

## SECRET

REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OR INVESTIGATIVE ACTION (Always handcarry 1 copy of this form)		DATE <b>17 December 1962</b>	
TO: CI/Operational Approval and Support Division		FROM: <b>SR/10/B</b>	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Security Support Division/Office of Security		PROJECT <b>oca</b>	
SUBJECT: <b>Bishop Vincentas Brizgys</b> (True name)		CI/OA FILE NO.	
CRYPTONYM, PSEUDONYM, AKA OR ALIASES		RI 201 FILE NO. <b>na</b>	SO FILE NO. <b>na</b>
1. TYPE ACTION REQUESTED			
PROVISIONAL OPERATIONAL APPROVAL		PROVISIONAL PROPRIETARY APPROVAL	
OPERATIONAL APPROVAL		PROPRIETARY APPROVAL	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PROVISIONAL COVERT SECURITY APPROVAL		COVERT NAME CHECK	
COVERT SECURITY APPROVAL		SPECIAL INQUIRY (SO field investigation)	
COVERT SECURITY APPROVAL FOR LIAISON WITH U.S. OFFICIALS			
2. SPECIFIC AREA OF USE <b>Chicago, Illinois</b>			
3. FULL DETAILS OF USE <b>Subject recently attended the Ecumenical Congress in Rome where he met several Soviet Lithuanians who are of present and future ops interest. Subject will be contacted and debriefed on his contacts in Rome and on several American-Liths whom he should know. This is being and will be coordinated with OC [ ]</b>			
4. INVESTIGATION AND COVER		YES	NO
A. U.S. GOVERNMENT INTEREST MAY BE SHOWN DURING INVESTIGATION?			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
B. CIA INTEREST MAY BE SHOWN DURING INVESTIGATION?			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
C. IS SUBJECT AWARE OF U.S. GOVERNMENT INTEREST IN HIM?			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
D. IS SUBJECT AWARE OF CIA INTEREST IN HIM?			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
E. INDICATE ANY LIMITATIONS ON COVERAGE IN THE INVESTIGATION OF SUBJECT. <b>CIA interest should not appear</b>			
F. SUGGEST "COVER PRETEXT" TO BE USED IN CONDUCTING PERSONAL INVESTIGATION OF SUBJECT. <b>I. and N.S.</b>			
IF NO INVESTIGATION OUTSIDE CIA, EXPLAIN FULLY <b>see E.</b>			
5. PRQ AND GREEN LIST STATUS			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PRQ I, OR EQUIVALENT, IN (2) COPIES ATTACHED		PRQ II WILL BE FORWARDED	
PRQ II, OR EQUIVALENT, IN (1) COPY ATTACHED		GREEN LIST ATTACHED, NO:	
6. RI TRACES			
NO RECORD		WILL FORWARD <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	NON-DEROGATORY
			DEROGATORY ATTACHED
7. DIVISION TRACES			
NO RECORD		WILL FORWARD <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	NON-DEROGATORY
			DEROGATORY ATTACHED
8. FIELD TRACES			
NO RECORD		WILL FORWARD	
NO DEROGATORY INFO.		DEROGATORY ATTACHED	
LIST SOURCES CHECKED			
NOT INITIATED (Explanation) <b>not known where Subj. resided abroad</b>			
SIGNATURE OF CASE OFFICER <b>[ ]</b>		EXTENSION <b>6453</b>	SIGNATURE OF BRANCH CHIEF <b>[ ]</b>

BIOGRAPHIC DATA IN LIEU OF PRQ PART I

Subject was born on 10 November 1903 in Plyniu near Marijampole in Lithuania. He attended the seminary from 1921 to 1927 and became a priest in the summer of 1927. From 1927 to 1930 he was a priest in Lithuania and in 1930 he attended a five year course of study in Rome at the Gregorium. He was consecrated as a bishop in Kaunas on 19 May 1940. Subject has lived in Germany, Canada, Spain and Portugal and for many years has resided in Chicago, Illinois at 6752 South Rockwell Street, Chicago 29, Illinois. He has most recently visited Rome in the Fall of 1962 to attend the Ecumenical Congress being held there. During this period he met and became reacquainted with a number of Soviet-Lithuanians including a number of Soviet-Lithuanian priests.

