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SAMUEL MANNARINO, was. ANTI-RACKETEERING

GABRIEL MANNARINO, was. ANTI-RACKETEERING

Re Pittsburgh letter to Bureau dated 3/21/58.

On 5/21/58, Hav-31 advised that he had been unable to develop any information that the MANNARINO brothers have any financial interest at present in gambling operations in Cuba.

On 5/23/58, NORMAN ROTHMAN, FBI #125825 B, who has extensive slot machine interests in central Cuba with headquarters in Camaguey, Cuba, advised that approximately two months ago SAMUEL MANNARINO came to Camaguey, Cuba, directly from the United States to see ROTHMAN. ROTHMAN stated the purpose of MANNARINO's visit was to go on a fishing trip with ROTHMAN and a Cuban Army officer from Moron, Cuba. stated, however, that on the day of his arrival, MANNARINO became sick with dysentery and was ill during his entire stay, finally departing for the United States after about five days.

ROTHMAN stated neither SAMUEL nor GABRIEL MANNARINO have any financial interests in gambling activities in Cuba at the present time. ROTHMAN informed that in the event the MANNARINOS should attempt to pick up interests in the future, it would be done through him since in the past he had been their representative in Cuba. ROTHMAN admitted that the MANNARINOS in the past had located slot machines and slot machine parts for him.

ROTHMAN said that he, himself, is being bank-rolled in his present slot machine activities by ALBERTO ARDURA MOYA, one of the owners of the Tropicana Night Club and Gambling Casino

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