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- Abstract San Francisco, CA portion of Los Angeles investigation of Bernard Cornfeld for blue box usage. Corresponding FBI files are 87-LA-40513 and 87-HQ-135272.
- Keywords Bernard Cornfeld
- Source FBI via FOIA

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U.S. Department of Justice

Federal Bureau of Investigation

Washington, D.C. 20535

February 23, 2007

Subject: CORNFELD, BERNARD

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Dear Requester:

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64 page(s) were reviewed and 50 page(s) are being released.

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 - □ referred to the OGA for review and direct response to you.
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□ See additional information which follows.

Sincerely yours,

David M. Hardy Section Chief Record/Information Dissemination Section Records Management Division

Enclosure(s)

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SUBSECTIONS OF TITLE 5, UNITED STATES CODE, SECTION 552a

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- (k)(1) information which is currently and properly classified pursuant to an Executive order in the interest of the national defense or foreign policy, for example, information involving intelligence sources or methods;
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Re San Francisco letter to Los Angeles, 9/19/77.

On 10/25/77, the records of the Clerk of the U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit, 7th and Mission Streets, San Francisco, Docket No. 76-3391, reflects that this matter continues to be before the court and no decision has as yet been rendered.

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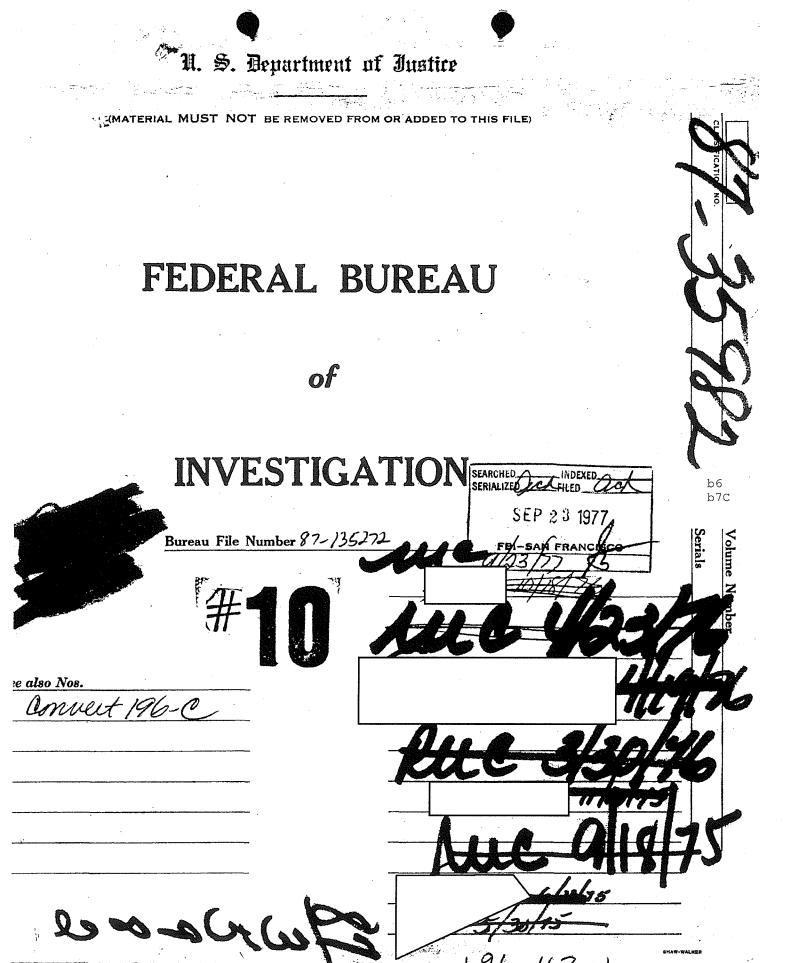
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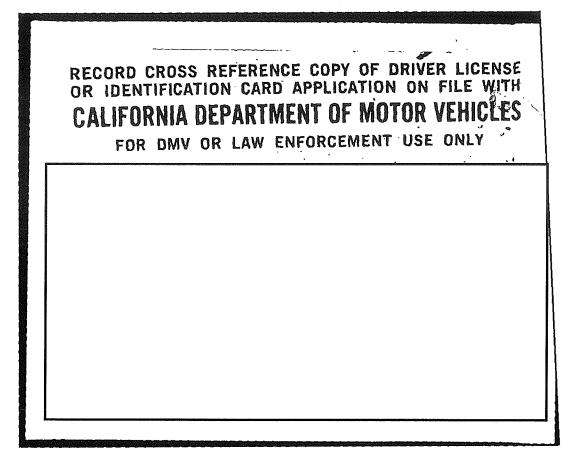
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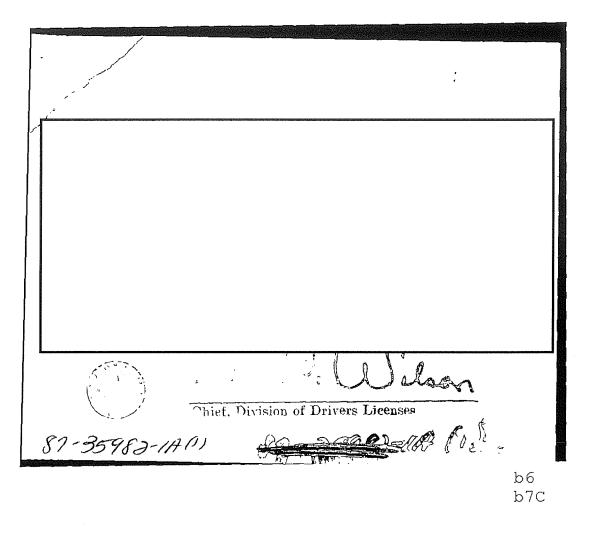
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ADIC, LOS ANGELES (87-40513) TO: FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (87-35982) (P) BERNARD CORNFELD SUBJECT: ET AL ITSP - FBW **OO: LOS ANGELES** Reference Los Angeles airtel to New York, dated 5/22/75. On 6/5/75, records of Pacific Telephone and Telegraph, San Françisco, California, reflected that telephone number is listed to This phone was established in 1968. On 6/6/75, an attempt was made to contact and no one could be located. On 6/6/75, the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Cross Reference Directory was checked and it was determined from the March directory that a resides at His telephone number is On 6/6/75, an attempt was made to contact at his home but there was no answer. On 6/6/75, the records of the Marin County Credit Bureau were reviewed by and no record could be located identifiable with 2 - Los Angeles (2) - San Francisco RKG/dmp dmp (4) 87-35982 -

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On 6/9/75, and 6/12/75, attempts were, again, made to contact ______ at his home and no one was there. A note was left requesting that he call the San Rafael Office of the FBI.

On 6/13/75, was contacted at his home after he telephonically contacted the Office of the FBI and arranged for an interview. with his wife present, stated that he has had telephone number for almost 12 years and has resided in his current home since 1960. stated that he does not know anyone in Los Angeles, California, nor has anyone from Los Angeles ever discussed purchasing an electronic item such as a blue box. inquired as to what a blue box is and stated that he is completely unfamiliar with any type of electrical item. stated that he and his wife both work full time and that neither of them has ever been approached about purchasing a blue box.

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advised that she is from and calls her family regularly but always goes either through the operator or dials direct.

involved in a criminal investigation and stated that if anyone did approach him concerning a blue box, he would telephonically contact the FBI.

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was contacted at his home. He was advised of the identities of the interviewing Agents by being shown their credentials and that they were investigating a case involving Mr. BERNARD CORNFELD of Los Angeles, California, and his possible use of a blue box.

CORNFELD but his only connection with CORNFELD was that CORNFELD's home.

was then advised that in view of the fact CORNFELD had been recently indicted in Los Angeles and the case being investigated involved criminal activity, he was being advised of his rights.

stated that since he was being advised of his rights, he was not going to continue the interview without his attorney being present. He stated that his attorney is

then requested the copy of the Advice of Rights Form and the interviewing Agents' name. He was told that since the form was not used, it would be of no use to him. He was then given the Agents' name. The interview was terminated at 10:30 a.m.

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TO: ADIC, LOS ANGELES (87-40513)

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (87-35982) (P)

SUBJECT: BERNARD CORNFELD ET AL ITSP - FBW OO: LOS ANGELES

Reference Los Angeles airtel to New York, dated 5/22/75, and San Francisco airtel to Los Angeles, dated 6/25/75.

Enclosed for Los Angeles find one (1) copy of an FD-302 reflecting interview with also known as

For the information of Los Angeles, after conducting the interview which is enclosed and leaving the premises of the interviewee, it was noted that the following automobiles were parked in the driveway:

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He stated he would check his records to obtain further information.

As of this date, the above information has not been received.

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AT SAN RAFAEL, CALIFORNIA: Will await information from Special Agent Pacific Telephone and Telegraph, and report same.

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The Identification Division is requested to search name through records including civil fingerprint file in an effort to obtain fingerprint card for him. If located, compare latent fingerprints developed in this case with his fingerprints.

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AT SAN RAFAEL, CALIFORNIA: Conduct criminal check in an effort to obtain fingerprints for _______ If unable to locate any fingerprints, recontact him and attempt to obtain his fingerprints voluntarily. If he refuses, contact Los Angeles, who will consider obtaining a Court order. If fingerprints obtained forward to the FBI Identification Division.

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BERNARD CORNFELD ET AL -FUGITIVE ITSP; FBW OO: LOS ANGELES

Reference San Francisco airtel to Los Angeles, dated 7/9/75; Los Angeles airtel to San Francisco, dated 7/18/75; and San Francisco telephone call to Los Angeles, dated 9/12/75.

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On 7/15/75, Special Agent Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company, San Francisco, California, telephonically advised that was listed to a

stated that the phone was established in 11/74. The credit information given was No further information was available.

The following investigation was conducted by

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AT SAN RAFAEL, CALIFORNIA

On 8/28/75, an attempt was made to contact No one was at home at this time, and car was not observed in the area.

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On 7/15/75, Special Agent Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company San Francisco, California, telephonically advised that was listed to a
stated that the phone was established in 11/74. The credit information given was No further information was available.

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AT SAN RAFAEL, CALIFORNIA: (1) Recontact and obtain fingerprints of him in view of the fact that neither he nor his attorney has contacted the Los Angeles Office.

(2) Determine from him if he knows and if so attempt to obtain identity and current whereabouts.

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(2) Will follow with United States Attorney's Office in Los Angeles and report if and when CORNFELD returns to the United States.

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Office: Los Angeles, California Report of: 11/3/75 Date: 87-40513 Bureau File #: 87-135272 Field Office File #: BERNARD CORNFELD Title: INTERSTATE TRANSPORTATION OF STOLEN PROPERTY -Charocter: FRAUD BY WIRE of CORNFELD, Synopsis: interviewed and advised she has never seen a blue box and does not know what one is. _____ was interviewed by AUSA ROBERT C. BONNER and she advised that she had b6 b7C b7D 4 Fingerprints of a were compared with latent prints developed in case and it was determined they were not identical.

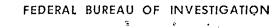
AUSA DARRELL W. MACINTYRE advised on <u>11/3/75</u> that he is negotiating with CORNFELD's attorney, for CORNFELD to return to the United States and surrender himself.

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Pursuant to authority granted by Assistant District Attorney ROBERT WARREN of the Manhattan District Attorney's Office, the following items were received from the Property Clerk's Storage Warehouse of the New York City Police Department (NYCPD) at Pearson Place, Long Island City:

- 1. Three blue boxes.
- 2. Five ear pieces.
- 3. Nine blue box manuals with blue covers.
- 4. Seven blue box phone books with red covers.
- 5. Two mimeographed copies of a blue box manual and a blue box phone book.
- 6. One brown leather bag.

With the exception of two blue box manuals and two blue box phone books, all of the above items were immediately turned over to ______ Security Department, New York Telephone Company.

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The following investigation was conducted at New York, New York, by Special Agent (SA)

On March 10, 1975, a resident of the building at advised that

had resided in that building in apartment but had moved at least four and a half months ago. This individual has no knowledge as to whether or not a forwarding address had been left.

On March 21, 1975, a representative of the United States Post Office advised that a forwarding address had been provided by That address is Post Office Box of the United States Post Office

In New York City.

On April 21, 1975, a representative of the United States Post Office advised that was held by

City, telephone number

On May 9, 1975, an attempt to contact anyone at telephone number _____, met with negative results. The telephone company recording came on the line to indicate that that number had been disconnected.

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On May 12, 1975, ______ of the Rudin Management Company, 40 Park Avenue, advised that ______ had resided in apartment _____ of that building but had left at least a year and a half ago. ______ once worked for _______ and in connection with that job, traveled frequently.

On May 16, 1975, physical observation at the area of 323 East 65th Street, determined that the store at that address, The Company Store, had been deserted.

Residents in the neighborhood advised that the store had been closed for several months and that no one ever came there. ETT:1mm 2

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NY 87-75490

On May 16, 1975, a representative of the New York <u>Telephone Company advised</u> that they had no listing for a ________ in any of the five boroughs of New York City.

On that same date, a representative of the New York State Department of Motor Vehicles advised <u>that there</u> was no record of a driver's license in the name

On May 23, 1975, a representative of the United States Post Office at the Lenox Hill Station at East 71st Street in New York City, advised they had no address in their records for the holder of ______ one ______ This representative advised that in order to update its records. they would attempt to obtain an address for ______ the next time she arrived for mail.

On May 27, 1975, this representative advised that had picked up her mail and provided an address

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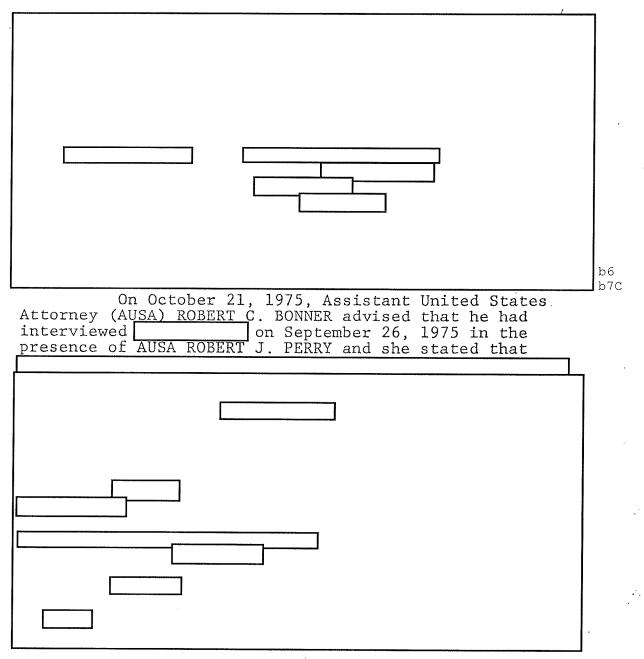
On June 3, 1975, a message was left with the resident of apartment to have contact SA of the New York Office (NYO) of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI).

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The following investigation was conducted by	
AT SAN RAFAEL, CALIFORNIA	
On August 28, 1975, an attempt was made to contact No one was at home at this time, and car was not observed in the area.	•
On September 11. 1975. a call was placed to	· .
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IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO. FBI FILE NO. LATENT CASE NO.

87-40513 87-135272 B-7064 August 28, 1975

GATION

TO: SAC, Los Angeles

FEDER.

RE: BERNARD CORNFELD, AKA - FUGITIVE; ET AL.; ITSP; FBW

REFERENCE: Airtel 7-18-75 EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: Los Angeles SPECIMENS: Resubmission of seven cards bearing eight lifts

Inasmuch as photographs of all latent prints of value are maintained in LFPS, it is not necessary to resubmit original evidence.

Latent fingerprints previously reported and remaining unidentified this case not identical fingerprints of

Specimens enclosed.

Enc. (7)

Clarence M. Kelley, Director

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On November 3, 1975, AUSA DARRELL W. MACINTYRE advised that ______ who stated that he now represents CORNFELD, has contacted him in an effort to negotiate CORNFELD's return to the United States. b6 At this time, ______ is requesting a personal recognizanceb7C bond be set for CORNFELD. MACINTYRE has advised that this is under consideration by his office and he will advise when the decision has been made.

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ADIC, LOS ANGELES (87-40513) SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (87-35982)(P) BERNARD CORNTELD -FUGITIVE ITSP - FBW GO: Los Angeles Re Los Angeles report of SA

11/3/75. On 11/24/75, an attempt was made to contact At this time a recording on the telephone number advised that the number had been disconnected and no new number has been issued. On 11/24/75, the information operator at Pacific Telephone Company, San Rafael, checked her books under both and advised that no number is listed in Marin County under either name. On 12/1/75, Aide's Secretary, U.S. Postal Service, San Rafael, California, checked her records under both and advised that there is no forwarding address under eitner name from that address. On 12/11/75. a call was placed to the Law Offices

of ______ in San Francisco, and a message was left with a telephone answering service asking that ______ telephonically contact the San Rafael Office of the FBI so that an interview may be set up with his client,

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AT SAN RAFAEL, CALIFORNIA. Will await for telephone call on 1/5/76 and will arrange to have his fingerprints taken and interview him concerning

2. Will attempt, through Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company records and/or interview of ______, to determine his current residence and telephone number.

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DIRECTOR, FEI (87-135272) (ATTM: LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION, IDENTIFICATION DIVISION, CASE NUMBER B-7064) SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (87-35982) (P)

1/20/76

BERNARD CORNFELD -FUGITIVE ITSP - FEW OO: LOS ANGELES

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Reference Los Angeles report of SA dated 11/3/75; San Francisco letter to Los Angeles, dated 1/9/76; and Los Angeles telephone call to San Francisco, dated 1/20/76.

Unclosed for the Latent Fingerprint Section find a copy of rolled inked fingerprints of taken on 1/19/76, for comparison and elimination purposes. Enclosed for Los Ancelos are two copies of an FD-302 interview with ______ on 1/19/76.

The Latent Fingerprint Section is requested to compare the enclosed prints against the latent prints of unknown origin found on the inside of a blue box in BERNARD COPNEFLD's house.

It should be noted the fingerprints of	
, have already been compared with the unknown	
latents. but it is not known if	hC
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one and the same individual.	570

The results of the comparison should be sent to the Los Angeles Office.

On 1/2/76, Attorney would be available of fingerprints on 1/5/76. An 2:00 p.m. at the Marin County California, on this date.	te for interview and appointment was se	t up for an Rafael,
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On 1/5/76 secretary telephonically advised the San Rafael Office of the FBI that would not be able to make it on Monday at 2:00 p.m. and an appointment was set up for 1/12/76 to have the fingerprints taken. She advised both and would be in Los Angeles, California, at telephone number She requested that a call be placed to office on 1/12/76 to verify and confirm the appointment.

On 1/12/76, a call was made to Attorney office and the appointment for 2:00 p.m. was cancelled, due to the fact that the Agent involved in the case was unable to be present at that time. It was requested that another date be set up at ______ convenience and that he return the call to the San Rafael, California, Office of the FBI.

On 1/14/76, secretary telephonically b6 contacted the San Rafael Office of the PBI and requested that b7C an appointment with be set up for 1/19/76 at 2:00 p.m. at the Marin County Sheriff's Office, San Rafael. This time and date was agreed upon.

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It is requested the Identification Division, Latent Fingerprint Section, perform comparisons of the enclosed prints as requested above.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (87-135272) ATTN: IDENTIFICATION DIVISIO LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION FROM: ADIC, LOS ANQELES (87-40513)(F) RE: BERNARD CORNTELD - FUGITIVE TISF - FEW OO: LOS Angeles For the information of the Bureau, CORNFELD'S attorney has advised AUSA, LOS Angeles, that CORNFELD is returning to the country and will surrender himself within the next month. A confidential source in LOS Angeles advised that Name Alias Race Sex Date of Birth Place of (A7-359S2) SEAACHED_NOLKED_ SEAACHED_NOLKED_ SEAACHED_NOLKED_ SEAACHED_NOLKED_ SEAACHED_NOLKED_ SEAACHED_NOLKED_ SEAACHED_NOLKED_ SEAACHED_NOLKED_ SEAACHED_NOLKED_ SEAACHED_NOLKED_ SEAACHED_NOLKED_ SEAACHED_NOLKED_ AN 22 9 30 AN '76	36 (Acv. 5-22-64)				C-7
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Los Angeles has a pending 179 case against and by letters dated 12/31/75 and 1/14/76, requested the Laboratory compare fingerprints with latents in that case. That case is entitled, ET AL -FUGITIVE, ECT; RICO; ITSP," Bufile Los Angeles file

The FBI Identification Division is requested to compare any unidentified latent fingerprints in CORNFELD's case with the fingerprints of

It is requested this examination be expedited in view of the fact that the AUSA feels that CORNFELD may return any day and insist or state that he wants to go to trial.

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AT SAN RAFAEL, CALIFORNIA. It is requested efforts to obtain fingerprints be expedited in view of the above. It is also requested that when obtained, they be forwarded directly to the Identification Division to be compared with latents developed in this case.

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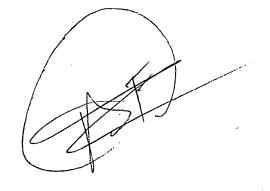
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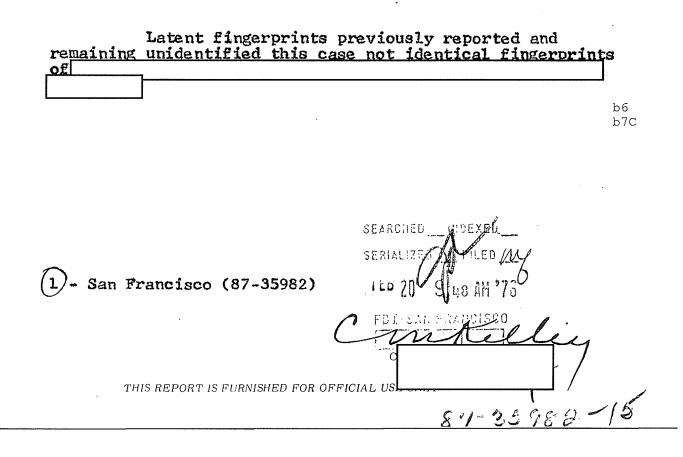
February 17, 1976

TO: SAC, Los Angeles



RE: BERNARD CORNFELD - FUGITIVE; ITSP - FBW

REFERENCE: Airtel 1-16-76 EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: Los Angeles SPECIMENS:



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LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

 YOUR FILE NO.
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 LATENT CASE NO.
 B-7064

February 17, 1976

TO: SAC, San Francisco

RE: BERNARD CORNFELD - FUGITIVE; ITSP - FBW

REFERENCE:	Letter	1/20/76	
EXAMINATION	REQUESTED BY:	San Francisco	
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LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO. FBI FILE NO. LATENT CASE NO. **87-35982 87-135272 B-7064**

February 17, 1976

 $^{\rm TO:}$ SAC, San Francisco

RE: BERNARD CORNFELD - FUGITIVE; ITSP - FBW

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discussions should occur and be arranged with _____, as he represents ______ in this matter.

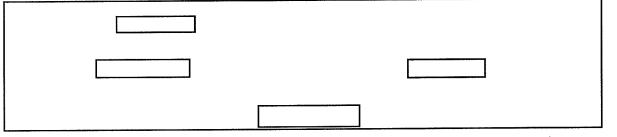
On 3/4/76, Agent of the Los Angeles Office was telephonically contacted in regards to the telephone call which received on 3/1/76. advised a direct call had been made and that since the call was made, Attorney DANIEL MC INTIRE of the U. S. Attorney's Office, Los Angeles, no longer is handling the CORNFELD case and a new U. S. Attorney has not yet been assigned.

It was requested be recontacted and advised of the situation and told he may expect a call sometime after a new Assistant U. S. Attorney is designated as the attorney trying the CORNFELD case.

On 3/10/76, was telephonically advised that the Assistant U. S. Attorney handling this case is no longer doing so and he will be contacted at a later date by the new Assistant U. S. Attorney.

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In view of the fact no further investigation remains in the San Rafael or San Francisco Office of the FBI, this case is being considered RUC.

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AIR MAIL

TO: ADIC, LOS ANGELES (87-40513)

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANÇÍSCO (87-35982) (RUC)

SUBJECT: BERNARD CORNFELD ITSP - FBW OO: LOS ANGELES

Reference Los Angeles airtel to San Francisco, dated 4/14/76.

Being returned to Los Angeles as an enclosure is the subpoena which was enclosed in the referenced airtel.

The subpoena was served on in the presence of his attorney, LE AD BE DESTROYED b6 b7C 2 - Los Angeles (Enc. 1) 1 - San Francisco RKG/dmp (3) Searched. Serialized indexed **Filed**

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REFERENCE: Los Angeles letter to the Bureau dated 8/16/76.

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Final Disposition Report (R-84) regarding subject sent to the Identification Division.

This case is being placed in a pending inactive status by Los Angeles awaiting results of CORNFELD's appeal. AUSA PAUL G. FLYNN advised CORNFELD was appealing his conviction.

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INTERSTATE TRANSPORTATION OF STOLEN PROPERTY - FRAUD BY WIRE.

Synopsis: On 8/13/76, CORNFELD was found guilty by a jury in U.S. District Court, Los Angeles on three counts of Fraud By Wire, in violation of Title 18, U.S. Code, Section 1343. On 9/30/76, U.S. District Judge WILLIAM MATTHEW BYRNE, JR. sentenced CORNFELD to two years custody of Attorney General. 21 months of this sentence was suspended and CORNFELD ordered to serve three months in custody of Attorney General. He was fined \$3,000 and ordered to pay \$7,000 restitution. CORNFELD was placed on three years probation.

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DETAILS

On August 13, 1976, a jury in the United States District Court, Los Angeles, California, returned a guilty verdict against CORNFELD on three counts of Fraud By Wire in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1343.

On September 30, 1976, United States District Judge WILLIAM MATTHEW BYRNE, JR. sentenced CORNFELD to two years custody of the Attorney General. 21 months was suspended and CORNFELD was placed on three years probation and ordered to serve three months in custody of the Attorney General. He was ordered fined \$3,000 and ordered to make restitution of \$7,000. Restitution is to be paid after judication of the telephone company's civil suit against CORNFELD.

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BERMARD CORNFELD ITSP - FBW 00: Los Angeles

Re report of SA 10-13-76, at Los Angeles.

A review of the records of the Ninth Circuit United States Court of Appeals, Seventh and Mission Streets, San Francisco, reflects that the appeal of Subject was docketed by the court on 11-9-76, Docket Number 76-3391. No additional action has been taken by the court.

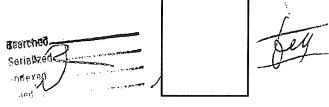
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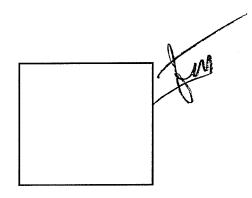
Re San Francisco letter to Los Angeles, 12/8/76.

A review of the records of the Ninth Circuit, United States Court of Appeals, 7th and Mission Streets, San Francisco, reflects that Subject's appeal has been calendared by the court for the week of May 31, 1977.

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Re SF letter to Los Angeles, 2/23/77.

A review of the U. S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit, Docket #76-3391, in the case entitled: "United States of America vs BERNARD CORNFELD" reflects that on 5/4/77, all briefs had not as yet been filed and the matter was still before the Court.

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BERNARD CORNFELD ITSP - FBW OO: LOS ANGELES

Re San Francisco letter to Los Angeles, dated 6/3/77.

On 7/5/77, a review of the records of the Clerk of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the 9th Circuit, docket number 76-3391, reflects no change in the appeal of Subject of this investigation.

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Re San Francisco letter to Los Angeles dated 7/19/77.

On 9/13/77 a review of the records of the Clerk of the U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit, Docket No. 76-3391, reflects that on 9/12/77 this case was argued and submitted before the court.

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