



U.S. Department of Justice

Criminal Division

Washington, D.C. 20530

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Mr. Tony Bamonte
1308 E. 29th Avenue
Spokane, WA 99203

Dear Mr. Bamonte:

This responds to your letter to the Attorney General dated March 31, 2010, in which you allege that the Washington State Attorney, Spokane city officials, land developers, and an attorney with the Department of Justice committed obstruction of justice and other federal crimes. We regret the delay in responding to your letter.

If you have information suggesting that federal crimes were committed, you should submit this information to the local office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI). The FBI is the investigative arm of the Department of Justice and will determine whether a federal investigation may be warranted. If appropriate, the FBI will refer the matter to a United States Attorney for a final determination regarding legal action.

In addition, if you have information suggesting misconduct by a Department attorney, you should provide that information to the Department's Office of Professional Responsibility (OPR), located at 950 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Suite 3266, Washington, DC 20530, telephone number (202) 514-3365, or Office of Inspector General (OIG), located at 950 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Suite 4322, Washington, DC 20530, telephone number (202) 514-3435. The OPR and OIG are independent offices that are responsible for reviewing allegations of misconduct by Department personnel.

Thank you for writing to the Department of Justice. We are returning your materials for your possible future use.

Sincerely,

Correspondence Management Staff
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Enclosures