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Special Agents

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On 10-4-55 DL-18-S and DL-19-S advised SA JAMES P. HOSTY, Jr. that AUGUSTIN ESTRADA, Chairman of the State Board of the CP in Texas, had indicated that he was soon to attend a National or Regional level meeting of the CP. He requested these informants to obtain airlines schedules from Dallas, Texas, to Miami, Florida, and indicated that he was leaving Dallas sometime after 10-12-55. (S)(U)

Subsequently, on 10-18-55, ESTRADA mentioned a proposed trip to DL-2-S and was overheard to state that he possessed a \$150.00 check. He indicated at that time that he had reservations for an out-of-town trip and had already obtained his ticket for this trip. ESTRADA mentioned that he had saved \$33.00 by taking an Air Coach. DL-2-S also told SA EDWIN D. KUYKENDALL that ESTRADA might go to New York City. (S)(U)

DL-6-S was contacted by SA W. HARLAN BROWN and indicated that ESTRADA would soon go out of town on some kind of CP meeting. This informant, who is a close personal friend of ESTRADA, was requested to determine ESTRADA's destination on his proposed trip. (S)(U)

The airlines' schedules were checked by the aforementioned Special Agents for several days in an attempt to identify the reservation made by ESTRADA. It was determined that \$33.00 could be saved by taking a coach flight to Miami rather than making a first-class flight, in that the difference between first-class and Air Coach round trip from Dallas to Miami is \$33.00. (S)(U)

A surveillance by the above-named agents on 10-20-55 proved unproductive; however, on that date it was determined that one JUAN HERNANDEZ had made reservations on Delta-C&S Airlines, Flight #42, on 10-21-55. Also, on 10-21-55 DL-6-S advised SA W. HARLAN BROWN that ESTRADA was departing for Miami on that date (via air). (S)(U)

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