

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
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URGENT 8-9-61 4-40 PM TGH  
 TO DIRECTOR, FBI /92-2914/ //92-2918/ AND SAC, MIAMI  
 X KOWAGTTA  
 FROM SAC, PITTSBURGH /92-236 /92-228/

GABRIEL MANNARINO, AKA, AR. SAMUEL MANNARINO, AKA, AR. ON  
 AUGUST NINE INSTANT D. J. ATTORNEY WILLIAM KEHOE TELEPHONICALLY  
 CONTACTED PITTSBURGH FROM NEW ORLEANS OFFICE. HE HAS INTERVIEW  
 TOMORROW IN MIAMI, FLORIDE, WITH JOSEPH R. MEROLA AT LATTER-S  
 REQUEST. KEHOE DESIRED BACKGROUND I NFORMATION AND SUGGESTED  
 TOPIC FOR MEROLA INTERVIEW AND THESE WERE FURNISHED BY SAS  
 JOHN S. PORTELLA AND THOMAS G. FORSYTH, III. KEHOE-S INTERVIEW  
 WILL BE AIMED AT OBTAINING INFORMATION CONCERNING MANNARINO  
 BUT WILL INCLUDE ANTHING ELSE OF VALUE WHICH MEROLA CAN FURNISH.  
 FROM THIS INTERVIEW KEHOE HOPES TO HAVE SIMILAR INTERVIEW ARRANGED  
 WITH NORMAN ROTHMAN AT MIAMI, FLORIDA. KEHOE EXPECTS MEROLA TO  
 DISCUSS DEAR IN ORDER TO ESCAPE OR MINIMIZE INCARCERATION FOR  
 GUN SMUGGLING CONVICTION. BOTH SUBJECTS CONSIDERED ARMBAND  
 DANGEROUS.

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~~YES OPR HAVE MM ACK PLS FOR THIS MESSAGE~~

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