

REPORT OF INVESTIGATION

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9. OTHER OFFICERS:
Group Supervisor Hector G. Berrellez.

10. REPORT RE:
Debriefing of [REDACTED]

DRUG RELATED INFORMATION:

- On September 18, 1992, [REDACTED] was debriefed by Group Supervisor's Delbert A. Salazar and Hector G. Berrellez concerning [REDACTED] knowledge of what had occurred at La Langosta Restaurant located in Guadalajara, Jalisco, Mexico on or about January of 1985.
- [REDACTED] stated that he/she along with Ernesto FONSECA-Carrillo, Samuel RAMIREZ-Razo, Antonio FONSECA-Uribe "El Guero", Jorge GODOY-Lopez, Ramiro PEREZ-Arellano, Guadalupe HERNANDEZ "La Petunia", and others had travelled to La Langosta Restaurant located near Mariano Otero and Plaza del Sol in Guadalajara. [REDACTED] stated that upon arriving there he/she saw Rafael CARO-Quintero, Javier BARBA-Hernandez, Ruben ZUNO-Arce, Eliseo VASQUEZ-Velasco, Antonio VASQUEZ-Velasco, Javier VASQUEZ-Velasco, El Italiano, Beto VASQUEZ, Fantasma, Paco TEJEDA, Amadito, and Juan Jose QUINTERO-Payan present at the restaurant. [REDACTED] stated that upon approaching the restaurant he/she saw on the street, working in a security capacity Rafael ACEVES, Pedro VELARDE, and approximately 50 people outside the restaurant guarding the cars belonging to the aforementioned individuals. [REDACTED] stated that upon entering the restaurant he/she noted that approximately 20 to 30 people were inside the restaurant. [REDACTED] further stated that prior to going to La Langosta Restaurant, FONSECA-CARRILLO and his entourage had been at a residence known to [REDACTED] as "Restaurante Uno" and that they had left Restaurante Uno to travel to La Langosta at approximately 5:00 PM to 6:00 PM.
- After entering the restaurant, [REDACTED] stated that he/she was seated at a table with Rafael CARO-Quintero and that a short time later, two (2) Americans came to the restaurant doorway. As the Americans entered the entry way of the restaurant, CARO-Quintero saw them and said, "de la DEA" (from the DEA). The Americans then retreated from the doorway of the restaurant and started walking toward the parking lot. [REDACTED] stated that CARO-Quintero told [REDACTED] to accompany him and that as they walked out of the restaurant CARO-Quintero yelled to Rafael ACEVES and Pedro VELARDE-Navarro for them to stop the two Americans. The Americans' path was cut off by CARO-Quintero's people and

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| 11. DISTRIBUTION: REGION DISTRICT [REDACTED] OTHER [REDACTED] | 12. SIGNATURE (Agency) Delbert A. Salazar, Group Supervisor 14. APPROVED (Name and Title) Hector G. Berrellez, GTS | 13. DATE 10-9-92 15. DATE 10/9/92 |
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CARO-Quintero and [redacted] approached the Americans and escorted them back toward the restaurant. [redacted] stated that as they walked back toward the entry way of the restaurant, the personnel that had been outside the restaurant guarding the vehicles began to come toward the restaurant entry way and as they reached [redacted] CARO-Quintero, and the two Americans, the security personnel began to hit the Americans. The Americans tried to leave and they were pulled back into the restaurant. One of the Americans was picked up and physically carried back into the restaurant.

4. [redacted] stated that the beating of the Americans continued and accelerated inside the restaurant. [redacted] recalls that Javier BARBA-Hernandez's people had one of the Americans and were beating him with their fists and feet.

5. [redacted] stated that CARO-Quintero and [redacted] walked the other American into a small storage area located toward the back of the restaurant. [redacted] stated that once inside the small storage area, [redacted] forcibly pushed and lowered the American's head onto a small icebox. [redacted] stated that at this point CARO-Quintero accused the American of being from the DEA and then hit the American on the head with a .45 caliber pistol. [redacted] stated that the blow caused the hammer from the pistol to fall off. [redacted] stated that he/she then left the area of the warehouse as other individuals went barging in kicking and beating on the American. [redacted] stated that as he/she left that American and began to exit the small storage area, he/she saw BARBA-Hernandez, his people, and ZUNO-Arce hitting and beating the other American.

6. [redacted] stated that he/she then walked to the street in front of the restaurant and remained there approximately 15 minutes. [redacted] stated that he/she was looking toward the door way of the restaurant and saw CARO-Quintero, FONSECA-Carrillo, and BARBA-Hernandez standing at the door way smoking cocaine base cigarettes. [redacted] then stated that he heard someone yell watch out and as he/she heard this, one (1) of the Americans pushed the three (3) individuals standing at the door way out of the way and ran out of the restaurant. [redacted] stated that the American was bleeding from head to toe and as the American reached [redacted] location, [redacted] attempted to tackle him. [redacted] stated that the American was too big for him to tackle and that RAMIREZ-Razo helped [redacted] tackle the American. [redacted] and RAMIREZ-Razo held the American on the ground and El Gueron came out with some table cloths and told [redacted] and RAMIREZ-Razo to tie up the American. [redacted] told El Gueron that they could not tie the American up with table cloths and that El Gueron then cut strips from the table cloth. [redacted] and RAMIREZ-Razo then tied the American up. [redacted] stated that at that point the American quit fighting and struggling as he was tied up. [redacted] stated that RAMIREZ-Razo, El Gueron, and [redacted] then placed this American in the luggage area of a station wagon which belonged to CARO-Quintero. [redacted] stated that he/she saw the other American wrapped in a table cloth being placed in the same station wagon by Eliseo VASQUEZ, Javier VASQUEZ, Beto VASQUEZ, and Antonio VASQUEZ; known as the "Tierra Libres".

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7. [redacted] stated that he/she then saw CARO-Quintero fire shots from an AK-47 into the air as if celebrating the beating and murders of two Americans.

8. [redacted] stated that after the shots were fired in the air, BARBA-Hernandez, CARO-Quintero, ZUNO-Arce, RAMIREZ-Razo and FONSECA-Carrillo got into FONSECA-Carrillo's blue Gran Marquis vehicle and that RAMIREZ-Razo mentioned to [redacted] that they were going to get some picks and shovels. [redacted] stated that they all left the restaurant in a convoy of approximately 20 vehicles. They traveled to an area by the beltway (Periferico) that surrounds Guadalajara. At the beltway all the vehicles stopped. Ramirez-Razo advised [redacted] that they were going to pick up some picks and shovels and that they should not be followed. [redacted] stated that the individuals who occupied the vehicle that was going to get the picks and shovels were FONSECA-Carrillo, CARO-Quintero, ZUNO-Arce, BARBA-Hernandez and RAMIREZ-Razo.

9. [redacted] stated that he/she disobeyed RAMIREZ-Razo's order and followed the vehicle. [redacted] stated that he/she was accompanied by Ramiro PEREZ-Arellano and Ezequiel GODINEZ. [redacted] stated that they followed in a Ford Bronco and that they ultimately arrived at a warehouse. [redacted] stated he/she saw RAMIREZ-Razo exit the vehicle and walk toward a warehouse. RAMIREZ-Razo told [redacted] to return to the beltway. [redacted] returned to the area of the beltway and met with CARO-Quintero's people who were waiting for the return of RAMIREZ-Razo with the picks and shovels. [redacted] stated that eventually the Gran Marquis, still occupied by all the previously mentioned individuals, returned to the area of the beltway and that the picks and shovels were given to CARO-Quintero's people. [redacted] stated that at this point all the vehicles left in different directions.

10. [redacted] stated that he/she then left the area and went to one of FONSECA-Carrillo's residences known to [redacted] as "Restaurante Uno" accompanied by BARBA-Hernandez and FONSECA-Carrillo, and that later CARO-Quintero arrived at that residence. [redacted] stated that he/she was attempting to take a shower or a bath and change his blood stain clothes when he/she was called by FONSECA-Carrillo and CARO-Quintero to congratulate him/her on his/her participation at the La Langosta Restaurant.

11. [redacted] stated that after being congratulated by CARO-Quintero and FONSECA-CARRILLO, he/she heard CARO-Quintero make a remark about a Comandante that had been causing CARO-Quintero's organization trouble in the state of Chihuahua. [redacted] stated that CARO-Quintero had the Comandante picked up and tortured by putting mineral water and chile up his nostrils. [redacted] then stated that CARO-Quintero said that "Camarena" had also caused them trouble and that "He who crosses me pays for it". [redacted] stated he/she then left the immediate area to go bathe and clean-up.

NON-DRUG RELATED INFORMATION

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1. None related.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

1. None related.

INDEXING SECTION:

1. CARO-Quintero, Rafael [REDACTED]
2. FONSECA-CARRILLO, Ernesto - [REDACTED]
3. RAMIREZ-Razo, Samuel [REDACTED]
4. BARBA-Hernandez, Javier [REDACTED]
5. GODOY-Lopez, Jorge - [REDACTED]
6. ZUNO-Arce, Ruben - [REDACTED]
7. HERNANDEZ, Guadalupe - AKA: La Petunia - [REDACTED]
8. QUINTERO-Payan, Juan Jose [REDACTED]
9. FONSECA-Uribe, Antonio "El Gueron" [REDACTED]
10. El Italiano - [REDACTED]
11. VASQUEZ-Velasco, Eliseo - [REDACTED]
12. VASQUEZ-Velasco, Antonio - [REDACTED]
13. VASQUEZ-Velasco, Javier - [REDACTED]
14. VASQUEZ-Velasco, Beto [REDACTED]
15. Fantasma - [REDACTED]
16. Amadito [REDACTED]
17. TEJEDA, Paco - [REDACTED]
18. ACEVES, Rafael - [REDACTED]

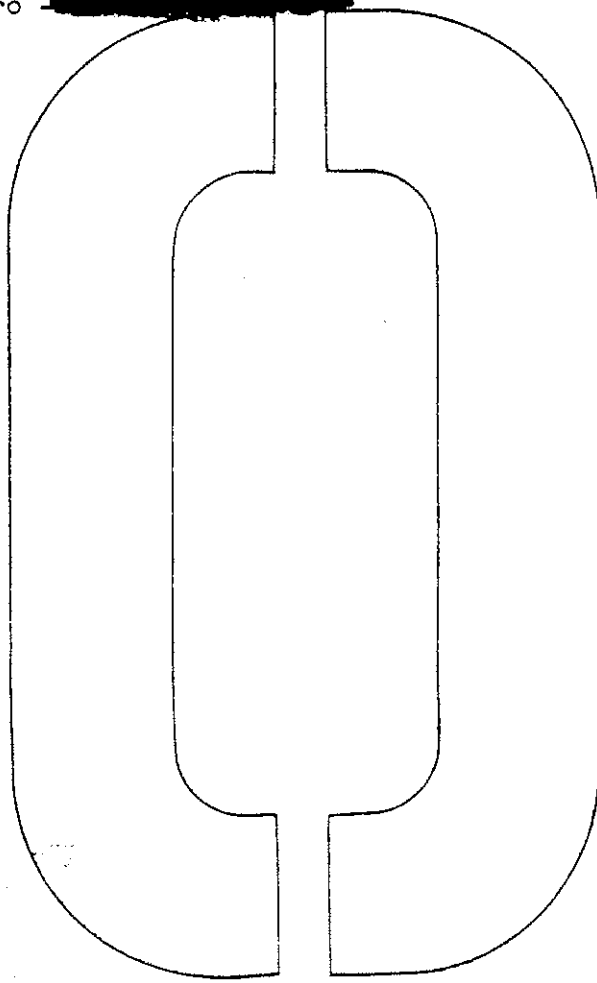
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19. VELARDE-Navarro, Pedro [REDACTED]

20. GODINEZ, Ezequiel - AKA: El Primo, [REDACTED]

21. PEREZ-Arellano, Ramiro [REDACTED]



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