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## MEMORANDUM

TO: Cardinal George

FROM: Fr. McBrady / Ne

RE: Fr. Norbert Maday

DATE: February 16, 2000

This is the appropriate time for you to speak with Bishop Wycisio regarding Norb since the paper work has now been filed with the governor's office.

These are the key points:

- Norb received a twenty year sentence for a first offense of touching a male minor's genitals over the clothing.
- Norb has served five years of his sentence.
- His attorney is requesting a commutation of sentence with the understanding that he
  would be returned to the Archdiocese of Chicago where he will live in a monitored
  setting with a strict protocol. He will not be permitted to function publicly as a priest,
  (In other words, we are not trying to get him off the hook).
- It is important for Bishop Wycislo to intercede with the governor in his own name and not merely convey our message. We feel this is important because, at the time of the media coverage regarding the prayer service for Mrs. Maday at the prison, the media's take on the story was that Chicago was attempting to influence the way things are done in Wisconsin.

I hope this is helpful. Please call me if you need any further clarification (642-1837).



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