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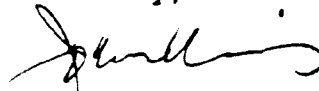
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Dear Mr. Smaltz:

This is in response to your letter to the Attorney General, dated February 24, 1995, with respect to what appears to be a leak of information concerning the exchange of correspondence between the Department and you pertaining to your request for an expansion of jurisdiction.

We fully share your concern about leaks of sensitive investigative material and have referred your letter to the Department's office of Professional Responsibility for appropriate consideration.

Sincerely,



Jo Ann Harris  
Assistant Attorney General