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**Via Overnight Mail**

Mr. Charles F. Griffin, Esq.  
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Re: James Perdigao

Dear Mr. Griffin:

As per our recent conversation, it is my understanding that your client, James Perdigao, is interested in speaking with the appropriate investigative agency regarding further allegations against law enforcement officials in the Eastern District of Louisiana. Mr. Perdigao's initial allegations, all supporting documentation, and your most recent letter have all been forwarded to that agency for its review. I have also requested that someone contact you to discuss the matter in detail. However, any information you have regarding threats to Mr. Perdigao's safety should be directed to the local authorities in your area.

Very truly yours,

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