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FROM SAC, MIAMI /92-88/ 2 P

SANTO TRAFFICANTE, JR., AKA, AR.

THE MIAMI NEWS, SEVENTH LAST, CONTAINS FRONT PAGE STORY CAPTIONED HIGH EXPOSES MIAMI HOODS. THIS ARTICLE BEGINS FOLLOWING UP SENSATIONAL NEW DISCLOSURES OF NATIONAL CRIME OPERATIONS, MAYOR ROBERT KING HIGH TODAY RELEASED THE NAMES OF SIXTY SEVEN HOODLUMS WHO HAVE SETTLED IN THE MIAMI AREA.

HIGH CALLED THE LOCAL CRIME CONGREGATION A SHOCKING SITUATION AND SAID IT WOULD REQUIRE TWENTY FOUR HOUR VIGILANCE OF VARIOUS LAW AGENCIES TO KEEP THE MOBSTERS UNDER CONTROL.

HE SAID THAT HIS LIST, HEADED BY SUCH CHARACTERS AS SANTOS TRAFFICANTE, FORMER CUBAN AND FLORIDA WEST COAST GAMBLING CZAR, WAS OBTAINED FROM THE MOST RESPONSIBLE LAW ENFORCEMENT SOURCE.

REMAINDER OF ARTICLE NAMES TRIGGER MIKE COPPOLA, JOE FISCHETTI, JOE INDELICATO, JOE MASSEI, JOHN TRONOLONE, JOHN ANGERSOLA, MURRAY HUMPHREYS, AND SALVATORE FALCONE.

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REGARD TO FALCONE, FOLLOWING IS QUOTE COLON THERE-S SALVATORE FALCONE, WHO ATTENDED THE APALACHIN, N. Y. MOBSTER CONFERENCE ALONG WITH TRAFFICANTE. TRAFFICANTE WAS ONCE CONVICTED OF BRIBING A ST. PETERSBURG DETECTIVE FOR BOLITA PROTECTION BUT WAS ACQUITTED AT A SECOND TRIAL WHILE HIS BROTHER, HENRY, WENT TO PRISON.

ALSO SET FORTH IS LIST OF SIXTY SEVEN NAMES AND ADDRESSES FOLLOWED BY TERSE CHARACTERIZATION. SUBJECT LISTED AS TRAFFICANTE, SANTOS, FIVE TWO THREE NORTHEAST SEVENTY FIRST ST., TAMPA DASH NARCOTICS. FRONT PAGE ALSO CONTAINS PHOTO OF SUBJECT AND OTHER ABOVE MENTIONED INDIVIDUALS.

THE MIAMI HERALD TODAY CONTAINS PAGE TWO ARTICLE CAPTIONED HIGH WANTS FBI TO WATCH COUNTY. THIS ARTICLE STATES MAYOR HIGH WILL GO TO WASHINGTON AND ASK THAT FBI AGENTS BE ASSIGNED TO KEEP SIXTY SEVEN BIG-TIME CRIMINALS LIVING IN DADE UNDER SURVEILLANCE.

PCI SALVADOR GEIGENHIRT ADVISED EIGHTH INSTANT THAT HE HEARD RECENTLY SUBJECT MADE TRIP TO PUERTO RICO WITHIN RECENT MONTHS. INFORMANT NOT IN POSSESSION OF FULL FACTS BUT OF IMPRESSION SUBJECT MET DINO CELLINI IN PUERTO RICO. CELLINI IS MIAMI RESIDENT FORMERLY ASSOCIATED WITH SUBJECT IN GAMBLING CASINOS IN CUBA. INFORMANT TO TRY AND OBTAIN FURTHER DETAILS.

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