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SUBJECT: MEYER LANSKY

FILE NUMBER: 166-3701
TO: SAC, SAN ANTONIO (166-new) (RUC)

FROM: HEBER-JANSKY

RE: LEGAT MEXICO TELEPHONE CALL TO SAN ANTONIO

ON 4/3/68,

DIRECTOR, FBI

TRANSMIT THE FOLLOWING IN

CC: C. C. BISHOP

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he does not really know LANSKY. He said he may have met LANSKY on one occasion. He believes LANSKY lives in Miami, Florida, and that they are both big men in the mafia.
San Antonio is not disseminating the information set forth above, inasmuch as this office has no corroboration of the data and further dissemination at this time, at least, would be extremely discreet and said that an Agent could contact him at his residence and merely make the comment that he knew a friend of the man in San Antonio.
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AT OMAHA, NEBRASKA. Furnish Las Vegas with any
appropriate information contained in indices of the Omaha
Division pertaining to

MIAMI, NEW ORLEANS, AND LOS ANGELES.

Will furnish Las Vegas any information contained
in your files which would tend to prove or disprove...
To: SACs, Las Vegas
    San Antonio
    Los Angeles
    Miami
    New Orleans
    Omaha

From: Director, FBI

TO:

Meyer Lansky
ITAR

San Antonio airtel to Bureau, 4/4/68.

San Antonio is reminded that investigations of narcotic matters under the ITAR statute are to be conducted by the Bureau of Narcotics.

If further contact is had by the Las Vegas Office, and his information are to be referred to a representative of the Bureau of Narcotics, such representative to be briefed, however, as to unreliability.

SEE NOTE PAGE 2.

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DATE 3/20/68 BY SPLGSK/OMS

285, 255
Airtel to Las Vegas
Re: [redacted]

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San Antonio is being reminded we do not handle narcotics matters, and Las Vegas is being instructed if further contact is made [redacted] to turn him and his information over to a representative of the Bureau of Narcotics, and to advise the Bureau of Narcotics of [redacted] unreliability.
MEMORANDUM

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, LAS VEGAS (166-1128) (C)

SUBJECT: MEYER Lansky

ITAR
00: Las Vegas

Re San Antonio airtel, 4/4/68; and Bureau airtel, 4/10/68.

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Sincerely,

[Name Redacted]
May 17, 70

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Sincerely,

[Name Redacted]

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