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United States Senate

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510

April 28, 1993

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Mr. John E. Collingwood
Inspector in Charge of
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Federal Bureau of Investigation
J. Edgar Hoover Bldg., Rm. 7240
Washington, D.C. 20535

~~Anti~~ ANTI Defamation
League

Dear Mr. Collingwood:

I would appreciate having your input on the enclosed corres-
pondences I received from Indiana constituents. I would like to
be as responsive as possible to the concerns expressed and would
find helpful any information which you may have.

Please direct your response to of my Washington
Staff. In advance, thank you for your help.

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Sincerely

Dan Coats
U. S. Senator

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Enclosure

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Plainfield, IN 46168

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April 10, 1993

Senator Dan Coats
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510-1403

Dear Senator Coats:

There is a very serious violation of the civil rights of perhaps tens of thousands of American that demands an immediate, in-depth Congressional investigation.

The San Francisco Examiner has reported that the FBI and the San Francisco Police Department (SFPD) are conducting a criminal investigation of illegal surveillance of American citizens by the Anti-Defamation League (ADL) of B'nai B'rith, in collaboration with the ADL's contacts in police departments around the country.

As a result of this investigation it was discovered that the ADL had in its possession illegally acquired files taken from more than twenty police departments in the state of California alone. Further, this investigation has revealed that the ADL is conducting this operation a national basis.

These are the kind of activities that are both illegal and not in the best interest of the citizens (not the government, but citizens) of the United States. It is your responsibility and obligation to demand and participate in a national Congressional inquiry into this matter.

Please advise me as to what immediate action you will take to end this massive violation of American civil liberties.

Respectfully,

[Redacted Signature]

DAN COATS
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May 5, 1993

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ANTI DEFAMATION LEAGUE

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Please direct your response to [redacted] of my Washington staff. In advance, thank you for your help.

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Dan Coats
U. S. Senator

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April 10, 1993

Honorable Dan Coats
407 Russell Senate Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Senator Coats,

I am writing in regard to the enclosed reprint from the San Francisco Examiner.

The ADL is an unregistered agent of a foreign government operating in the United States. This is a well known, documented fact that seems to go unnoticed or ignored by many of our government officials and especially the news media. The uncovering of the spy ring in San Francisco has not been given the media coverage that something of this nature should have been given.

The spying on thousands of American Citizens is a violation of their civil rights and something of this magnitude calls for a full scale investigation in the congress and senate and I urge you and your colleagues to look into this matter. I would appreciate hearing from you on this matter.

Thank You Sincerely

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C. would like the Senators to call for a congressional investigation into the Anti-Defamation League. C. contends that the group is improperly accessing police files and violating his and other constituents' right to privacy.

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The fact that the San Francisco investigation has already revealed that the ADL is conducting this operation on a national basis demands that a national Congressional inquiry be undertaken to get to the bottom of this scandal.

I am urging you to call for a full-dress Congressional inquiry into this scandal.

Please advise me as to what immediate action you will take to end this massive violation of American civil liberties.

Sincerely,

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Honorable Dan Coats
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Senator Coats:

I am writing in further response to your April 28th and May 5th communications on behalf of your constituents. They expressed concern over allegations of an illegal surveillance of American citizens by the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith using information provided by its contacts in law enforcement agencies.

Based on the considerable press coverage this issue has received, the concerns expressed by your constituents are certainly understandable. While the FBI, as a matter of policy, will not disclose information which could compromise a pending investigation, you may assure your constituents that all aspects of this case are being explored. The San Francisco Police Department has been most cooperative in this investigation. With its assistance, the FBI will actively seek prosecution of any individuals discovered to be involved in illegal activity or any enterprise which involves a violation of Federal statutes.

Thank you for providing the FBI an opportunity to address your constituents' concerns.

Sincerely yours,

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Charles E. Mandigo
Legislative Counsel
Office of Public and Congressional Affairs

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- 1 - Mr. Gilbert (Room 5222)
- 1 - Ms. [redacted] (Room 4133)
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United States Senate

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510

April 30, 1993

Department of Justice
Office of Congressional Liaison
Constitution Avenue & 10th Street, NW
Washington, D.C. 20530

O Encl. - 1

Dear Sir/Madam:

Because of the desire of this office to be responsive to all inquiries and communications, your consideration of the attached is requested.

Your findings and views, in duplicate form, along with the return of the enclosure, will be greatly appreciated. Please direct your reply to the attention of of my Washington office.

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Thank you for your thoughtful attention.

Sincerely,

Richard G. Lugar
United States Senator

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April 8, 1993

Honorable Richard Lugar
U.S. Senate
Washington D.C. 20510

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Ref: Congress must investigate the ADL Spy Scandal

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Sincerely,

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June 2, 1993

Honorable Richard G. Lugar
United States Senator
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Senator Lugar:

I am writing in further response to your April 30th communication to the Department of Justice on behalf of [redacted]. Your constituent expressed concern over allegations of an illegal surveillance of American citizens by the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith using information provided by its contacts in law enforcement agencies.

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Sincerely yours,

Charles E. Mandigo
Legislative Counsel
Office of Public and
Congressional Affairs

Enclosures (2)

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Honorable Richard G. Lugar

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May 5, 1993

TO: John E. Collingwood
Inspector-in-Charge
Congressional Affairs
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D.C. 20535

RE: Enclosed.

This office desires to be quickly and thoroughly responsive to all inquiries and communications. Your consideration and report regarding the attached is respectfully requested in duplicate along with the return of the enclosed, and will be appreciated.

Please address envelope only to the attention of:

Office of Senator Wendell Ford
173A Russell Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510

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Sincerely,

Wendell Ford

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Interim response dated 5-12-93 CAO

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Hon. Wendell H. Ford
U. S. Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

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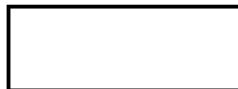
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U. S. Senate
Washington, D. C. 20515

April 9, 1993

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I am urging you to call for a full-dress Congressional inquiry into this scandal.

Please advise me as to what immediate action you will take to end this massive violation of American civil liberties.

Sincerely,



Danville, Ky. 40422

June 2, 1993

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Honorable Wendell Ford
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510-1701

Dear Senator Ford:

I am writing in further response to your May 5th communication on behalf of your constituents. They expressed concern over allegations of an illegal surveillance of American citizens by the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith using information provided by its contacts in law enforcement agencies.

Based on the considerable press coverage this issue has received, the concerns expressed by your constituents are certainly understandable. While the FBI, as a matter of policy, will not disclose information which could compromise a pending investigation, you may assure your constituents that all aspects of this case are being explored. The San Francisco Police Department has been most cooperative in this investigation. With its assistance, the FBI will actively seek prosecution of any individuals discovered to be involved in illegal activity or any enterprise which involves a violation of Federal statutes.

Thank you for providing the FBI an opportunity to address your constituents' concerns.

Sincerely yours,

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Charles E. Mandigo
Legislative Counsel
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J. ROBERT KERREY
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United States Senate

WASHINGTON, DC 20510-2704

May 3, 1993

Federal Bureau of Investigation
Inspector in Charge
U.S. Department of Justice
9th and Pennsylvania Ave, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20535

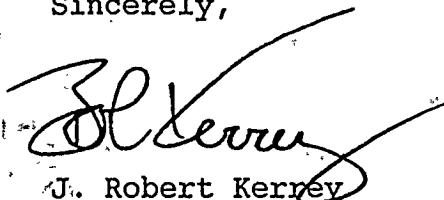
Dear Inspector in Charge:

I am contacting you on behalf of a number of Nebraskan constituents who are concerned about an incident in San Francisco involving the seizure of police files acquired by the Anti-Defamation League (ADL). I have enclosed a copy of one of these constituent's letters.

Any information you may have that would enable me to respond to my constituents' inquiries would be most appreciated.

Thank you for your time and attention to this matter.

Sincerely,


J. Robert Kerrey

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Senator Robert Kerry
Senate Office Bldg.
Washington, D.C.

Dear Senator Kerry:

There is a very serious violation of the civil rights of perhaps tens of thousands of Americans that demands an immediate, in-depth congressional investigation.

The San Francisco Examiner has reported that the FBI and the San Francisco Police Department (SFPD) are conducting a criminal investigation of illegal surveillance of American citizens by the Anti-Defamation League (ADL) of B'nai B'rith, in collaboration with the ADL's contacts in police departments around the country. (See the Examiner article reproduced on the reverse side of this letter.)

The FBI and the SFPD raided the ADL's offices in Los Angeles and San Francisco and discovered that the ADL had in its possession illegally acquired files taken from more than twenty police departments in the state of California alone.

The evidence indicates that the ADL's illegal penetration of police departments is taking place on a national level:

There are names of some 12,000 Americans in the ADL files that are now in the custody of the SFPD alone. How many hundred thousand names are in ADL files around this country?

This sounds like the kind of thing that happens in a totalitarian police state.

The fact that the San Francisco investigation has already revealed that the ADL is conducting this operation on a national basis demands that a national Congressional inquiry be undertaken to get to the bottom of this scandal.

I am urging you to call for a full-dress Congressional inquiry into this scandal.

Please advise me as to what immediate action you will take to end this massive violation of American civil liberties.

Sincerely,

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Honorable J. Robert Kerrey
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510-2704

Dear Senator Kerrey:

I am writing in further response to your May 3rd communication on behalf of your constituents. They expressed concern over allegations of an illegal surveillance of American citizens by the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith using information provided by its contacts in law enforcement agencies.

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April 30, 1993

The attached inquiries from:

Arizona Constituents

Anti-Defamation League

are respectfully referred to:

Ms. Faith Burton
Acting Assistant Attorney General
Office of Legislative Affairs
Room 1603
U.S. Department of Justice
Washington, D.C. 20530

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Your comments regarding this matter will be most appreciated.

Sincerely,

Dennis DeConcini

DENNIS DeCONCINI
United States Senator

Please reply to:

The Honorable Dennis DeConcini
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510
Attn: Cecilia Swensen

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