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Director, Bureau of Investigation,
Department of Justice,
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

Attention - Mr. Hoover - 2

Re: Joseph DiCarlo et al
Violation of Section 136 U.C. - Unlawfully and
knowingly conspiring to intimidate a Government
witness, to wit, Joseph Pattitucci

Reference is made to S.A.C. letter 283: -
On January 1, 1924, complaint was received that one
JOSEPH PATTITUCCI, an important Government witness in a
narcotic case, had been shot but was not seriously injured.
Agent [redacted] was assigned to the case, and with the
assistance of several trusted members of the local police
Department succeeded in apprehending the parties implicated
in the affair, two of whom proved to be the defendants in
the narcotic case in which Pattitucci was an important
Government witness.

The facts were presented to the Grand Jury, indict-
ments returned and the case set for trial on February
6th. The jury returned a verdict on January 12th finding
the defendants Joseph DiCarlo, Peter Gallorelli and Joseph
Suffino guilty; [redacted]

DiCarlo was sentenced to serve 6 years in the
Atlanta Penitentiary and to pay a fine of \$5000.

Peter Gallorelli was sentenced to serve 6 years in
the Atlanta Penitentiary and to pay a fine of \$5000.

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[redacted]

Joseph Buffino was sentenced to serve two years in the Atlanta Penitentiary and pay a fine of \$1000.

During the trial, Special Employee, [redacted] was of much assistance to the United States attorney in obtaining information which proved of great value in cross examination of witnesses.

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Yours very truly,

W.F. Blackmon
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Special Agent in Charge

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