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# Memorandum

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (Bufile 92-4227 ) DATE: 12/24/63

FROM : SAC, BUFFALO (92-61-Sub 1) (P)

SUBJECT: JUSTIFICATION FOR CONTINUATION OF TECHNICAL OR MICROPHONE SURVEILLANCE

RE: Title VINCENT A. SCRO

Character of Case AR  
Field Office Buffalo  
Symbol Number BU 82-C\*  
Type of Surveillance: (Technical or  
Microphone) Microphone

1. Name of person or organization on whom surveillance placed:

**STEVE MAGADDINO, aka**

2. Address where installation made. Also give exact room number or area covered:

**Office of VINCENT A. SCRO, 2nd floor, Camellia Linen Supply Co., Inc., 460 E. Delavan Ave., Buffalo, N. Y.**

3. Location of monitoring plant:

**Buffalo Office**

4. Dates of initial authorization and installation:

**Authorization: 3/24/61  
Installation: 4/4/61**

5. Previous and other installations on the same subject (with dates and places):

**BU 280-C\* was installed 11/8/62, in the office of the Magaddino Memorial Chapel, Niagara Falls, N. Y., under case captioned "STEVE MAGADDINO, aka - AR," Bufile 92-2924.**

6. If installation is a technical surveillance, answer following questions:

- a. Is a trunk line utilized? NA
- b. Is the surveillance on a switchboard? NA
- c. Is the surveillance on a public coin-operated telephone? NA

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d. Is surveillance on a private line or a party line? NA

e. If a party line, how many parties? NA

7. If a microphone surveillance involved, state number of microphones actually used and location of each:

**One microphone located in the telephone connection block on the wall near the desk of VINCENT A. SCRO.**

8. Is the installation part of a tel-mike? If so, give symbol of other side of the combination:

No

9. Specific examples of valuable information obtained since previous report with indication of specific value of each item and the date information received. State what use was made of each item involved: (Add insert pages)

**See attached**

10. Could above information have been obtained from other sources and by other means?

No.

11. Number of live informants (in field division) who cover same subject:  
**Subject is known to six live informants who cover subject and his father-in-law, STEVE MAGADDINO, but cannot supply information furnished by BU 82-C\*.**

12. Has security factor changed since installation?

No

13. Any request for the surveillance by outside agency (give name, title and agency):

No

14. Cost of Plant Premises:

a. Rental costs for plant premises: **None. Plant located Buffalo Office.**

b. Give total number of other surveillances monitored at same plant. 10

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9. (continued)

On 11/21/63, CI furnished information concerning a financial difficulty affecting SCRO which involved LOUIS (GIORDANO?), of Rochester, N. Y.

On 11/29/63, CI furnished information concerning a meeting by SCRO with officers of the Laundry Workers Union in connection with their unionizing efforts.

On 12/2/63, CI furnished information regarding the participation of members of the MAGADDINO Family in the operation of the Pandoro Exterminating Co.

During the entire period of contact with this informant, CI has furnished numerous items of information relating to the individual activities of various members of the MAGADDINO Family, as well as supplementing and verifying information furnished by BU 297-C-TE.