To: Archbishop Mahony

From: Msgr. Thomas Curry

Re: Father Santiago Tamayo

Attached is some correspondence from Father Tamayo in response to the standard annual letter I send to all the priests who are outside the Archdiocese. (Father Tamayo was the pastor of SS. Peter and Paul, Wilmington, and was the only one of the seven Filipino priests involved in the $^{\sf REDACTED}$ case who is incardinated.)

Sister Judy advises that he never return to the Archdiocese and I agree. He mentions being rehabilitated, but I never understood that any of the priests involved asserted that the charges were false. He is still personally liable for damages.

In checking with Frank Wallace, however, he does feel that according to Canon 1350, we are liable for some support. He even feels that there could be a claim for back pay. His advice is that we offer some help for a limited time while Father Tamayo is adjusting to life elsewhere and that we couch our offer in the language of the Canon. I think this is a wise approach.

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