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TITLE LOIS PAULA CHRISTENSEN, nee Lois Paula Lauckner, was. Lois Lockner, Lois Davis, Carol Hille, Cora Hille, Paula Carol von Luckner, Carol Luckner, Lois Luckner, Julia Christensen, Mrs. Roy Christensen,			CHARACTER OF CASE BRIBERY
SYNOPSIS OF FACTS: <u>dba. Christensen Corporation</u> <p>During 9/30/50 Bureau received information that subject CHRISTENSEN, dba., CHRISTENSEN CORPORATION was to negotiate and obtain contracts for BUTLER CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, St. Paul, Minnesota for construction of \$245,000,000 new atomic energy plant and that CHRISTENSEN CORPORATION was to take care of Senator BRIAN MC MAHON and EDWARD P. MORGAN, former FBI agent, out of fees to be allocated to CHRISTENSEN CORPORATION. Based upon investigation at that time by WFO and Minneapolis offices, the Department concluded that subject's described conduct was not in violation of any Federal Law. In 11/51, subject CHRISTENSEN was arrested in Marin County, California on bad check charge, and subsequently made lengthy statements to Marin County District Attorney concerning her alleged association with WALTER BUTLER COMPANY, St. Paul, Minnesota, and certain Government officials. Subject furnished information to Marin County authorities that she had heard that a clique of leading Senators in Congress, including BRIAN Mc MAHON, SCOTT LUCAS, MILLARD E. TYDINGS and TOM CONNALLY, together with GORDON DEAN, Chairman of the Atomic Energy Commission, controlled the award of contracts for construction of a proposed hydrogen plant to cost \$245,000,000 and that entree to clique was through EDWARD P. MORGAN, member of firm of WELCH, MOTT and</p>			
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On April 10, 1952 Mr. FRANCIS D. FLANAGAN, Chief Counsel, Permanent Senate Sub-Committee for Investigations, interviewed Mr. EDWARD P. MORGAN and obtained a statement from him regarding matters herein discussed. Copies of Mr. MORGAN's statement were obtained from Mr. FLANAGAN and are being furnished to the Bureau as enclosures with this report.

In the memorandum of HON. JAMES M. McINERNEY, Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, dated March 21, 1952, received by the Bureau from the Department, the following background information pertaining to subject LOIS PAULA CHRISTENSEN was furnished: U

"LOIS PAULA CHRISTENSEN, nee Lois Paula Lauckner, was born in Auburn, Michigan, on September 12, 1919, the youngest of three children. Her mother states that as a child the subject was headstrong, untruthful, self-willed and bent upon having her own way. The subject attended high school in Saginaw, Michigan, from 1934 until May, 1938, when she quit without graduating. Upon inquiry, an official of the high school, by letter of December 4, 1941, states of LOIS LAUCKNER: U

"While she attended our high school, LOIS was considered very silly, boy crazy, and overly mature physically. She was dishonest and unreliable. Her excuses for absences were usually quite fantastic. It was rumored around the school that she indulged in liquor and drugs so that we were not sorry when she left school.

"According to the Parole Report of Agent J. P. GLEASON, dated January 2, 1942, at New York City, the subject advised that during the period February, 1938 to February, 1939, she carried on an affair with a married attorney of Niagara Falls, New York. In January, 1939 she was hospitalized in Saginaw, Michigan and received medical treatment for complications resulting from an abortion. In February, 1939 she married one ~~CARL BOSE~~ in Indiana, whom she claims to have left after three weeks, obtaining a divorce in September, 1939. U

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