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Dear Helen Hartmann:

Enclosed is a copy of a letter I got from Sylvia Meagher yesterday, along with a copy of my reply.

Whenever convenient to you, I would like to meet with you in the presence of my attorney, Arnold Levine, and discuss this matter at length. Meanwhile, and until we decide what Mr. Horsey is up to and what to do about it, I'd also appreciate it if you would not confront him with any statements of our suspicions concerning him. It may be very wise to give him a little more rope and see what he does with it.

Both my home phone number and my work number are enclosed. I'm nearly always at one or the other. If you get any more malicious calls you may, if you wish, call me at once to ascertain my whereabouts and possibly have the phone company check to see if the origin of the calls was my area. I further urge you to contact both the police and the phone company regarding the subject of these calls, as I understand they now have very good equipment for running down anonymous callers.

I am free in the mornings and on Mondays. My attorney is free on Saturdays and after 5pm. So an ideal time would be towards noon on a Saturday morning or shortly after five on a Monday evening, but if both of these are inconvenient I'm sure we can make special arrangements to see you at a better time from your standpoint.

I would like to keep discussion of the details of my case over the phone at a minimum (particularly over the home phone), but do not mind discussing public aspects of the "probab^{le}" over same. My home number is 834-0933 and my work number (and ~~PLEASE~~ please keep my place of work confidential, as my boss is sensitive to adverse publicity for the club) is 839-7870. Both numbers are in Tampa. Or you can contact me by mail at 2803 Marlin Avenue, Tampa 33611.

Once again, I urge you to contact the police regarding the anonymous calls, and I would strongly recommend that you arrange to make tapes of any future ones. If possible, I would like to hear these.

Sincerely,

Kerry Thornley