

REPORT OF INVESTIGATION (Law Enforcement)

ROUTINE
 SENSITIVE SIGNIFICANT

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2. TO: Special Agent in Charge
 Boston Field Division

3. MONITORED INVESTIGATION INFORMATION (Number and Branch)
 CIP: BOSTON DISTRICT FY-92
 EXPLOSIVES VIOLATIONS
 REPORT ██████████ 63212-92-21 HQ

4. TITLE OF INVESTIGATION
 Roslindale Bombing

5. INVESTIGATION No. (Include Suspect No.)
 63212-92-2008-C

| 6. TYPE OF REPORT (Check applicable boxes) | | | 7. BUREAU PROGRAM | | 8. PROJECT(S) |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> | PRELIMINARY | <input type="checkbox"/> | COLLATERAL (Request) | TITLE I | TARGETED OFFENDER |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | | <input type="checkbox"/> | | TITLE II | FIREARMS |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | STATUS | <input type="checkbox"/> | COLLATERAL (Reply) | TITLE VII | TERRORIST/EXTREMIST |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | | <input type="checkbox"/> | | TITLE II | EXPLOSIVES |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | FINAL | <input type="checkbox"/> | INTELLIGENCE | X TITLE XI | OCB |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | | <input type="checkbox"/> | | TOBACCO | ITAR |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | SUPPLEMENTAL | <input type="checkbox"/> | REFERRAL (Internal) | ALCOHOL | SEAR |
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9. DETAILS:

Report of Interview

With John Cates on December 3, 1991
 at 2:30 p.m. by Special Agents
 Thomas D'Ambrosio and Dennis P. Leahy,
 at Fleet Savings Bank, Boylston St.,
 Boston, Massachusetts

Mr. Cates states as follows:

He said that Al Trenkler had nothing to do with the bombing and that he would know because he spends all his time with Trenkler. He said that Tom Shay was most probably the person responsible for the bombing. Mr. Cates recognized Thomas Shay from a photographic line-up shown to him. He stated that he knows Shay from the 1200 block of Boylston Street. He said that Shay hangs around on the street in that area. He said that he first met Shay in the Blue Hills area of Milton, approximately two summers ago. He said that Shay was not a stable person. He said that he is aware of the fact that Al Trenkler and Shay are acquainted. He said that Trenkler has known Shay less time than himself. He said that he warned Trenkler to stay away from Shay because Shay was crazy. He said that Shay would often call Trenkler and invite him to parties which Trenkler would decline. Mr. Cates was adamant that Trenkler heeded his advice and has not spent any time with Shay. Mr. Cates stated that he was not aware of the fact that Trenkler had previously made a remote control explosive device. He said that he was told by Trenkler that he (Trenkler) had made a fireworks type of device in the past.

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| 10. SUBMITTED BY (Name) Dennis P. Leahy | 11. TITLE AND OFFICE Special Agent | 12. DATE ██████████ |
| 13. REVIEWED BY (Name) Dor D. Palaza | 14. TITLE AND OFFICE Supervisor, Group III | 15. DATE ██████████ |
| 16. APPROVED BY (Name) Terence J. McArdle | 17. TITLE AND OFFICE Special Agent in Charge | 18. DATE ██████████ |