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**Brodeur, Paul**

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**To:** wwrenn@hamptonpd.com  
**Subject:** FW: New Reports: [REDACTED]/Lamothe; [REDACTED]/MacRae

Hi Chief. I know have the pleasure of being the monitor for any future priest complaints. I recieved this one yesterday and advised Atty. Lamontagne to report the [REDACTED] issue to you in that the act is still within the 22 year statute of limitation. This is just an FYI and I expect Atty. Lamontagne will communicate with you further. Have a Great New Year.

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

**From:** Ovide Lamontagne [mailto:OLAMONTAGNE@devinemillimet.com]

**Sent:** Tuesday, December 30, 2003 11:23 AM

**To:** Brodeur, Paul

**Cc:** jnaiff@catholiccharitiesnh.org; dvicinanza@nixonpeabody.com; bdonroe@RCBM.org; DQuinlan@RCBM.org; EArsenault@RCBM.org

**Subject:** New Reports: [REDACTED]/Lamothe; [REDACTED]/MacRae

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**To:** Brodeur, Paul  
**Cc:** jnaфф@catholiccharitiesnh.org; Rosenberg, James; Delker, Will; bdonroe@rcbm.org; DQuinlan@rcbm.org  
**Subject:** RE: New Reports: [REDACTED]/Lamothe; [REDACTED] MacRae

Dear Paul,

I have spoken with Chief Wrenn of the Hampton Police Department about the [REDACTED]/MacRae report. I will be sending him an email forwarding the report form I sent you on December 30.

Please let me know if there is anything else you would like me to do on this matter.

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>>> "Brodeur, Paul" <paul.brodeur@doj.nh.gov> 12/30/03 02:57PM >>>  
 We have reviewed the two submissions. There is no questions that the Lamothe issue will be filed. On the other hand a review of the statute of limitations on the MacRae report seems to have an expiration in 2008. Definately refer to the Hampton NH Police Department. The Chief is William Wrenn 66 Ashworth Ave., Hampton, NH 03842 tel 603-929-4444. I will make the appropriate entires here and awaite the disposition.

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**Subject:** [REDACTED] MacRae Report

Dear Chief Wrenn,

Thank you for speaking with me today about this matter.

Please find attached a copy of the Report I submitted to Paul Brodeur of the NH Attorney General's Office last week regarding this matter. My sense is that Attorney Peter Hutchins would have the most current information about the complainant and the facts surrounding the alleged abuse.

Please let em know if I can be of further assistance to you. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

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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**

**Date of Contact:** 12/11/2003

**Complainant Name:** [REDACTED] (Maiden Name): [REDACTED]

**Address:** [REDACTED] NH 03446; [REDACTED]

**Telephone:** [REDACTED]

**DOB:** [REDACTED] **E-mail:** [REDACTED]

**Name of Reporter (if not Complainant):**

**Relationship:**

**Telephone:**

**Address:**

**Name of Accused:** Fr. Leo Allison (deceased)

1. **Location (City/Town) of alleged abuse:** Lebanon, NH; Bradford, VT

**Place of alleged abuse:** in a car; and at Camp Pius -- Enfield, NH

**Date of alleged abuse:** 1946 - 1949

**Nature of alleged abuse:** fondling

**Age of Complainant at time of alleged abuse:** 6 -9 y/o

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 X No ☐

**Specific Concerns:** *Concerns about confidentiality; prefers that his name not be revealed to the Attorney General's office*

**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:** 12/11/2003 **Time:** 4:30 pm

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**To:** Brodeur, Paul  
**Cc:** jnaff@catholiccharitiesnh.org; bdonroe@rcbm.org; Dquinlan@rcbm.org  
**Subject:** [REDACTED] "Allyson" Revised Report

Dear Paul,

On December 11, 2003, I forwarded the attached email to Will Delker which included a report we received about sexual abuse committed by a Fr. Ellison. We have recently learned that the priest's name was Father Leo Allyson and he died in 1989.

I have enclosed a revised report form which should be substituted for the prior form.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

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**From:** Ovide Lamontagne [OLAMONTAGNE@devinemillimet.com]  
**Sent:** Thursday, December 11, 2003 5:08 PM  
**To:** Delker, Will  
**Cc:** Brenda Donroe; Diane Quinlan  
**Subject:** [REDACTED] Ellison New Report of 1946-1949 Abuse

Dear Will,

Please find attached a "new" report involving a deceased clergyman. Please advise if you need additional information or if you want us to follow up with local law enforcement.

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**Telephone:** [REDACTED] **Address:** [REDACTED]

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Thanks Will. I'll send any further reports directly to him.

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>>> "Delker, Will" <will.delker@doj.nh.gov> 12/11/03 05:18PM >>>

Thank you for this report. For the time being Paul Brodeur is going to be the contact person on these reports. I will have him follow up with you if there is a need to contact local law enforcement.

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