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INFORMATION REGARDING THE DEFENDANTS

NAME	CHARGES	PENALTIES
Thomas Liciardello 38 Philadelphia	RICO Conspiracy; Conspiracy to deprive of civil rights; Deprivation of civil rights; Hobbs Act robbery, 3c.; Carrying a firearm during a crime of violence, 3c.; Falsification of records, 8c.	Mandatory minimum term of 7 years in prison, up to life; fine up to \$4.5m; \$1,800 special assessment; five years of supervised release
Brian Reynolds 43 Philadelphia	RICO Conspiracy; Hobbs Act robbery, 3c.; Carrying a firearm during a crime of violence, 3c.; Hobbs Act Extortion; Falsification of records	Mandatory minimum term of 7 years in prison, up to life; fine up to \$2.25m; \$900 special assessment; five years of supervised release
Michael Spicer 46 Philadelphia	RICO Conspiracy; Conspiracy to deprive of civil rights; Deprivation of civil rights; Hobbs Act robbery, 2c.; Carrying a firearm during a crime of violence, 2c.; Hobbs Act Extortion, 1c.	Mandatory minimum term of 7 years in prison, up to life; fine up to \$2m; \$800 special assessment; five years of supervised release
Perry Betts 46 Philadelphia	RICO Conspiracy; Conspiracy to deprive of civil rights; Hobbs Act robbery, 2c.; Carrying a firearm during a crime of violence, 2c.; Falsification of records	Mandatory minimum term of 7 years in prison, up to life; fine up to \$1.75m; \$700 special assessment; five years of supervised release
Linwood Norman 46 Philadelphia	RICO Conspiracy; Conspiracy to deprive of civil rights; Hobbs Act robbery; Carrying a firearm during a crime of violence; Falsification of records; Possession with intent to distribute over 500 g of cocaine	Mandatory minimum term of 7 years in prison, up to life; fine up to \$1.5m; \$600 special assessment; five years of supervised release
John Speiser 44 Philadelphia	RICO Conspiracy; Falsification of records;	Up to 40 years in prison; up to \$500,000 fine; \$200 special assessment; three years of supervised release