REPORT

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FROM:

Vincent Carraher

DATE:

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RE:

Interview of Yancy Bolton

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INTERVIEW OF YANCY BOLTON (YB) with Vincent Carraher Taken on July 27, 1998

Mr. Bolton has known Mr. Ralph Chevous Duke for approximately 20 years. They are in the same age category and even though Mr. Bolton resides in the State of Texas, over the years they have socialized. Mr. Bolton originally met Mr. Ralph Chevous Duke, also known as Plukey Duke in St. Paul, Minnesota.

Mr. Bolton states that Mr. Ralph Chevous Duke used to stay at the Grand Hotel in Houston Texas, beginning sometime in the year of 1984. When Mr. Duke would come to Texas, the Grand Hotel would be the normal place Mr. Duke would stay. Mr. Bolton states that he has gambled with Mr. Duke, but Mr. Duke has never requested Mr. Bolton to engage in any illegal activity, specifically dealing or transporting drugs or other contraband.

Mr. Yancy Bolton states that he has met an individual by the names of Marvin Mccaleb, who he believes to be from the State of California. Mr. Bolton states that he was not a personal friend of Mr. Marvin Mccaleb; that he did not socialize with this individual; that he did not do any business with Mr. Marvin Mccaleb; that Mr. Marvin Mccaleb has gambled in a setting where Mr. Bolton was present, but Mr. Mccaleb is only a person that Mr. Yancy Bolton has met. Mr. Yancy Bolton states that as he recalls, he was introduced to Mr. Marvin Mccaleb in Houston, Texas by Mr. Ralph Chevous Duke.

Mr. Yancy Bolton states that on no occasion, did he transport drugs with Mr. Ralph Duke to the state of Missouri, specifically the city of St. Louis, Missouri. Mr. Yancy Bolton states that if such an allegation was made, that he and Mr. Ralph Duke transported drugs to St. Louis, Missouri, it is emphatically a false allegation. Mr. Bolton states that furthermore, he has never

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