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AIR MAIL (REGISTERED)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (92-3267)
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (92-113-C)
RE: JOHN ROSSELLI, aka
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LA 4396-C* has furnished no information since 12/18/62, indicating that ROSSELLI has returned to Los Angeles from Las Vegas, Nevada.

LA 4268-C furnished information that on 12/17/62, (the night that ROSSELLI arrived in Las Vegas) ROSSELLI was at the Friar's Club, Beverly Hills, California, from about 5:30 PM until after 6:10 PM, when informant left the club.

Examination of ROSSELLI's bank account at the Fidelity Bank, Beverly Hills, California, revealed he issued a check on 11/14/62 in the amount of \$190.00 payable to Hilton Carte Blanche. Inquiry at Hilton Carte Blanche revealed that \$90.16 of this amount was in payment for a Hertz Corporation rental car in October, 1962. \$75.46 of the amount was for two round trip, 1st class tickets, on Western Airlines from Los Angeles to Las Vegas and return on 9/28/62. Information has been reported in this investigation that JOSEPH I. BRENN, JR., accompanied ROSSELLI on this trip. The remaining \$23.93 of the \$190.00 was for air travel from Los Angeles to Las Vegas via Western Airlines on 10/12/62. The trip made by ROSSELLI on that date has also been previously reported.

The Los Angeles IRS report

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In November, 1962, an IRS confidential informant

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The same IRS informant reported that

Inasmuch as the identity and reliability of the IRS informant is not known, the Los Angeles Office is not in a position to evaluate the above information. However, on 12/4/62, SA FREDERICK E. RODERICK and SA GEORGE E. BLAND interviewed NANCY BRIDGES - PCI, who had recently been discharged from her position as bookkeeper at the Friar's Club after sixteen years service in that capacity. Regarding ROSSELLI, BRIDGES said, he was up for membership for a long time and no action was taken by the membership committee because they appeared reluctant to approve him since he was a known gangster. BRIDGES said that then "over night" the decision was made to approve him and he became a member.