL IMMEDIATELY BRING HIM. FRIDUS [illegible] DURING THE INTERVIEW BUT NOT WILLING TO BE SPECIFIC. HE STATED THAT HIS ATTORNEYS HAD TOLD HIM NOT TO SPEAK TO AGENTS OF THE GOVERNMENT. MR. [illegible], HOWEVER, CONSENTED TO THIS INTERVIEW. FRIDUS AS A SUBJECT IN THE FOLLOWING CASES OF WHICH NEW YORK IS COGNIZANT: [redacted] b7c [redacted], BRIBERY, AND STAR-ETT TELEVISION CORP., ET AL, FEDERAL LEASING INSURANCE AGENCY, RFC, [illegible] FRAUD.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-365040) DATE: 11/12/52

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (100-21470)

SUBJECT: ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, was.
ASCERTAINING FINANCIAL ABILITY

Reference is made to New York Air-Tel dated October 30, 1952, requesting Washington Field Office to interview JACOB FREIDUS at District Jail concerning financial agreements with subject.

On November 4, 1952, at 1:05 P.M., JACOB FREIDUS was interviewed at the District Jail, 19th and C Streets, Northeast, by Special Agents HOLLIS W. BOWERS and MAURICE A. TAYLOR. In connection with the interview of FREIDUS an interview form of the District Department of Correction had to be signed by FREIDUS consenting to his being interviewed. He was advised by the Agents that he did not have to consent to an interview and that statements made by him would be voluntary. FREIDUS was told of the interest of the United States Attorney for the Southern District of New York in the financial status of ABRAHAM BROTHMAN.

FREIDUS began talking by stressing the fact that it is his impression that ABRAHAM BROTHMAN was finished with Communism and the field of politics. He stated that he (FREIDUS) does not want any involvement with Communism. He said it was his impression that BROTHMAN had become sympathetic with Communism because of the fact that engineers in the 30's could not get jobs and that BROTHMAN on his own had made efforts to provide jobs for engineers. He said that he first met ABRAHAM BROTHMAN at the Westside Detention Headquarters, New York, New York, and that they didn't spend too much time discussing Communism but their interests ran to the scientific fields and principally because BROTHMAN appeared happiest when discussing scientific matters. FREIDUS was also interested through his companies interests and his own studies in City College of New York.

FREIDUS said that BROTHMAN had told him that JACOB COLOS introduced HARRY GOLD as an individual looking for a job. BROTHMAN stated that GOLD was not too competent but that he felt sorry for him and kept him on. BROTHMAN told FREIDUS that MIRIAM MOSKOWITZ wanted to fire HARRY GOLD because

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he was not competent. FREIDUS stated he spent about seven months with BROTHMAN in Westside and that they could sit around an entire day and talk. He said he arranged to have his cell moved next to that of BROTHMAN in order that they could talk. FREIDUS stated that others at Westside because of Communist activities at the time were [redacted] and [redacted], both of whom talked about Communism and always started off with the premise that it was the only thing. He stated that [redacted], considered by him to be a "loud mouth" tried to impress him with the fact that "Wall Street" was running the country. He said this was apparently done because of [redacted] having learned that FREIDUS owned considerable property and companies. He stated that on one occasion [redacted] was talking to him in his usual manner when [redacted] came over and spoke to [redacted] after which he no longer gave the "Wall Street" line to FREIDUS.

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FREIDUS stated that OSCAR JOHN VAGO was also at Westside and that in his opinion VAGO was an "out and out Communist" who endeavored to convert FREIDUS to Communism. Further that he (FREIDUS) would say to VAGO how can one agree with Communism when they have an election with only one party and ninety nine per cent of the votes are for STALIN. FREIDUS stated that he could not, in any manner, reason with VAGO.

With regard to the finances of ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, FREIDUS related the following:

BROTHMAN told him that he had sold certain patent or royalty rights for $25,000 or some such figure to EDWARD NORMAN, a wealthy philanthropist who lives on 5th Avenue in New York. FREIDUS said NORMAN was a stockholder in Sears, Roebuck Company and is believed to be related to JULIUS ROSENWALD also of Sears, Roebuck, Company. BROTHMAN used

the money [illegible] is well and inadvertently or mistakenly made no provision for returning the money back. He said that the transaction was handled by BROTHMAN in such a manner as to make it appear that the money came from relatives and/or friends. FREIDUS would not elaborate any further on the sale of [illegible] BROTHMAN.

BROTHMAN's chemical business went bankrupt while he was in jail and he is absolutely broke. BROTHMAN owns a house in Poughkeepsie, New York, which was mortgaged by a local bank for about $7,000. The value of the house was approximately $15,000. It is believed that BROTHMAN owned an automobile. FREIDUS authorized [redacted], President of Techniflex which is owned by FREIDUS and his family, to pay to [redacted] of Techniflex, $5,000 which [redacted] paid over to Mrs. BROTHMAN who in turn paid JOHN McKIN MINTON the $5,000 on the date MINTON argued BROTHMAN's appeal in the Court of Appeals. The payment to MINTON was handled through Mrs. BROTHMAN in order that MINTON would not know that FREIDUS was a source of funds, in view of the fact that FREIDUS had to pay MINTON $25,000 for arguing his appeal. [redacted] has been paying $100 a week to the family of ABRAHAM BROTHMAN in order for them to have funds for living expenses. He stated that there are no written or verbal agreements in connection with this $100 a week payment. FREIDUS advised that while BROTHMAN has been in jail he has been able to obtain permission to send blueprints to Techniflex concerning certain temperature pressure controls for which patent applications are to be made. He states it takes approximately two years for a patent application to go through. FREIDUS also pointed out that [redacted] is a former employee of BROTHMAN and that he gave him the job at

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BROTHMAN's instigation. FREIDUS stated that he believed some of the blueprints prepared by BROTHMAN were sent to the office of JAMES BENNETT, Bureau of Prisons, Washington, D.C., for transmittal to New York. FREIDUS stated the money paid to the BROTHMAN family comes out of the Techniflex Corporation and that the patent benefits on the patents submitted by BROTHMAN will be for the Techniflex Corporation.

FREIDUS advised that a tentative agreement, of approximately one page in length, was prepared in longhand by he and BROTHMAN while at Westside. He stated that it was a very nebulous agreement providing that if and when BROTHMAN got out, FREIDUS would have an option to exploit certain chemical patents held by BROTHMAN and the basis for payment would be on the royalties. The agreement provides for an increase from one to three per cent of the sales value. He said he believed that there were seven original chemical patents involved in this agreement and that he had a copy which he either sent to his attorneys or placed in records at his home. FREIDUS stated that he doubts whether or not his attorneys know of the existence of the agreement; that it actually is not worth the paper it is written on unless both parties personally back the agreement. FREIDUS would not provide the names of his attorneys stating that he did not want them contacted as they would be angry with him for having talked to the FBI. He stated that he had been instructed by his attorneys not to talk to any Government agents.

With respect to a color television invention by BROTHMAN, FREIDUS stated that BROTHMAN had devised a cylinder which would revolve before the TV screen as compared with the CBS color disc which revolved. He stated the cylinder was less bulky and that nothing had been paid BROTHMAN for this invention. He stated that about the time BROTHMAN devised this invention color television was pushed out of the public eye by FCC Directives.

With respect to [redacted] BROTHMAN, FREIDUS advised that [redacted] BROTHMAN had stated his wife always objected to his political activities and felt that the Communist made a sucker out of him. He said that BROTHMAN avoided VAGO while at Westside.

FREIDUS said that his interest in BROTHMAN was solely because of the fact that he believes BROTHMAN has a great scientific mind, that he is "fluid" in that he can transfer from one field of scientific endeavor to another and can do well in many fields. He said he hopes to use BROTHMAN's services after he is released from jail in his companies in New York, but that BROTHMAN could go to work for someone else as he has nothing binding on BROTHMAN. FREIDUS states that there are no agreements between BROTHMAN and any of FREIDUS's companies.

It is to be noted that JACOB FREIDUS is the subject of Washington Field Office investigations entitled, JACOB FREIDUS, [redacted] BRIBERY; and STARRETT TELEVISION CORP., ET AL, FEDERAL LENDING INSURANCE AGENCY, FLIC; MAIL FRAUD. b7c

New York Office is cognizant of these two investigations.

On October 17, 1952, a Grand Jury in Washington indicted FREIDUS and KOHL on two counts under Title 18, Section 1001; and one count under Title 18, Section 371, U.S. Code, and the trial for this case is set for December 10, 1952. RUC.

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THIS CASE ORIGINATED AT NEW YORK.. PMC

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TITLE OF CASE	CHARACTER OF CASE
ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, was: Abel Brothman, "Pa", "The Penguin"	ASCERTAINING FINANCIAL ABILITY

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

Investigation predicated upon request of USA, SDNY to determine the assets of the subject. BROTHMAN was a partner in the firm of A. Brothman and Associates and went out of business in 1950. This firm had contracts with Stanton Laboratories, Philadelphia, Pa. for designing process to manufacture thyo-glycolate. Amount due under contract never collected by firm. NAOMI BROTHMAN, wife of subject, has been receiving $100.00 per week from Techniflex Corp., Port Jervis, NY, as a result of royalties due BROTHMAN from this firm. JACOB BREIDUS advised BROTHMAN sold twenty five thousand dollars worth of patents to EDWARD MORMAN, NYC, but that Techniflex has no agreements with BROTHMAN. Bank account of NAOMI BROTHMAN reflects no substantial assets. Credit negative.

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DETAILS:

This investigation was predicated upon a request from the United States Attorney, Southern District of New York, for an investigation to determine the subject's assets in order that efforts might be made to collect the $10,000.00 fine levied against him in November, 1950.

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The records of the County Clerk's Office, New York County, Supreme Court Building, New York City, reflect that Partnership Certificate Number 2161 was filed on February 2[illegible], 1945 by MIRIAM MOSKOWITZ, 151 Eighth Avenue, New York City. The Certificate listed the following partners:

ABRAHAM ROTHMAN
4108 42 Street,
Long Island City, New York

JULES KORCHIEN
46 Washington Square South
New York City

OSCAR J. VAGO
6607 99 Street
Forest Hills, New York

GERHARD N. WOLLAN
28 Reeve Place
Brooklyn, New York.

The partnership was to do business at 114 East 32 Street, New York City. On October 16, 1946 Certificate of Dissolution of the above partnership was filed by MIRIAM MOSKOWITZ, room 1215, 29-28 41 Avenue, Long Island City, New York, listing the same four partners as stated above.

On September 16, 1950 Certificate of Amendment of the Certificate of Incorporation of Ulster Chemicals Incorporated was filed by LOUIS B. SCHEINMAN and CLARE KORNBLAU, as president and secretary respectively, of Ulster Chemicals Incorporated. The Certificate of Amendment indicates that the Certificate of Incorporation was filed on March 29, 1949 at the office of the Department of State, Albany, New York. The Certificate of Amendment amended the original certificate as follows:

The name was changed from Ulster Chemicals Incorporat

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to Tested Chemicals Incorporated. The place of business was changed to 350 Fifth Avenue, New York City, care of WILLIAM L. MESSING.

The records of the Clerk of the United States District Court, Southern District of New York, Bankruptcy Docket Number 87657, reflect that a Voluntary Bankruptcy Petition was filed by Tested Chemicals Incorporated on April 30, 1951 before Judge EDWARD WEINFELD, Southern District of New York. CLARE KORNBLAU signed the petition as secretary of the corporation.

At the same time a petition was filed requesting the court's permission to extend filing dates of schedules for twenty days and Statement of Affairs for ten days. This petition stated that this request was made necessary by the fact that Kepec Chemical Corporation, landlord of the premises occupied by Tested Chemicals, had served notice on Tested Chemicals that it would sell all of the assets at a "distress sale" on April 30, 1951 to pay $000.00 rent due the landlord. The equipment on the premises was estimated to be worth $8,000.00 to $10,000.00.

Schedules and a Statement of Affairs were filed on May 11, 1951. They reflected that the business was engaged in the development and manufacture of chemical products but that the business never commenced. The Statement of Affairs indicates that the books were under the supervision of MIRIAM MOSKOWITZ, 772 Boulevard, Bayonne, New Jersey, from September, 1950 to November, 1950 and under the supervision of S.J. MOSKOWITZ and LOUIS SCHEINMAN from March, 1949 to September, 1950. LEO SCHAFFER, 444 Madison Avenue, New York City, was listed as the auditor. The books and records were stated to be in the possession of CLARE KORNBLAU, 82 Danforth Avenue, Jersey City, New Jersey. Bank accounts were listed at the Peoples National Bank of Keyport in the names of CLARE KORNBLAU and ESTER TANYA and at the Broadway National Bank, Bayonne, in the names of

LOUIS SCHEINMAN and S. J. MOSKOWITZ. The officers were listed as follows:

CLARE KORNBLAU, secretary
82 Danforth Avenue
Jersey City, New Jersey

ESTER TANYA, treasurer
340 East 51 Street
New York City

LOUIS SCHEINMAN, president
Woodburne, New York.

The creditors included the following:

Hillside National Bank, 1320 North Broad Street, Hillside, New Jersey, was listed as a secured creditor holding a chattel mortgage on a piece of machinery as security for a $1,000.00 note on which $600.00 was due.

Unsecured Creditors:

GEORGE HACK, Cliffwood, New Jersey, for labor	$ 850.00
FRED RICHARDSON, Cliffwood, New Jersey, for labor	660.00
Peoples National Bank of Keyport, Keyport, New Jersey, note	1,800.00
ESTHER TANYA, loan	2,000.00
S.J. MOSKOWITZ, loan	2,000.00
BENJAMIN LONSTEIN, Ellenville, New York, loan	1,000.00
LOUIS SCHEINMAN, endorser on two notes	1,000.00
	$11,[illegible].00

Also listed were numerous accounts payable for merchandise and equipment, making up total liabilities of $20,697.66.

The following assets were listed:

Lease with Kroco Chemical Corporation, security deposit	$ 675.00
Machinery and equipment at plant in Clifton, New Jersey	8,000.00
Insurance policies, Bankers Indemnity-Workmen's Compensation, Homeland Insurance Company, fire insurance-value of policies not known.	

There were no other assets listed.

SAM LIPSON, attorney, 67 West 44 Street, New York City, advised that he was attorney for the Trustee in Bankruptcy of Tested Chemicals Incorporated. He made available all the books and records that had been turned over to him. These records included cancelled checks, bank statements and passbooks from the Peoples National Bank of Keyport and the National Bank of Bayonne. No other books and records were available and LIPSON stated that since the company never commenced doing business, he did not believe any other records existed.

LIPSON stated that the machinery and equipment had been sold at auction for $7,776.25, of which $4,046.93 was turned over to the Trustee, the remaining $3,729.32 going for expenses. LIPSON stated that there were no other assets to be disposed of and as far as he is concerned, the matter is closed.

It should be noted that during interviews conducted during 1950 with ABRAHAM BROTHMAN and MIRIAM MOSKOWITZ by

agents of the New York office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, both advised that Ulster Chemicals Incorporated was established to manufacture a home permanent wave lotion. Both BROTHMAN and MOSKOWITZ were hired by Ulster to design the plant and set up the process for manufacturing this lotion. At the time of their arrest on July 26, 1950, they were still working on this process.

Confidential Informant T-1, of known reliability advised that the firm of A. Brothman and Associates formerly maintained a bank account at the Long Island City Branch of the National City Bank, Bridge Plaza North at 29 Street, Long Island City, which account was closed in 1950.

Confidential Informant T-2, of known reliability, furnished the following information concerning the bank account of A. Brothman and Associates and ABRAHAM BROTHMAN and NAOMI BROTHMAN at the Queens Plaza Branch of the National City Bank.

A joint account with ABRAHAM BROTHMAN and/or NAOMI BROTHMAN was opened at the 32 Street Branch of the National City Bank on May 3, 1945 and was transferred to the Queens Plaza Branch in 1946, at which time the balance was $113.76. The account was closed on January 25, 1951, at which time a balance of $.56 remained. This account never exceeded $350.00 and the balance was usually less than $100.00. BROTHMAN gave his place of business as Aromatic Chemicals, 114 East 32 Street, New York City, when he opened the account.

A. Brothman and Associates maintained an account at the Queens Plaza Branch but it was closed on October 31, 1950, at which time it was $1.84 overdrawn. An average balance of less than $1,000.00 was maintained. ABRAHAM BROTHMAN and MIRIAM MOSKOWITZ had authority to sign checks.

Confidential Informant T-3, of known reliability,

advised that ABRAHAM BROTHMAN applied for a personal loan at the National City Bank on September 12, 1950.

Confidential Informant T-4, of known reliability, advised that BROTHMAN'S application for a loan in 1950 had been denied and that the application could not be located. T-4 advised that a loan of $2,000.61 was made to ABRAHAM BROTHMAN on May 16, 1949 by the National City Bank. This loan was for a 1949 Oldsmobile car, which was insured by the Berkshire Mutual Fire Insurance Company, 1440 Broadway, New York City. BROTHMAN'S attorney was listed as WILLIAM L. MESSING, 350 Fifth Avenue, New York City. T-4 could supply no further information pertinent to this investigation.

THOMAS J. KIERNAN, an attorney with the firm of CLEAR , GOTTLIEB, FRIENDLY and HAMILTON, 52 Wall Street, New York City, advised that on October 11, 1946 a Certificate of Partnership was filed between ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, OSCAR VAGO and MIRIAM MOSKOWITZ. This partnership was dissolved on June 3, 1948 with BROTHMAN and MOSKOWITZ continuing as a partnership without any formal agreement. Under the terms of the original agreement, BROTHMAN'S interest amounted to 70% with VAGO and MOSKOWITZ each having 15%. KIERNAN believed that under the BROTHMAN, MOSKOWITZ arrangement, her interest amounted to 30%. At the time the partnership between BROTHMAN, VAGO and MOSKOWITZ was dissolved, it had assets of $21,515.00 and liabilities of $46,451.00.

Further according to KIERNAN, A. Brothman and Associates on November 11, 1947 entered into an agreement with Stanton Laboratories of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, in which BROTHMAN agreed to set up a process and design plant and building for the manufacture of ammonium thyoglycolate. For this work A. Brothman and Associates were to receive $10,500.00 plus 10% of Stanton's profits for five years. However, if these profits were not sufficient to give the Brothman firm $100,000.00 during this five year period, then the period was to be extended to ten years. KIERNAN believed that the plant was actually built by

BROTHMAN and put into operation but that he was never able to collect on his agreement because Stanton claimed that the process was not as BROTHMAN had warranted. To date no action has been started by BROTHMAN to obtain this money although KIERNAN believes that it is collectible.

JEROME KLINE, accountant, 1011 Finance Building, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, who was former vice president of the Stanton Laboratories Incorporated, Philadelphia, was interviewed on October 30, 1952 and furnished the Philadelphia office with the original contract entered into by the Stanton Laboratories Incorporated and A. Brothman and Associates for the manufacture of ammonium thyo-glycolate. KLINE advised that A. Brothman and Associates did not live up to the terms of this contract and that they never did complete the process of setting up the plant for operation.

KLINE advised that an explosion occurred at the plant in October, 1949, resulting in a fire which completely destroyed the plant. Stanton Laboratories Incorporated never resumed operations after this and subsequently went into bankruptcy in May, 1951. KLINE stated that Stanton Laboratories Incorporated met with all of the terms of the contract entered into with A. Brothman and Associates prior to the discontinuance of BROTHMAN'S services. He advised that even if A. Brothman and Associates had been successful in putting this plant into operation, they would still have no money due them under the terms of the contract since their compensation was based upon the net profits of the plant's operations, of which there were none.

KLINE advised that the services of A. Brothman and Associates were terminated for the following reasons:

1- The cost to complete the process of setting up the plant to produce ammonium thyo-glycolate was running three times that agreed upon in the terms of the contract.

2- The time involved in the completion of this process far exceeded the estimated time agreed upon in the con

3- The process as set up by A. Brothman and associates would not produce any acid according to the specifications set out in the contract.

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[redacted] Technifiex Corporation, Port Jervis, New York, advised Special Agents WILLIAM P. WORTON and JOHN A. WARRINGTON in January, 1952 that he was paying NAOMI BROTHMAN approximately $100.00 per week for the use of a "one inch on-and-off type packless valve," designed by ABRAHAM BROTHMAN. [redacted] stated that in the beginning these checks were made out to him and that he endorsed them and thereafter gave the cash to NAOMI BROTHMAN, but that now the checks are made out to him as trustee and he later turns the funds over to NAOMI BROTHMAN. [redacted] stated that this is the result of an arrangement between the Technifiex Corporation and NAOMI BROTHMAN, the terms of which he is not aware.

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[redacted] stated that he plans to work with BROTHMAN on plastic research when BROTHMAN is released from jail. [redacted] advised that in addition to being chief engineer of Technifiex he is vice president of Remotrol, which is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Technifiex and which also located in Port Jervis, New York. Remotrol is engaged in research work in producing items to be manufactured and distributed by Technifiex.

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The records of the New York County Clerk's Office, Supreme Court Building, New York City, reflect that the Technifiex Corporation was issued Business Certificate Number 11527 on July 9, 1948, giving the business address as 45 Crosby Street, New York City. The principals in this business were listed as JACOB FRIEDMAN [illegible] Never's Road, Great Neck, Long Island, New York [illegible] FRIEDUS of the same address.

Confidential Informant T-[illegible] of known reliability, furnished the following information concerning the bank account of NAOMI BROTHMAN at the Manufacturers Trust Company.

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7-11 Queens Boulevard, Long Island City, New York. The balance of this account, as of October 28, 1952, was 45.03.

The following checks were drawn on this account during the month of October, 1952:

Date	Amount	Payee	Endorsements
September 8, 1952	$ 69.00	CHARLES MENTIONI	Payee National City Bank
September 19, 1952	37.12	First National Bank of Croton-on-Hudson	Payee
September 22, 1952	97.78	BERNARD McCORD, Receiver of taxes	Payee First National Bank of Croton-on-Hudson
September 19, 1952	100.00	CLARE KORNBLAU	Payee Trust Company New Jersey, Greenville Branch, Jersey City, New Jersey
October 9, 1952	9.85	New York Telephone Company	(EX 2-05[illegible])

The above account reflects the following deposits which may be significant:

Date	Amount	Description
June 13, 1951	$ 200.00	One $200.00 check
June 20, 1951	350.00	One $350.00 check, drawn on Bronx County Trust Company
July 2, 1951	400.00	

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Date	Amount	Description
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July 17, 1951	$400.00	one $400.00 check drawn on Corn Exchange Bank
August 9, 1951	250.00	Cash
September 5, 1951	250.00	Cash
March 29, 1952	200.00	Two $100.00 checks, three day delay
April 1, 1952	100.00	One $100.00 check drawn on Chemical Bank and Trust Company
April 7, 1952	100.00	
April 17, 1952	100.00	One $100.00 check drawn on National Bank and Trust Company, Port Jervis, New York
May 7, 1952	200.00	Two $100.00 checks
May 23, 1952	300.00	Three $100.00 checks
June 18, 1952	400.00	Four $100.00 checks
July 7, 1952	300.00	Three $100.00 checks drawn on National Bank and Trust Company, Port Jervis, New York
August 4, 1952	300.00	Three $100.00 checks
August 29, 1952	300.00	Three $100.00 checks

Confidential Informant T-7, of known reliability, advised that BROTHMAN indicated that he had "sold himself financially to JACOB FREIDUS." This informant further advised that BROTHMAN was working on a patent, which if developed, would belong one hundred per cent to FREIDUS.

JACOB FREIDUS was interviewed by Special Agents ROLLIS W. BOWERS and MAURICE A. TAYLOR on November 4, 1952 at the District Jail in Washington, D.C. It is note that FREIDUS was indicted on October 17, 1952 and his trial is set for December 10, 1952. FREIDUS stated that he first met BROTHMAN at the West Street Detention Headquarters New York City and that their discussions centered around

the scientific fields. FREIDUS stated that he spent about seven months with BROTHMAN at the Federal House of Detention in New York City. With regard to the finances of ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, FREIDUS related the following:

BROTHMAN told him that he had sold certain patent or royalty rights for around $25,000.00 to EDWARD NORMAN, a wealthy philantrophist who lives on Fifth Avenue in New York City. FREIDUS stated that NORMAN was a stockholder in Sears Roebuck Company and is believed to be related to JULIUS ROSENWALD, also of Sears Roebuck Company. According to FREIDUS, BROTHMAN used this money for bail and handled the transaction in such a manner as to make it appear that the money came from relatives or friends. FREIDUS did not elaborate any further on this sale to NORMAN.

FREIDUS stated that BROTHMAN'S chemical business went bankrupt while he was in jail and that he is absolutely broke. BROTHMAN owns a house in Poughkeepsie, New York, which was mortgaged by a local bank for about $7,000.00. The value of the house was approximately $15,000.00. It is believed that BROTHMAN owned an automobile. FREIDUS authorized [redacted], president of Techniflex, which is owned by FREIDUS and his family, to pay [redacted] of Techniflex, $5,000.00 which GOLDFARB paid over to Mrs. BROTHMAN, who in turn paid JOHN McKIM MINTON the $5,000.00 on the date MINTON argued BROTHMAN'S appeal in the Court of Appeals. The payment of MINTON was handled through Mrs. BROTHMAN in order that MINTON would not know that FREIDUS was a source of funds, in view of the fact that FREIDUS had to pay MINTON $25,000.00 for arguing his appeal. [redacted] has been paying $100.00 a week to the family of ABRAHAM BROTHMAN in order for them to have funds for living expenses. He stated that there are no written or verbal agreements in connection with this $100.00 a week payment. FREIDUS advised that while BROTHMAN has been in jail he has been able to obtain permission to send blueprints to Techniflex concerning certain temperature pressure controls for which patent applications are to be made. He stated that it takes about

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two years for a patent application to go through. FREIDUS also pointed out that [redacted] is a former employee of BROTHMAN and that he gave him the job at BROTHMAN'S instigation. FREIDUS stated that he believed some of the blueprints prepared by BROTHMAN were sent to the office of JAMES BENNETT, Bureau of Prisons, Washington, D.C., for transmittal to New York. FREIDUS stated that the money paid to the BROTHMAN family comes out of the Techniflex Corporation and that the patent benefits on the patents submitted by BROTHMAN will be for the Techniflex Corporation.

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FREIDUS advised that a tentative agreement, of approximately one page in length, was prepared in longhand by him and BROTHMAN while at West Street. He stated that it was a very nebulous agreement providing that if and when BROTHMAN, got out, FREIDUS would have an option to exploit certain chemical patents held by BROTHMAN and the basis for payment would be on the royalties. The agreement provides for an increase from one to three per cent of the sales value. He said he believed that there were seven original chemical patents involved in this agreement and that he had a copy which he either sent to his attorneys or placed in records at his home. FREIDUS stated that he doubts whether or not his attorneys know of the existence of the agreement; that it actually is not worth the paper it is written on unless both parties personally back the agreement. FREIDUS would not provide the names of his attorneys stating that he did not want them contacted as they would be angry with him for having talked to the Federal Bureau of Investigation. He stated that he had been instructed by his attorneys not to talk to any government agents.

With respect to a color television invention by BROTHMAN, FREIDUS stated that BROTHMAN had devised a cylinder which would revolve before the television screen as compared with the Columbia Broadcasting System color disc which revolved. He stated the cylinder was less bulky and that nothing had been paid BROTHMAN for this invention. He stated that about the time BROTHMAN devised this invention

color television was pushed out of the public eye by Federal Communications Commission directives.

FREIDUS stated that he hopes to utilize BROTHMAN'S services after the subject is released from jail but that BROTHMAN agreed to work for someone else as he and BROTHMAN have no binding agreements. He stated that there are no agreements between BROTHMAN and any of the companies with which he (FREIDUS) is affiliated.

The following investigation at Croton-on-Hudson and White Plains, New York, was conducted by SA JAMES E. GORDON:

Confidential Informant T-8, of known reliability, advised that the First National Bank, Croton-on-Hudson, New York, made a loan agreement with Mrs. NAOMI BROTHMAN, 41-08 42 Street, Long Island City, New York, on October 13, 1948 in the amount of $2,000.00 to expire October 13, 1958.

On September 7, 1950 the loan was refinanced and increased to $3,500.00. The balance at the present time is $2,907.48 and the monthly payments are $37.12 to expire September 7, 1960.

T-8 advised that Mrs. BROTHMAN took title to this property in her name from one CECILE HELLMAN by a deed dated May 15, 1945 subject to a mortgage in the amount of $4,500.00. The application for the mortgage, dated August 12, 1948, reflected that NAOMI BROTHMAN was married to ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, a self-employed engineer at 29-28 49 Avenue, Long Island City. She indicated that she had a checking account at the National City Bank, Long Island City. The property on which the mortgage was granted is located at Furnace Dock Road and Oak Lane, Peekskill, New York.

The records of the County Clerk's Office, Westchester County, White Plains, New York, were examined and it was determined that NAOMI BROTHMAN has not carried any mortgage on property in Westchester County since May, 1945.

A check of the registry of deeds and loans reflected no information to indicate that NAOMI BROTHMAN has transferred property held in her name since May, 1945.

The record of deeds reflected that on May 19, 1945 there was filed a deed executed on May 15, 1945 by CECILE HELLMAN, 1950 Andrews Avenue, Bronx, New York, transferring to NAOMI BROTHMAN, 41-08 42 Street, Long Island City the property as described above. The record indicated that on May 19, 1945 a mortgage was filed which had been entered into on May 15, 1945 on the property previously described. This mortgage was between CECILE HELLMAN and NAOMI BROTHMAN in the amount of $4,500.00.

The records of the Westchester Credit Bureau, White Plains, New York, reflect no information concerning ABRAHAM or NAOMI BROTHMAN.

Confidential Informant T-9, of known reliability, furnished the following information concerning war bonds purchased by ABRAHAM and NAOMI BROTHMAN as set out below:

Issued to	Issuing agent	Date	Amount
ABRAHAM BROTHMAN or Mrs. NAOMI BROTHMAN 41-08 42 Street Sunnyside, Long Island, New York.	The New York Trust Company, 40 Street, New York City.	October, 1942	$ 25.00
ABRAHAM BROTHMAN 41-08 42 Street. Long Island City, New York OR Mrs. NAOMI BROTHMAN	The New York Trust Company, 40 Street, New York City.	June, 1943	50.00
ABRAHAM BROTHMAN 41-08 42 Street Long Island City, New York OR Mrs. NAOMI BROTHMAN	The New York Trust Company, 40 Street, New York City.	February, 1943	50.00

Issued to (continued)	Issuing agent	Date	Amount
ABRAHAM BROTHMAN 41-08 42 Street Long Island City, New York OR Mrs. NAOMI BROTHMAN	The New York Trust Company, 40 Street, New York City.	February, 1943	[illegible]
ABRAHAM BROTHMAN 41-08 42 Street Long Island City, New York OR Mrs. NAOMI BROTHMAN	The New York Trust Company, 40 Street, New York City.	March, 1943	[illegible]
ABRAHAM BROTHMAN 41-08 42 Street Long Island City, New York OR Mrs. NAOMI BROTHMAN	The New York Trust Company, 40 Street, New York City.	April, 1943	50.00
ABRAHAM BROTHMAN 41-08 42 Street Long Island City, New York OR Mrs. NAOMI BROTHMAN	The New York Trust Company, 40 Street, New York City.	July, 1943	50.00
ABRAHAM BROTHMAN 41-08 42 Street Long Island City, New York OR Mrs. NAOMI BROTHMAN	The New York Trust Company, 40 Street, New York City.	July, 1943	50.00
ABRAHAM BROTHMAN 41-08 42 Street Long Island City, New York OR Mrs. NAOMI BROTHMAN	The New York Trust Company, 40 Street, New York City.	September, 1943	50.00

Issued to (continued)		Date	
ABRAHAM BROTHMAN 41-08 42 Street Long Island City, New York OR Mrs. NAOMI BROTHMAN	The New York Trust Company, 40 Street, New York City.	October, 1943	[illegible]
ABRAHAM BROTHMAN or Mrs. NAOMI BROTHMAN 41-08 42 Street, Long Island City, New York	The New York Trust Company, 40 Street, New York, New York.	[illegible] 1943	[illegible]
ABRAHAM BROTHMAN or Mrs. NAOMI BROTHMAN 41-08 42 Street Long Island City, New York.	The New York Trust Company, 40 Street New York City.	December, 1943	[illegible]
ABRAHAM BROTHMAN or Mrs. NAOMI BROTHMAN 41-08 42 Street Long Island City, New York	The New York Trust Company, 40 Street New York City.	January, 1944	50.00
ABRAHAM BROTHMAN or Mrs. NAOMI BROTHMAN 41-08 42 Street Long Island City, New York	Bank of the Manhattan Company, 40 Wall Street, New York City, Sunnyside Branch	February, 1944	100.00
ABRAHAM BROTHMAN or Mrs. NAOMI BROTHMAN 41-08 42 Street Long Island City, New York	The New York Trust Company, 40 Street, New York City.	March, 1944	50.00

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Issued to (continued)	Issuing Agent	Date	Amount
ABRAHAM BROTHMAN or Mrs. NAOMI BROTHMAN 41-08 42 Street, Long Island City, New York	The New York Trust Company, 40 Street, New York City.	April, 1944	$ 50.00
ABRAHAM BROTHMAN or Mrs. NAOMI BROTHMAN 41-08 42 Street Long Island City, New York	The New York Trust Company, 40 Street, New York City.	June, 1944	50.00
ABRAHAM BROTHMAN or Mrs. NAOMI BROTHMAN 41-08 42 Street Long Island City, New York	The New York Trust Company, 40 Street, New York City.	June, 1944	50.00
ABRAHAM BROTHMAN or Mrs. NAOMI BROTHMAN 41-08 42 Street Long Island City, New York	The New York Trust Company, 40 Street New York City.	July, 1944	50.00
ABRAHAM BROTHMAN or Mrs. NAOMI BROTHMAN 41-08 42 Street Long Island City, New York	National City Bank, 1 Park Avenue, New York City.	July, 1945	100.00
ABRAHAM BROTHMAN or Mrs. NAOMI BROTHMAN 41-08 42 Street Long Island City, New York	The New York Trust Company, 40 Street New York City.	September, 1945	100.00

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Issued to (continued)	Issuing Agent	Date	Amount
ABRAHAM BROTHMAN or Mrs. NAOMI BROTHMAN 41-08 42 Street Long Island City, New York	Bank of the Manhattan Company, 40 Wall Street, New York City, Sunnyside Branch	June, 1944	100.00
ABRAHAM BROTHMAN or Mrs. NAOMI BROTHMAN 41-08 42 Street Long Island City, New York	Bank of the Manhattan Company, 40 Wall Street, New York City, Sunnyside Branch	December, 1944	100.00
ABRAHAM BROTHMAN or Mrs. NAOMI BROTHMAN 41-08 42 Street Long Island City, New York	Bank of the Manhattan Company, 40 Wall Street, New York City, Sunnyside Branch	December, 1944	100.00
ABRAHAM BROTHMAN or Mrs. NAOMI BROTHMAN 41-08 42 Street Long Island City New York	Bank of the Manhattan Company, 40 Wall Street, New York City, Sunnyside Branch	December, 1944	100.00
Miss RITA SUSAN BROTHMAN or Mrs. NAOMI BROTHMAN 41-08 42 Street Sunnyside, Long Island, New York	Dollar Savings Bank of the City of New York, Fordham Office, Bronx, New York	January, 1945	50.00

SE EDWARD C. UTZ checked the files of the Credit Bureau of Greater New York but nothing pertinent to this investigation was contained therein.

On November 5, 1952 the subject appeared before United States Commissioner FRANK A. HOLDEN, Atlanta, Georgia, and was discharged on a poor convicts oath. BROTHMAN testified under oath and denied he had any property of value either tangible or intangible. He stated that the $100.00 per week that his wife was receiving from the Techniflex Corporation represented an advance to him by the Techniflex Corporation against royalties that might be due to him for a valve that he designed for Techniflex, which valve has not yet been manufactured or sold. BROTHMAN further testified that he has a claim against the Commission of Aeronautical Affairs of the Republic of China, 2100 Leroy Place, Washington, D.C., of not less than $11,000.00 and not more than $16,000.00. He stated that he has documents in a New York bank to substantiate this claim and that he intends to contact the United States Attorney in New York City within thirty days after his release. BROTHMAN stated he had received a letter from the Commission of Aeronautical Affairs one week prior to his arrest, which letter in substance admitted the claim BROTHMAN has against the Commission.

The facts of this case were discussed with United States Attorney, Southern District of New York, THOMAS LEE. Mr. LEE advised that he contemplated asking the subject and NAOMI BROTHMAN to appear before him for examination under oath in the near future.

The information furnished by Confidential Informants T-1, T-2, T-4, T-5 and T-6 was furnished on a confidential basis and is not to be made public except following the issuance of a subpoena duces tecum.

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INFORMANTS

Identity of Source	Date of Activity and/or description of information	Date Received	Agent to whom furnished	File & where located
b7d [redacted] National City Bank, 42 Wall St., NYC.	9/5/52	9/5/52	LOUIS E. SOTMODE	[redacted]
b7d [redacted] First National City Bank, Queens Plaza Branch, NY	10/30/52	10/30/52	"	[redacted]
b7d [redacted]	10/17/52	10/17/52	GEORGE V. SCHNEIDER	"
b7d [redacted] Loan Dept. National City Bank, 42 Street & Madison Ave., NYC	11/14/52	11/14/52	MAURICE F. LEIN	"
b7d [redacted] Manufacturers Trust Co., 47-11 Queens Blvd., Long Is. City	10/30/52	10/30/52	"	"

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Witnesses (CONTINUED)

b7d [redacted]	7/5/51	7/5/51	ARMAND A. CAMMAROTA	100-9506S-741
b7d [redacted] National Bank, Old Post Road, Croton-on-Hudson, NY	10/30/52	10/30/52	JAMES E. GORDON	Instan report
Bureau of Public Debt, Division of Loans and Currency, Treasury Dept., Chicago, Ill.	Record of war bond purchases	10/30/52	LOUIS E. WOIWODE	

LEADS

NEW YORK

At Port Jervis, New York

Will conduct appropriate investigation at Techniflex Corporation to determine BROTHMAN'S interest in this firm and to determine what financial arrangements, if any, Techniflex has with BROTHMAN.

At New York, New York

Will consider the interview of EDWARD BOSMAN.

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to whom BROTHMAN allegedly sold $25,000.00 worth of patents.

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO: Director, FBI

FROM: SAC, New York (93-576)

DATE: 2/11/53

SUBJECT: ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, was.
ASCERTAINING FINANCIAL ABILITY

AUSA THOMAS LEE, SDNY, advised on 1/30/53 that inasmuch as the ABRAHAM BROTHMAN and MIRIAM NOSKOWITZ cases would probably be reassigned in the near future, he did not contemplate taking any action in these cases in order that his successor could take them over more easily.

The USA's office, SDNY, will be recontacted when these matters have been reassigned.

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Office Memorandum UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO: [illegible]

DATE: [illegible]

FROM: [illegible]

SUBJECT: [illegible]

[illegible] advised on 2/15/53 that [illegible] attorney, WILLIAM [illegible] had contacted him. [illegible] indicated to LEE that BRITMAN was very anxious to settle [illegible] said that the subject is presently making [illegible] salary at Technifilm Corporation, [illegible] Mr. [illegible] financial difficulty.

[illegible] stated that he was willing to make the [illegible] with the United States Government [illegible] salary [illegible] to the Government ten per cent of everything he made over the $4,[illegible] salary from royalties and commissions. [illegible] stated that he was willing to submit monthly [illegible] statements to the US Attorney's office showing his income.

[illegible] further proposed that BRITMAN assign to the [illegible] Government his claim against the Chinese National Government. [illegible] declined this offer because it would involve a law suit [illegible] felt that BRITMAN should press the claim himself.

[illegible] asked LEE to draft an agreement along the lines [illegible] mentioned above and said that BRITMAN would be glad to sign such an agreement. [illegible] stated that he would work on this agreement [illegible] have it ready in about one week.

LEE advised this office that it appeared obvious to him that BRITMAN was anxious to make some arrangements with the USA, [illegible] because BRITMAN did not desire any further investigation by the Bureau.

The details of this agreement with BRITMAN will be [illegible] when they are available.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

FILE NO. 1
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REPORT MADE AT	DATE WHEN MADE	PERIOD FOR WHICH MADE	REPORT MADE BY
NEW YORK	4/13/53	2/3,9,18/53	WILLIA

TITLE	CHARACTER OF CASE
ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, was; Abe, "Pa" "The Penguin"	ASCERTAINING FINANCIAL ABILITY

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

[redacted] President of Techniflex Corp., Port Jervis, N.Y., interviewed, states subject has no financial interest in Techniflex or has control. Paid but assisted subject financially during his incarceration. BROTHMAN orally agreed to work for Techniflex after his release. [redacted] and Techniflex entered into a contract in March, 1951 whereby [redacted] was employed for five years as a Chemical and Designing Engineer. He was to be paid $110 per week and to receive $100 per week additional at advance royalties. Techniflex paid $5000 for BROTHMAN'S Attorney's fees. [redacted] turned over $100 per week to NAOMI BROTHMAN. [redacted] made available cancelled checks reflecting payments to BROTHMAN through [redacted]

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DETAILS:

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[redacted], President of Techniflex Corporation, 255 Jersey Avenue, Port Jervis, New York, advised that

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BRUNO BROTHMAN has no financial interest in Techniflex or Remotrol. He stated that JACOB FREIDUS met the subject in the Federal House of Detention, New York City, and took a liking to him. FREIDUS decided to help BROTHMAN out financially in the appeal of his case and to assist BROTHMAN'S wife while he was in jail. BROTHMAN was not bound except morally to work for FREIDUS after he was released from jail. BROTHMAN and FREIDUS merely had an oral agreement that BROTHMAN would work for Techniflex after his present release.

[redacted] said that a contract was entered into between Techniflex and [redacted] and that he could not locate a copy of the contract in the Corporation files. He later obtained one from [redacted] and had it photostated. His independent recollection of the contract was that because [redacted] had worked with the subject and had access to the subject's files he would be able to furnish information concerning a valve idea, and a colored television idea. [redacted] thought that the basis idea of the contract was to pay the subject through [redacted] a royalty on the subject's patents. [redacted] was paid $100 per week advance royalties on projects Techniflex had in mind on which BROTHMAN had done and could perform work.

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The contract made in March, 1951 between Techniflex and [redacted] was an employee agreement, the Corporation being the employer and [redacted] being the employee. Under the terms of the contract [redacted] was employed for five years as a Chemical and Designing Engineer to design and invent equipment used in mixing equipment, valves and valve operations, filter and centrifuge, liquid level control equipment, and processing methods. He was to assign title to all his inventions, design patents and other patents to the employer. He was to be paid $110 per week, in addition he was to receive $100 per week for two years, as drawings to be credited toward royalties.

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[redacted] said that Techniflex paid [redacted] $5000 for BROTHMAN'S attorney's fee for his appeal and then he was paid an additional $100 per week. [redacted] first turned the check over to NAOMI BROTHMAN directly, then he was paid as a trustee and then in turn paid them to NAOMI BROTHMAN. Later a special account was set up by Remotrol to handle this royalty account.

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[redacted] is now employed as an Engineer by Techniflex and they have absorbed him into their organization. [redacted] made available the cancelled checks in his possession which were paid to BROTHMAN through [redacted]

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REFERENCE

Report of SA LOUIS H. WOIWODE, New York, 12/19/52.

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THIS CASE ORIGINATED AT NEW YORK

REPORT MADE AT	DATE WHEN MADE	PERIOD FOR WHICH MADE	REPORT MADE BY
NEW YORK	4/14/53	4/9/53	LOUIS H. WOIWODE (A)

TITLE	CHARACTER OF CASE
ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, was	ASCERTAINING FINANCIAL ABILITY

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS: BROTHMAN has agreed to make regular payments of $60.00 per month on his fine, plus certain other considerations. Details of subject's arrangement with USA, SDNY set out.

DETAILS: On April 9, 1953 Assistant United States Attorney THOMAS LEE, Southern District of New York, advised he had completed the following oral arrangements with BROTHMAN through the subject's attorney, WILLIAM L. MESSING, 350 Fifth Avenue, New York City:

1. BROTHMAN will pay $60.00 per month on his fine, these payments to begin immediately.

2. BROTHMAN will pay the government 10% of any income he receives over and above his regular salary. This is to include income from royalties, commissions, etc.

3. The subject will file a quarterly financial statement with the United States Attorney, Southern District of New York, showing his income and the source thereof.

4. The subject will assign to the government his claim against the Chinese Nationalist Government, which LEE then intends to take up with the representatives of the

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Nationalist Government in this country.

LEE advised that as of April 9, 1953 no money had been received from BROTHMAN but that he expects to receive the first payment soon.

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At New York City

Will report any payments made by BROTHMAN on his fine.

Will secure from Assistant United States Attorney THOMAS LEE the details of any financial statements the subject may submit.

REFERENCE

New York letter to Bureau 2/18/53.

Director, FBI 4/10/53

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MIRIAM MOSKOWITZ, wa
ASCERTAINING FINANCIAL ABILITY

UACB, the Newark Office is requested to interview the subject with a view to determining her present financial status and her ability to pay her fine of $10,000.00. It is believed that she returned to her home at 772 Boulevard, Bayonne, New Jersey, after her release from prison in September, 1952.

For the assistance of Newark, one copy of the report of SA JOHN M. COLLINS, dated 10/14/52 at New York City, is being forwarded herewith.

It is noted that ABRAHAM ROTHMAN, who was convicted with the subject, has made an offer through his attorney, WILLIAM L. KESSING, to make regular payments of $60.00 per month to settle his fine. The USA, SDNY, has indicated he will accept this method of settlement.

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NEW YORK	5/27/53	5/4,20/53	LOUIS H. WOIWODE (A)

TITLE	CHARACTER OF CASE
ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, was	ASCERTAINING FINANCIAL ABILITY

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS: Subject made $60.00 payment on his fine. Balance is $9940.00.

DETAILS

On May 4, 1953, Assistant United States Attorney, THOMAS LEE, Southern District of New York, advised that BROTHMAN had made a payment of $60.00 on his $10,000 fine, leaving a balance of $9,940.00 due the government.

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Will report further payments by the subject.

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NEW YORK	OCT 27 1953	10/19/53	LOUIS M. LUEDERS
ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, was			ASCERTAINING FINANCIAL ABILITY

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS: Subject made payments totaling $859.87 on his fine. Balance is $9,140.13.

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DETAILS: On October 19, 1953, Assistant United States Attorney, MORTON S. ROBSON, Southern District of New York, advised that BROTHMAN had made payments totaling $859.87 on his $10,000 fine, leaving a balance of $9,140.13 due to the government. The last payment was made on October 2, 1953 in the amount of $68.

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NEW YORK	4/19/54	4/13/54	LOUIS M. LUEDERS

NAME OF COMPLAINANT	CHARACTER OF CASE
ABRAHAM BRONFMAN, was	ASCERTAINING FINANCIAL ABILITY

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

Subject made payments totaling $1,279.87 on his fine. Balance due is $8,720.13.

DETAILS:

Assistant United States Attorney MORTON S. ROBSON, Southern District of New York, advised on October 19, 1953 that the subject had made payments totaling $859.87. AUSA ROBSON advised on April 13, 1954 that the subject has made $70 payments on the following dates:

November 4, 1953
December 2, 1953
January 11, 1954
February 9, 1954
March 10, 1954
April 12, 1954

The subject has made payments totaling $1,279.87 on his fine of $10,000.00, leaving a balance of $8,720.13.

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NEW YORK	10/27/54	10/18,19/54	GEORGE R. BELIVEAU
ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, was			ASCERTAINING FINANCIAL ABILITY

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS: Subject made payments totalling $482 as of 10/18/54. Balance due is $238.13.

DETAILS: Assistant United States Attorney ROBERT RUBINGER, Southern District of New York, advised that subject BROTHMAN had made the following payments on his fine since April, 1954:

May 17, 1954	$70.00
June 16, 1954	82.40
July 15, 1954	82.40
August 17, 1954	82.40
September 16, 1954	82.40
October 18, 1954	82.40
Total	$482.00

Assistant United States Attorney RUBINGER added that in view of the above payments, the subject's balance due is now $238.13.

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will contact AUSA ROBERT RUBINGER, SDNY, in the future and report further payments by the subject.

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Reporting Office	Office of Origin	Date	Period for Which Made
NEW YORK	NEW YORK	1/26/56	1/19/56

Title of Case	Character of Case	Synopsis
ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, was.	ASCERTAINING FINANCIAL ABILITY	FRANCIS J. BEZDEK (A) pca

Debtor made payments totaling $1,153.60 from 11/18/54 through 1/19/56 reducing the unpaid balance of his fine from $8,238.13 to $7,084.53.

DETAILS: The records of the Clerk of the United States District Court, Southern District of New York, under Docket number C-133-106, reflect that debtor paid $1,153.60 from November 18, 1954 through January 19, 1956. The last payment was made on December 21, 1955. The unpaid balance of his fine was reduced from $8,238.13 to $7,084.53.

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REPORTING OFFICE	OFFICE OF ORIGIN	DATE	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD
NEW YORK	NEW YORK	1/9/57	1/2/57

TITLE OF CASE	REPORT MADE BY	TYPED BY
ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, was.	GEORGE S. O'FRIEL (A)	pcb

CHARACTER OF CASE: ASCERTAINING FINANCIAL ABILITY

Debtor made payments totaling $988.80 from 1/19/56 through 12/31/56, reducing the unpaid balance of his fine from $7,084.53 to $6,095.73.

DETAILS: The records of the Clerk of the United States District Court, Southern District of New York, under Docket Number C-133-106, reflect that debtor paid $988.80 from January 19, 1956 through December 31, 1956, reducing the unpaid balance of his fine from $7,084.53 to $6,095.73.

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Report of SA FRANCIS J. BEZDEK (A), New York, January 26, 1956.

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Reporting Office	Office of Origin	Date of Report	Investigative Period
NEW YORK	NEW YORK	1/14/58	1/10/58

Title of Case	Report made by	Typed by
ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, was	GEORGE S. O'FRIEL (A)	oxd

	Character of Case
	ASCERTAINING FINANCIAL ABILITY

Debtor made payments totaling $824.00 during period 1/1/57 through 12/3/57. Unpaid balance as of 1/9/58 is $5,271.73.

DETAILS:

The records of the Claims Unit, United States Attorney's Office, Southern District of New York, reflect that the debtor has made payments totaling $824.00 during the period January 11, 1957, through December 3, 1957. The unpaid balance as of January 9, 1958 is $5,271.73.

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DIRECTOR, FBI (93-6451) DATE: 1/14/58

SAC, NEW YORK (93-576)

SUBJECT: ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, was
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Enclosed herewith are two copies of report of SA(A) GEORGE S. O'FRIEL, dated and captioned as above.

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NEW YORK

At New York, New York

Will report payments made in this case.

REFERENCE

Report of SA(A) GEORGE S. O'FRIEL, 1/9/57, at NY.

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Place and Date	Office of Origin	Date	Investigative Period
NEW YORK	NEW YORK	12/17/58	12/5/58

Title of Case: ABRAHAM BROTMAN, a/k

Report made by: GEORGE S. O'FRIEL (A)

Character of Case: ASCERTAINING FINANCIAL ABI[illegible]

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Report of SAA GEORGE S. O'FRIEL, 1/14/58, NY.

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Name of SAA GEORGE S. O'FRIEL Office NEW YORK
Date

File Number New York 93-275; Bureau 93-6451

Title JEROME BROTSKY

Character ACCELERATING FINANCIAL ABILITY

Synopsis Payments totaling $659.20 made from 1/17/55, to [illegible]/55; unpaid balance as of 12/4/55, $4,612.53.

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DETAILS:

Records of the Claims Unit, United States Attorney's Office, Southern District of New York, reflect that payments totalling $559.20 were made from January 17, 1955, to October 6, 1955; leaving an unpaid balance as of December 4, 1955, of $4,612.53.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

201 East 69th Street
New York 21, New York
July 3, 1963

Honorable Robert M. Morgenthau
United States Attorney
Southern District of New York
United States Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

Re: ABRAHAM BROTHMAN
OR 111909

My dear Mr. Morgenthau:

This is to confirm contact of Claims Unit of your office by Special Agent Thomas L. Lamb on June 19, 1963. A review of files disclosed this matter has been closed and therefore, no further investigation is required concerning this matter.

Very truly yours,

JOHN R. MALONE
Assistant Director in Charge

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