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TO: The File of
FROM: Rev. Douglas L. Grams
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On Tuesday, April 15, 2003, Phyllis Willerscheidt, victim coordinator for the Archdiocese of St. Paul and Minneapolis, called to inform me that a woman has come forward and is alleging that Germain Kunz, now a laicized priest of the Diocese of New Ulm, abused her when she was a young girl.

The alleged victim is not pressing charges. At this point she simply wanted to know whether Germain Kunz was functioning as a priest. I assured Phyllis that Germain Kunz was indeed laicized on March 20, 1971 and is currently living in Ortonville, Minnesota as a retired attorney.

All the victim advocate was going to pass on to the alleged victim was that indeed Germain Kunz was no longer functioning as a priest in the Roman Catholic Church.

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