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13 October 1978

MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Operations Support Branch

FROM: Joseph P. Mirabile
Operations Support Branch

SUBJECT: SHERMAN, Adrian Fisher, Jr.
#54 621

1. On 25 September 1978, a call was received in the Security Duty Office from James A. Sherman, Subject's brother, advising that Subject suffered a fatal heart attack on 23 September 1978 at his apartment in Monterey, California. Subject was sixty years of age and had a history of previous heart trouble.

2. Mr. Sherman was previously of interest to this Agency as a military detailee, 1952 - 1954, when he was serving at Clark Air Force Base, the Philippines, as a Major in the United States Army. After leaving the Army, he worked for Pan American Airlines for approximately 13 years and then as an investigator for the State Attorney General's Office in Miami, Florida. He has been of interest to DCD and FRD in San Francisco, California, since April 1977. FRD's operational interest was as an access agent to a Saudi Arabian of interest to the San Francisco Base.

3. On 23 September 1978, Subject's body was discovered by an FRD case officer who had arrived at the Monterey, California, apartment for an operational meeting. The apartment house resident manager gained access to the apartment. Subsequent access was allowed to an emergency ambulance squad, police officers and the deputy coroner.

4. Assistance has been rendered to FR Base by San Francisco Field Office personnel in this matter. Gordon Gregory, SAC/SFFO, was apprised on the circumstances on 25 September 1978 and subsequently made contact with the Chief, FR Base. Subject's son, who was traveling cross-country by auto at the time of the death, arrived in the area on 27 September with two sisters and was contacted by a representative of the San Francisco Field Office. He is

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