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REFERENCES

Report of SA RICHARD GORDON DOUCE, Pittsburgh, 5/4/59.

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ADMINISTRATIVE

The physical surveillance of GABRIEL MANNARINO's residence on April 28, 1959, was conducted by SA RICHARD GORDON DOUCE and was originally reported in 92-236-568.

Information concerning the departure of MIKE GEORGE HAZIDAKIS for Greece and concerning the possibility of a violation of the Internal Revenue Code on his part has been disseminated to IRS, Pittsburgh, by letterhead memorandum, dated June 4, 1959, copies of which were sent to the Bureau by cover letter bearing the same date.

It is noted that PCI JAMES THORNTON MC CLOWRY, M.D., Springdale, Pa., in addition to information set out in attached

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<p>④ - Bureau (2 - 92-2918) (2 - 92-2914)</p> <p>4 - Pittsburgh (2 - 92-228) (2 - 92-236)</p> <p style="margin-left: 100px;"><i>see 4710 To be destroyed</i></p>		<p style="font-size: 2em; font-weight: bold;">92-2914-</p> <p style="font-weight: bold; border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">NOT RECORDED 160 JUL 15 1959</p>

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report, advised SA JOHN L. PUDDISTER as follows:

He has been treating members of the MANNARINO organization for about seven years and would gladly furnish information concerning them and their activities. Dr. MC CLOWRY, who is of the Roman Catholic faith, has also been called upon many times to treat Priests and Nuns, with particular reference to Mt. St. Peter's Roman Catholic Church, Freeport Road, New Kensington, Pa., the parish to which the MANNARINOS belong. Father FUSCO is Pastor of the parish, and his chauffeur is JOHN STANISH, who is also a registered nurse. Both have been Dr. MC CLOWRY's patients at one time or another. During the period in late 1958 that a subpoena was outstanding for SAM MANNARINO's appearance before a Federal Grand Jury, Pittsburgh, he was being hidden, part of the time, by Father FUSCO on the third floor of the Apostulate House for Mt. St. Peter's Roman Catholic Church, located at 204 Charles Street, New Kensington. Dr. MC CLOWRY has asked Father FUSCO on many occasions not to assist the MANNARINOS, but Father FUSCO, a "pure blooded Sicilian," has stated that the MANNARINOS are his "boys" and that the Federal Government is persecuting them for things which are quite legal in Italy. Father FUSCO attended the coronation of Pope John XXIII, along with his chauffeur, JOHN STANISH. STANISH has told Dr. MC CLOWRY that upon returning from Italy, Father FUSCO was met in New York City by ALBERT ANASTASIA's limousine and that they were rushed through customs without an examination of luggage. STANISH said they stayed a few days in ANASTASIA's home and then returned to New Kensington. Approximately two weeks later, ANASTASIA was shot to death in New York City. MC CLOWRY has said he will furnish medical records on a confidential basis and will attempt to obtain a photograph of SAM MANNARINO.

In view of the fact that certain information developed gives some indication that SAMUEL MANNARINO could be involved in the cases captioned "STUART SUTOR, et al; TGP; ITSP; NM; FFA (Bufile 52-72398)" and "BERNARD J. EZHAYA, et al; ITSP - MT (Bufile 87-41245)" and may become a subject of one or both, considerable investigative time has been devoted to them. In addition, the first named case may be presented for trial in September, 1959, in U. S. District Court, Pittsburgh. This means that Top Hoodlum SAMUEL MANNARINO may be found to be implicated in two substantive matters within the

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jurisdiction of the FBI. Because there is still considerable investigation to conduct in both above-named cases and because investigation in those cases in effect constitutes investigation of the MANNARINO organization, it is felt that the interest of the Bureau will best be served by concentration on those cases. Therefore, UACB and only until initial prosecutive action is completed, the Pittsburgh Office will submit reports in instant matter every ninety days instead of the usual forty-five days.

INFORMANTS

PG T-1 is PCI JAMES THORNTON MC CLOWRY, M.D., Springdale, Pa., who furnished information to SA JOHN L. PUDDISTER on June 9, 1959.

PG T-2 is PCI CAMILLE NAFFAH, Murrysville, Pa., who furnished information to SA THOMAS G. FORSYTH, III, on June 15, 1959.

PG T-3 is PG 580-C.

PG T-4 is PAT SHAPERIO, prostitute, Pittsburgh (protect per request), who furnished information to SA JOHN S. PORTELLA on April 13, 1959.

PG T-5 is ADOLPH PIVARSKI, letter carrier, U. S. Post Office, New Kensington, Pa. (protect - employee of another governmental agency), who furnished information to SAS RICHARD GORDON DOUCE and THOMAS G. FORSYTH, III, on May 25, 1959.

PG T-6 is PCI BILL DOBKIN, Pittsburgh, who furnished information to SA PORTELLA on May 4, 1959.

PG T-7 is Confidential Source HERMAN ISRAEL, Pittsburgh, who furnished information to SA PORTELLA on May 4, 1959.

PG T-8 is LEON EPHSTEIN, jeweler, Pittsburgh (protect per request), who furnished information to SA PORTELLA on May 6, 1959.

PG T-9 is PCI EDWARD BINKLEY, Altoona, Pa., who furnished information to SA JOHN S. HUGHES on May 13, 1959.

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PG T-10 is PCI ROBERT C. ANKNEY, New Kensington, Pa., who furnished information to SA FORSYTH on June 11, 1959.

LEADS

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AT PITTSBURGH, PA. (ALLEGHENY COUNTY)

1. Will concentrate on interviewing and developing those individuals close to some phase of the operations of the MANNARINO organization, some of whom have been set out as interview leads in previous reports.
2. Will continue to follow and report activities of SAMUEL and GABRIEL MANNARINO and their subordinates and associates.
3. Will report results of check of Miami, Florida, telephone number JE 4-4134 (lead to Miami by rerep, 5/4/59).

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