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FROM: PAUL E. BRODEUR

RE: PRIEST REPORT FROM [REDACTED]  
UNFOUNDED - [REDACTED] HAS NOT RESPONDED. [REDACTED]  
DOES NOT HAVE REPORT AND NO MISSING CHILD.

DATE: 13 AUG 04

10 AUG 04 I received an email from Atty. Lamontagne re: a [REDACTED] reporting abuse to a [REDACTED] in Braintree, MA. The abuse supposedly took place in [REDACTED] at the [REDACTED] by a Fr. [REDACTED]. Supposedly a [REDACTED] NH Police had already looked into the issue.

Called [REDACTED] PD and spoke with Det. [REDACTED]. He checked the computer and could not find any entry for Fr. [REDACTED] and that there is no police personnel by the name of [REDACTED]. He did advise that there were entries for [REDACTED] at [REDACTED] but it was a noise complaint back in APR 2004.

I called the home and cell phone for [REDACTED] and left messages. This person has failed to return my calls.

11 AUG 04 spoke with Fr. Robert CONOLE. He advised that this woman had appeared at the rectory on Saturday Aug 7, 2004. She went into a 10 to 12 min. dissertation about the Lord and/or the Blessed Mother lead her to the rectory. She mentioned pedophilia and at that point Fr. CONOLE felt he needed to record the information and make notifications. He excused himself and obtained paper and pen. Fr. CONOLE then notified Fr. Marc Guillemette of the NH Diocese of this meeting. Fr. CONOLE faxed a copy of his memo to my attention. Fr. CONOLE felt that he may have needed to report the matter to the MA authorities. I advised Fr. CONOLE of the process in NH and that I would follow-up with the respective agencies if it was determined further investigation was required.

In an effort to further verify the information I attempted to contact a [REDACTED] who supposedly had notebooks for safekeeping from [REDACTED]. The telephone number listed on the memo is no longer in service. It was also noted that a [REDACTED] had suspicions about activities after hours. The number given is the rectory at [REDACTED].

1420 hrs. spoke with [REDACTED] A. She is the Office Manger and Secretary to [REDACTED]. Inquired of her knowledge of [REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED] was part of a group at the parish that has spiritual gifts. Recently [REDACTED] was acting strangely and the Pastoral Associate, [REDACTED], served her a letter requesting she no longer participate within the group. [REDACTED] suggested I speak with [REDACTED] is in that he may have information regarding Doctors or medication that [REDACTED]

involved with. Inquired of [REDACTED] regarding any suspicions of abuse by any priest. [REDACTED] advised that she has never had any questions or suspicions about any of the priest associated with this parish. [REDACTED] was not available at this time. Requested she keep this inquiry to herself until I could speak with [REDACTED].

12 AUG 04 emails and messages were left from Atty. Lamontagne advising that Fr. [REDACTED] had been advised of the above and that he was upset. Attempted to reach Fr. [REDACTED] but was advised that he was away for the day.

13 AUG 04 spoke with Fr. [REDACTED]. Explained to Fr. [REDACTED] how the reports come to our attention and our responsibility to look into the accusations. Also advised Fr. [REDACTED] that I had requested the woman to not speak with him until I could speak with him in person. She evidently did not heed the advice.

Fr. [REDACTED] made me aware of a phone message left by [REDACTED] E on his phone making similar accusations of pedophilia etc. Fr. [REDACTED] advised that he had the other members of the staff listen to the message and that he had also notified Fr. Arsenault. Advised Fr. [REDACTED] that Fr. Arsenault had received a cc: of the message sent to me from Atty. Lamontagne. I would have expected Fr. Arsenault to notify Atty. Lamontagne of the prior messages and this matter would have ceased sooner.

Fr. [REDACTED] suggested the [REDACTED] E may be a person known to the State Hospital. Fr. [REDACTED] inquired what the process will be from this point. Advised that I would prepare a cover memo and that it would be filed with the audit material. Offered to meet further with Fr. [REDACTED] if he felt that was necessary.

**Brodeur, Paul**

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**From:** Ovide M. Lamontagne [olamontagne@devinemillmet.com]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 10, 2004 11:21 AM  
**To:** Brodeur, Paul  
**Cc:** Quinlan, Diane; Donroe, Brenda; jnaff@catholiccharitiesnh.org; Arsenault, Rev. Edward; Guillemette, Rev. Marc  
**Subject:** New Report: [REDACTED] Report of Allegations Involving Unknown Minor

Dear Paul:

Please find attached a "new" report which the Diocese received via a Father Robert Conole of St. Francis Assisi Parish in Braintree, MA. You will see from the report that a [REDACTED] resident named [REDACTED] presented herself unexpectedly to Fr. Conole last Saturday August 7th and while in a "trance" made what appear to be unsubstantiated allegations about an unknown five year old boy being sodomized by Fr. [REDACTED] who is the [REDACTED] in [REDACTED]

After Fr. Conole received this information, he contacted the Diocese and spoke with Fr. Marc Guillemette. Fr. Marc spoke briefly with Ms [REDACTED] Sunday August 8. She was unable to speak with him in detail because she had a family commitment. He then tried to reach her on Monday, left a message, and has not heard back from her.

The gist of Ms [REDACTED] allegations is the following:

Ms. [REDACTED] stated that a week ago Friday, (July 30, 2004), Father [REDACTED] the [REDACTED] at [REDACTED], [REDACTED] New Hampshire sexually assaulted a five year old boy in the rectory. Ms. [REDACTED] claims that a "Father Francesse" was a witness to the assault. (There is no Father Francesse listed in the Official Catholic Directory.) Ms. [REDACTED] claims that the incident was reported to the [REDACTED] Police. Ms. [REDACTED] claims that Father [REDACTED] was questioned by the [REDACTED] police, and that an investigation was done. Ms. [REDACTED] claims the case was dropped because there was "no victim" that came forward. Ms. [REDACTED] claims that [REDACTED] police knows about the incident.

As stated in the attached report, the contact information for Ms [REDACTED] and Fr Conole is as follows:

**Contact Information:**



7/25/01

**Father Robert Conole**  
**Saint Francis of Assisi Parish**  
**856 Washington Street**  
**Braintree, MA 02184-6464**  
**Phone: 781-843-1332**

Paul, after you have had a chance to review this information and the attached, could you please call me (695-8516) so we can discuss this matter by phone? As you might imagine, we are skeptical about the veracity of these allegations and we have not taken action against Fr. [REDACTED] have we spoken with him about it. Of course, if these allegations are false, we would like your help in admonishing Ms [REDACTED] and alerting her to the penalties associated with making a false report. As you know, we all take these matters very seriously and there

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are grave consequences where a report is found to be "credible" even where it cannot be proven.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Ovide

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- Lord led me here
- Blessed Mother led me here.
- sister in Quincy, MA
- he is at end of Red Line MBTA

Closed eyes + stunted 10-12 min. <sup>elliptic</sup> of statement like in a trance. Blessed Mother revealed... Lord revealed... Represented herself as a cross pol. When mentioned Pedophile took serious.

[REDACTED] parish said. "susp of after his activity" mentioned "notebooks" wanted to present to Bishop M. Cormack.  
- entrusted to [REDACTED] for safe keeping

Synod boy - no name or desc. He just disappeared.

**REPORT OF INCIDENT****Saturday, August 7, 2004****Approximately 1:20 PM**

A woman who identified herself as: [REDACTED]

Came to the door of St. Francis of Assisi Rectory, 856 Washington Street, Braintree, MA 02184, and said she wished to speak to a priest. I admitted her to the rectory and invited her to be seated in our "secure" office ( this office is under constant video surveillance for our protection and the protection of all ).

Ms. [REDACTED] closed her eyes, and proceeded to speak, uninterrupted , for approximately 10 minutes. During this discourse, Ms. [REDACTED] said that it was revealed to her by Jesus that a priest had victimized a child. Ms. [REDACTED] used the term "pedophile" and further stated that she attempted to notify church officials, particularly the bishop.

After [REDACTED] had finished speaking, I told her that what she said was very serious and that I would be obliged to take some notes. I left the secure office for approximately 2 minutes while I obtained some paper and a pen. I then returned to the office.

Ms. [REDACTED] identified Fr. [REDACTED], the Pastor of [REDACTED] as the offender.

Ms. [REDACTED] said that the abuse took place on a Friday, and from what I was able to determine, the Friday in question would have been Friday, July 30, 2004.

Ms. [REDACTED] said that the victim of the abuse was a 5 year old boy, and that the abuse involved sodomization, and the use of whips and chains.

Ms. [REDACTED] said that the act of abuse was witnessed by another priest, a Father Francesee ( Ms. [REDACTED] could provide not additional information about Fr. Francesee other than to say that he witnessed the abuse. )

Ms. [REDACTED] was not specific about the location of the alleged abuse. I could not determine if it occurred at the [REDACTED].

Ms. [REDACTED] said that the incident was reported to the [REDACTED] Police Department. The [REDACTED] Police then called in [REDACTED] for questioning.

Ms. [REDACTED] said that the victim, the 5 year old boy, disappeared, and that because there was no victim ( no one to make the charge ), that the police suspended their questioning of Fr. [REDACTED]

Ms. [REDACTED] mentioned specific individuals:

+ [REDACTED] Police Officer has some knowledge of the case.

- + [REDACTED] a, the rectory secretary is "highly suspicious of after hours activity". Ms. [REDACTED]
- + [REDACTED] has some knowledge of the victim and the victim's family.

When I asked Ms. [REDACTED] why she would come here to St. Francis of Assisi in Braintree to make such a report, she mentioned a variety of reasons. They include:

"I was led here"

"I've always been interested in the Franciscans."

"My sister lives in Quincy ( Quincy is an adjacent community to Braintree. )"

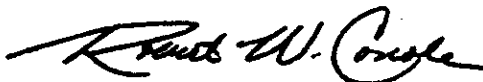
"The Lord has led me here."

Ms. [REDACTED] also made mention of two notebooks. Apparently, these notebooks are a journal of all that has been revealed to her. She claims that she has attempted to present these notebooks to Bishop John McCormick using the above-named Ms. [REDACTED] as an intermediary or messenger.

Ms. [REDACTED] has indicated that she has made to contact with law enforcement.

Ms. [REDACTED] said [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] is Mary's choice to [REDACTED]

Under whatever penalties of perjury apply in both the State of New Hampshire, and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, I attest that this report, and all the statements therein are true.



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BRAINTREE, MASSACHUSETTS

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Paul:

Enclosed is the Report I made of the incident which occurred last Saturday, August 7, 2004 at St. Francis of Assisi Rectory, Braintree, Massachusetts.

If you require any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,



Rev. Robert W. Conole

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**DIOCESE OF MANCHESTER  
OFFICE OF THE DELEGATE OF THE BISHOP**

**ALLEGATIONS OF SEXUAL ABUSE OF A MINOR  
REPORT SUMMARY ~ CIVIL AUTHORITIES**

[REDACTED]

**Complainant Name:** [REDACTED] **(Maiden Name):**  
**Address:**  
**Telephone:** 603-  
**DOB:** ?around 1964-65 **E-mail:**

**Name of Reporter (if not Complainant):** Charles Douglas III **Relationship:** Attorney  
**Telephone:** 603-224-1988 **Address:** 6 London Road, Suite 502 Concord, NH 03301

**Name of Accused:** REV. ROMEO VALLIERE **No ministry since** 1996

1. **Location (City/Town) of alleged abuse:** West Stewartstown, NH  
**Place of alleged abuse:** Parish rectory  
**Date of alleged abuse:** 1979  
**Nature of alleged abuse:** oral sex and viewing pornography  
**Age of Complainant at time of alleged abuse:** 13-14 years old
2. **Location (City/Town) of alleged abuse:**  
**Place of alleged abuse:**  
**Date of alleged abuse:**  
**Nature of alleged abuse:**  
**Age of Complainant at time of alleged abuse:**

**Complainant has been informed that the Diocese of Manchester will report this allegation to law enforcement (Attorney General/ DCYF if applicable/local law enforcement) Yes XX No ☐**

**Specific Concerns:** Attorney Douglas is aware of the reporting requirements of the Diocese of Manchester.

**Report to DCYF (if complainant under age of 18)** 800-894-5533 **n/a**  
**Date of Contact:** / /200 **Time:** :  
**Name of DCYF Intake Rep:**

**Report to Ovide Lamontagne (603-695-8516) for report to AG/law enforcement:**  
**Date of Contact:** 8/26/04 **Time:** 2:20 PM

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**Brodeur, Paul**

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**From:** Ovide M. Lamontagne [olamontagne@devinemillimet.com]  
**Sent:** Friday, August 27, 2004 10:48 AM  
**To:** Brodeur, Paul  
**Cc:** Quinlan, Diane; Donroe, Brenda; jnaiff@catholiccharitiesnh.org; Arsenault, Rev. Edward  
**Subject:** New Report [REDACTED] Fr. Valliere

Dear Paul:

Please find attached a new report the Diocese received regarding a deceased priest, Fr. Romeo Valliere. As you will note, the complainant is represented by Chuck Douglas.

Please let me know if you have any questions. I would assume that you file this and not investigate since the accused priest is deceased.

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Dear Paul:

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The Diocese had received a report last year about a Fr. Rusty that I believe was reported to your office through Peter Hutchins. The Diocese has previously been in contact with Fr. Roulier's Provincial, who indicated that Fr. Roulier is deceased.

When advised that the Diocese would be making a report to the AG's office, [REDACTED] indicated that we were not authorized to give your office her brother's name and she withheld it from the Diocese itself.

Please let me know if you have any questions or comments. You will also find [REDACTED] telephone number on the attached report form. Given her preference not to involve your office and further given that Fr. Roulier is deceased, I assume that you will simply file the report and not commence an investigation. Please let me know if I am incorrect in my understanding.

Thank you,

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OFFICE OF THE DELEGATE OF THE BISHOP  
ALLEGATIONS OF SEXUAL ABUSE OF A MINOR  
REPORT SUMMARY ~ CIVIL AUTHORITIES**

**Complainant Name:** (last name unknown) (Maiden Name):  
**Address:** unknown  
**Telephone:** unknown  
**DOB:** unknown **E-mail:**

**Name of Reporter (if not Complainant):** Relationship: Sister  
**Telephone:** Address: unknown

**Name of Accused:** Rev. George Roulier, OMI (deceased)

1. **Location (City/Town) of alleged abuse:** Nashua, NH  
**Place of alleged abuse:** Unknown  
**Date of alleged abuse:** 1970s  
**Nature of alleged abuse:** unknown  
**Age of Complainant at time of alleged abuse:** Unknown (approximately 10 years old?)
2. **Location (City/Town) of alleged abuse:**  
**Place of alleged abuse:**  
**Date of alleged abuse:**  
**Nature of alleged abuse:**  
**Age of Complainant at time of alleged abuse:**

Complainant has been informed that the Diocese of Manchester will report this allegation to law enforcement (Attorney General/ DCYF if applicable/local law enforcement) Yes ☒ No ☐  
**Specific Concerns:** indicated that I was not authorized to share with the Attorney General's office the name of her brother. During the conversation, she mentioned that his first name is . She did not give her brother's last name.

**Report to DCYF (if complainant under age of 18) 800-894-5533**  
**Date of Contact:** / /200 **Time:** : Not applicable.  
**Name of DCYF Intake Rep:**

**Report to Ovide Lamontagne for report to AG/law enforcement:**  
**Date of Contact:** 08/25/04 **Time:** 12:40 a.m.

**Copy Distribution:**

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**Delegate** ☒ **Other:** ☐

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**From:** Ovide M. Lamontagne [olamontagne@devinemillimet.com]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, August 31, 2004 3:10 PM  
**To:** Brodeur, Paul  
**Cc:** Quinlan, Diane; Arsenault, Rev. Edward; jnaff@catholiccharitiesnh.org; Donroe, Brenda; Klipp, Martha  
**Subject:** RE: New Report: [REDACTED] (on behalf of her unidentified brother)/Fr. George Roulier aka "Fr. Rusty"

Dear Paul:

Regarding a prior report about Fr. Roulier, I went back through my files and found this email I had sent to Tony Fowler dated August 4, 2003 which is attached.

Attached to the email to Tony is a listing of all reports the Diocese had received through the legal claims office (generally lawsuits or claims made by attorneys for compensation). You will note that [REDACTED] refers to a claim for compensation the Diocese had received about Fr. Roulier between December 10, 2002 and July 30, 2003.

Please let me know if you have any questions about this matter.

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**From:** Brodeur, Paul [mailto:Paul.Brodeur@doj.nh.gov]  
**Sent:** Monday, August 30, 2004 8:43 AM  
**To:** Ovide M. Lamontagne  
**Subject:** RE: New Report: [REDACTED] (on behalf of her unidentified brother)/Fr. George Roulier aka "Fr. Rusty"

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**To:** Brodeur, Paul  
**Subject:** RE: New Report: [REDACTED] (on behalf of her unidentified brother)/Fr. George Roulier aka "Fr. Rusty"

Thank you, Paul. I'll check with the Diocese about an earlier report and update your file accordingly.

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**From:** Ovide Lamontagne [OMLAMONTAGNE@dmb.com]  
**Sent:** Monday, August 04, 2003 4:28 PM  
**To:** Anthony Fowler  
**Cc:** Joe Naff; bdonroe@rcbm.org; Diane Quinlan; Rev. Edward Arsenault; Martha Kipp  
**Subject:** Update on Reports of Sexual Abuse of Minors by Clergy

Dear Tony,

I have asked Martha Kipp, Director of Risk Management for the Diocese of Manchester, to compile a summary of all civil claims made by individuals alleging sexual abuse as minors by certain named clergy that the Diocese learned about since December 10, 2002, the date of the Agreement between the Office of the Attorney General and the Diocese. These claims are those which were made known to us by the filing of civil lawsuits and/or demands being made on behalf of victims by lawyers, etc.

Please find attached a summary of these claims identifying the victim by name and the accused priest. I am submitting the attached document with the understanding that this "report," like all others, is not available to the public under NH's Right to Know law as this information is being submitted to you, for among other reasons, as part of the audit and reporting provisions of the Agreement. In addition, it is important to stress that several of the victims have expressly requested (and in some cases adamantly demanded) that their names be held confidential and not be released.

I believe the attached summary will give you an opportunity to cross-reference your files so that you will be fully informed as we are of all claims asserted. To the best of my knowledge, all of the accused have previously been identified and reported to your office with the possible exception of Gregoire Dumont, Joseph Sands, George Roulier and Brother Henry. None of these individuals are in ministry.

As is our normal custom and practice, please let me know if you would like further information about any of these claims or if you believe that a further report should be made to local law enforcement.

Thank you for your ongoing assistance and cooperation.

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1. [REDACTED] accuses Gregoire Dumont (deceased) of sexual abuse at St. Anne Parish in Berlin, NH from 1978 until 1983. The diocese received the report through her attorney (Peter Hutchins) in a letter dated January 16, 2003.
2. [REDACTED] accuses Roland Veillette (deceased) of sexual abuse at St. Peter Parish in Peterborough, NH in 1975. The diocese received the report through his attorney (Mark Abramson) in a letter dated February 6, 2003.
3. [REDACTED] accuses Gerald Joyal (deceased) of sexual abuse at St. Patrick Parish in Bennington, NH from 1980 until 1985. The diocese received the report through his attorney (Peter Hutchins) in a letter dated March 12, 2003.
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5. [REDACTED] accuses George Roulier, O.M.I. (deceased) of sexual abuse at Immaculate Conception Parish in Nashua, NH in 1979. The diocese received the report through his attorney (Peter Hutchins) in a letter dated March 13, 2003.
6. [REDACTED] accuses Francis Lamothe (deceased) of sexual abuse at Sacred Heart Parish in Greenville, NH in 1962 or 1963. The diocese received the report through his attorney (Peter Hutchins) in a letter dated May 12, 2003.
7. [REDACTED] accuses Robert Densmore (removed) of sexual abuse at Our Lady of Fatima Parish in New London, NH from 1971 until 1975. The diocese received the report through his attorney (Peter Hutchins) in a letter dated March 18, 2003.
8. [REDACTED] accuses Donald Osgood (removed) of sexual abuse at St. Joseph Cathedral School from 1955 until 1959. The diocese received the report through his attorney (Peter Hutchins) in a letter dated May 19, 2003.
9. [REDACTED] accuses Gordon MacRae (incarcerated) of sexual abuse at Sacred Heart School in Hampton, NH in 1983. The diocese received the report through his attorney (Peter Hutchins) in a letter dated May 20, 2003.
10. [REDACTED] accuses Albert Boulanger (deceased) of sexual abuse at St. Agnes in Ashland, NH in 1976. The diocese received the report through his attorney (Peter Hutchins) in a letter dated May 20, 2003.
11. [REDACTED] accuses Alfred Constant (deceased) of sexual abuse at St. Anthony School in Manchester, NH in 1951 or 1952. The diocese received the report from his attorney (Peter Hutchins) in a letter dated May 21, 2003.
12. [REDACTED] accuses J. Joseph Sands (deceased) of sexual abuse at St. Bernard Parish in Keene, NH from 1966 until 1969. The diocese received the report through his attorney (Mark Abramson) in a letter dated May 28, 2003.
13. [REDACTED] accuses Donald Osgood (removed) of sexual abuse at St. Joseph Cathedral from 1956 until 1959. The diocese received the report through his attorney (Mark Abramson) in a letter dated May 28, 2003.
14. [REDACTED] accuses Joseph Maguire (removed) of sexual abuse at St. Joseph Parish in Dover, NH from 1977 until 1983. The diocese received the report through his attorney (Mark Abramson) in a letter dated May 28, 2003.

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17. [REDACTED] accuses Romeo Valliere (removed) of sexual abuse at St. Mary Parish in Claremont, NH in 1971. The diocese received the report from his attorney (Peter Hutchins) in a letter dated July 1, 2003.
18. [REDACTED] accuses John T. Sullivan (deceased) of sexual abuse at St. Mary Academy in Amarillo, TX in 1961. The diocese received the report through her attorney in a letter dated July 1, 2003.
19. [REDACTED] accuses Bro. Henry, F.S.C. (deceased) of sexual abuse at Bishop Bradley High School in Manchester, NH in 1961. The diocese received the report through his attorney (Peter Hutchins) in a letter dated July 14, 2003.
20. [REDACTED] accuses Karl Dowd (deceased) of sexual abuse at St. Joseph Parish in Salem, NH from 1975 until 1978. The diocese received the report from his attorney (Peter Hutchins) in a letter dated July 16, 2003.
21. [REDACTED] accuses Romeo Valliere (removed) of sexual abuse at St. Mary in Claremont, NH in 1966 and Paul Aube (removed) of sexual abuse at St. Mary Parish in Claremont, NH in 1970 and 1971. The diocese received the report through her attorney (Peter Hutchins) in a letter dated July 22, 2003. *NB: the diocese received a previous report directly from [REDACTED] in which she was unable to identify the priest who may have abused her.*



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**DIOCESE OF MANCHESTER  
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**ALLEGATIONS OF SEXUAL ABUSE OF A MINOR  
REPORT SUMMARY ~ CIVIL AUTHORITIES**

[REDACTED]

<b>Complainant Name:</b> [REDACTED]	<b>(Maiden Name):</b>
<b>Address:</b> [REDACTED]	
<b>Telephone:</b>	
<b>DOB:</b> [REDACTED]	<b>E-mail:</b>

<b>Name of Reporter (if not Complainant):</b> Charles Douglas III	<b>Relationship:</b> Attorney
<b>Telephone:</b> 603-224-1988	<b>Address:</b> 6 Loudon Road Suite 502 Concord, NH 03301

**Name of Accused:** Rev. Gerard Beaudet (deceased 1982)

1. **Location (City/Town) of alleged abuse:** West Stewartstown  
**Place of alleged abuse:** St. Albert Parish  
**Date of alleged abuse:** Summer 1972  
**Nature of alleged abuse:** Oral sex  
**Age of Complainant at time of alleged abuse:** 14
  
2. **Location (City/Town) of alleged abuse:**  
**Place of alleged abuse:**  
**Date of alleged abuse:**  
**Nature of alleged abuse:**  
**Age of Complainant at time of alleged abuse:**

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**Complainant has been informed that the Diocese of Manchester will report this allegation to law enforcement (Attorney General/ DCYF if applicable/local law enforcement) Yes XX No ☐**

**Attorney Douglas is aware of the Diocese's requirement to make a report to the Attorney General.**

**Report to DCYF (if complainant under age of 18) 800-894-5533**

**Date of Contact:** / /200 **Time:** ;

**Name of DCYF Intake Rep:**

**Report to Ovide Lamontagne (603-695-8516) for report to AG/law enforcement:**

**Date of Contact:** 9/14/04 **Time:** 10:21 a.m.

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**Brodeur, Paul**

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**From:** Ovide M. Lamontagne [olamontagne@devinemillimet.com]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 14, 2004 5:19 PM  
**To:** Brodeur, Paul  
**Cc:** Arsenault, Rev. Edward; Quinlan, Diane; Donroe, Brenda; jnaiff@catholiccharitiesnh.org  
**Subject:** Fr. Beaudet 9-14-04 Report

Dear Paul:

Please find attached a new report from a victim who wishes to remain anonymous. The report was received by the Diocese through the victim's attorney, Chuck Douglas. The accused is Fr. Gerard Beaudet who has been deceased since 1982. A report against him was filed with your office in January, 2003 regarding another victim.

Please let me know if you have any questions. Please contact Attorney Douglas directly if you would like to obtain additional information regarding the victim.

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**Brodeur, Paul**

**Subject: RE: Report: [REDACTED] (Perpetrator(s) Unknown)**

I just spoke with Atty. Hutchins. He said we can disregard. He evidently attempted to substantiate some facts and was not able to. I did learn that the uncle, [REDACTED], supposedly was a custodian at the time. Noted and filed.

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Ovide M. Lamontagne [mailto:[olamontagne@devinemillimet.com](mailto:olamontagne@devinemillimet.com)]

**Sent:** Friday, September 24, 2004 2:09 PM

**To:** Brodeur, Paul

**Cc:** [jnaff@catholiccharitiesnh.org](mailto:jnaff@catholiccharitiesnh.org); Arsenault, Rev. Edward; Quinlan, Diane; Donroe, Brenda

**Subject:** Report: [REDACTED] (Perpetrator(s) Unknown)

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Ms. [REDACTED] alleges that sometime in the time frame of 1950-1952 two priests sexually abused her at the [REDACTED]. She alleges that her uncle, [REDACTED] (who we do not know whether he is still alive), would bring her to [REDACTED] at night and would watch while the priests (at least one of which wore a hood) would sexually abuse her. She said that she did not know who the priests were but thought that they were priests because they were wearing Roman collars.

Paul, I would suggest that you contact Peter Hutchins directly if you want more information. Given the age of the complaint and the uncertainty surrounding the identity of the accused(s), unless I hear from you otherwise, I will assume that you will simply file this report for future reference.

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[REDACTED]

<b>Complainant Name:</b> [REDACTED]	<b>(Maiden Name):</b>
<b>Address:</b>	
<b>Telephone:</b>	
<b>DOB: July 7, 1943</b>	<b>E-mail:</b>

<b>Name of Reporter (if not Complainant): Peter Hutchins</b>	<b>Relationship: Attorney</b>
<b>Telephone: 603-629-4566</b>	<b>Address:</b>

**Name of Accused: Unknown (Allegedly two priests)**  
**1. Location (City/Town) of alleged abuse: Manchester**  
**Place of alleged abuse:** [REDACTED]  
**Date of alleged abuse: 1950-52**  
**Nature of alleged abuse: Fondling, oral sex**  
**Age of Complainant at time of alleged abuse: 7-9**

**2. Location (City/Town) of alleged abuse:**  
**Place of alleged abuse:**  
**Date of alleged abuse:**  
**Nature of alleged abuse:**  
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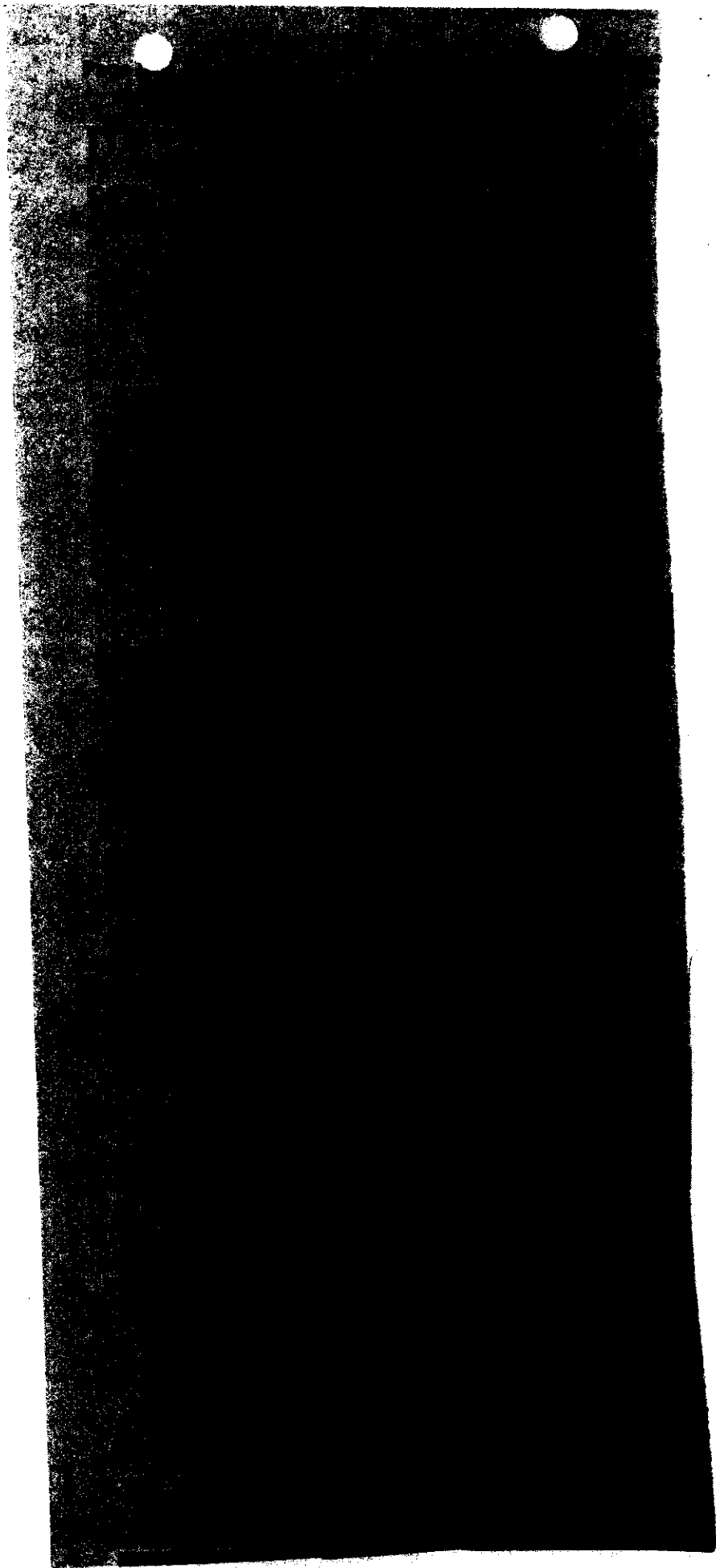
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**Brodeur, Paul**

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**From:** Delker, Will  
**Sent:** Wednesday, November 03, 2004 3:23 PM  
**To:** Brown, Simon; Delaney, Michael  
**Cc:** Brodeur, Paul; Bahan, Mike  
**Subject:** Press call on Bishop Dupre

Several weeks ago we received an investigative file from the DA in Springfield, Mass. The DA had indicted Bishop Dupre for child sexual assault that occurred down there. He had to nolle pross the charges b/c of St. of Lim. issues. During the course of their investigation they learned that the Bishop brought the victims to NH and engaged in sex with them here. The DA's investigation was very thorough and it was clear that the victims were over the age of 16 at the time. Based on this I recommended we close the file without further action.

I received a call from the Springfield Republican about whether we are going to charge Bishop Dupre. I informed him that we have reviewed the file and would not be proceeding with charges. I explained to him the law as it existed when the acts were alleged to have occurred. I also explained that the same conduct today would be a crime but we could not use today's statute to prosecute a case that occurred in the 1970s.

Will Delker  
Senior Assistant Attorney General  
Criminal Justice Bureau  
Homicide Unit  
(603) 271-3671



**Brodeur, Paul**

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**From:** Delker, Will  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 20, 2004 9:42 PM  
**To:** Brodeur, Paul; Huntress, Karen  
**Subject:** RE: Bishop Dupre of MA

I received the info. I reviewed it and concluded that the conduct was non-criminal b/c of the age of the victims and the laws at the time. I ran it by Simon and he agreed. I closed the matter pending further complaints or more information.

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Brodeur, Paul  
**Sent:** Wed 10/20/2004 2:31 PM  
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**Cc:**  
**Subject:** Bishop Dupre of MA

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**To:** Delaney, Michael  
**Cc:** Huntress, Karen  
**Subject:** Bishop Dupre

Deputy AG I have not heard back from Atty Lamontagne but I did get a call from Trooper Joe Ballou who is assigned to the Hampden County DA. As noted in the UL article he was directed by DA Bennett to get in touch with us and send the material regarding NH. Ballou advised there were so many acts that the boys are really unsure what dates or locations where the acts took place. He is forwarding the material for our review and action.

*10/20 Atty Gony Lumban will represent  
Bishop Dupre once material arrives*