Confidential Memorandum

To: the file of Rev Paul Shanley/16/17

From: Rev. William F. Murphy

Date: November 23, 1998
Re: anonymous call

I received an anonymous telephone call today from a man who sought justification for Paul Shanley having been at Leo House in New York. I told him that the situation was assessed as safe, that's why.

It was a long conversation. The man verbally attacked the Cardinal, the Archdiocese of New York, the people at Leo House and others, suggesting there was no real concern for children Shanley might abuse. He said Shanley has been sent out to the west coast.