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Reverend John P. Quinn New Hampshire Catholic Charities, Inc. 215 Myrtle Street, P.O. Box 686 Manchester, New Hampshire 03105

Dear Father Quinn:

I write to you in response to the request that you have received that I remit to the proper authorities a report of my counseling relationship with the Reverend Gordon MacRae.

I have been seeing Father MacRae weekly for more than three years. During that time, we have dealt with the incident that was reported from the East coast of New Hampshire. I feel that we have delved into this incident so as to bring about helpful insights that Father MacRae can use. Also, Father MacRae has seen fit to continue his visits here since that time to deal with matters that are not related to this incident in any way.

As regard the query you made about the "spider game", it was never brought up in therapy. Also, when presented with this query, Father MacRae said he did not know what it could mean. Having dealt with Father MacRae for a long period of time I feel confident that he is telling the truth.

I also feel confident in the growth that Father MacRae has exhibited and I feel that this matter has been dealt with and resolved on his part. I feel strongly that harm may come by the resurrection of this incident at this time.

Father MacRae is aware of the re-emergence of this matter at this time. He has given me the proper release to communicate with you, or with any other appropriate person about the status of his progress at this time.

Sincerely,

Henry P. Guertin-Ouellette, Ph.D.

Director

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