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Reurlet 12/31/64, entitled "NO 1283-PC, Top Echelon Criminal Informant Program." 137-11376-2

Provided full security assured, authority granted to conduct a survey to determine feasibility of misur coverage utilizing a radio transmitter at the Tropical Tourist Court in New Orleans. In the event you recommend an installation at this location, submit an appropriate FD-142 with sufficient justification.

For administrative purposes, correspondence relating to this matter should be submitted under the above caption.

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NOTE: NO Office designated subject a target for development in connection with their Top Echelon Criminal Informant Program on 10/29/64, and has requested authority to conduct a survey to determine the feasibility of misur coverage utilizing a radio transmitter at the Tropical Tourist Court which subject operates in NO.

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NO reports Pecora is the brother-in-law of Joseph Poretto, a top racket figure. At one time Pecora and Poretto operated the Town and Country Restaurant which was reportedly under the control of Carlos Marcello, NO top hoodlum. Pecora's name appeared on a list prepared by the Federal Bureau of Narcotics in 1950 as being a suspected member of the Mafia. Investigation by the NO Office reveals Pecora meets and discusses activities with many prominent NO underworld figures. It is believed that misur coverage of him at the above location would not only provide significant criminal intelligence information, but could possibly produce information whereby Pecora would be susceptible to development as an informant. There is a great need for additional informant coverage in NO and NO's proposed action in this matter could possibly render assistance in developing the necessary top level informant coverage.

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