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Leonard Mitchell Supervisory Special Agent Internal Revenue Service 3101 Constitution Drive Springfield, Illinois 62704

Dear SSA Mitchell:

I write to convey to you my sincere appreciation for your recent support of our Criminal Conspiracy Class which was held in Champaign, Illinois on February 7 - 9, 2007. The class consisted of forty-five federal, state, and local law enforcement personnel from throughout Illinois.

I also want to commend Special Agent Brian Berntson for his professional presentation made to the class on "Money Laundering" and financial crime investigations. The presentation was well presented and received many favorable comments from the class. Members of the class advised they had a better grasp of the concepts of money laundering and would be better prepared to conduct financial investigations due to the presentation by Special Agent Berntson.

Thank you again for your support and for the level of dedication displayed by your assigned personnel.

Please feel free to call if you have any questions or need more information.

Very truly yours,

Rodger A. Heaton United States Attorney