July 28, 1988

## MEMORANDUM:

To:

Dick Steinmetz

From:

Archbishop Thomas C. Kelly, O.P.

Re:

Dan Clark

Yesterday I asked Father Cusack about financial support for Father Clark's stay at the Passionist Monastery. He said their usual figure is \$500 a month for a long-term guest. We should begin to pay this.

Dan checked into the Monastery on June 21st, I believe, and payment should be retroactive.

Other benefits—salary, health insurance, etc. begin now to devolve to the Archdiocese.

Father Clark says that his lawyer — at least for the present — feels that delay will benefit everyone. Dan says that everyone he has talked to is opposed to a public trial. So there may be a protracted stay at the Passionists'. They have been very good to Dan, very supportive, and they are willing to have him stay indefinitely.

On Friday, July 29, there will be an informal hearing "to find out what they've [the prosecutors] got". I have asked for a report.