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Mr. Waybright:

Last night at 11 PM you called me and made a non-specific murder threat, which I interpreted as possibly being against me if you so choose to interpret things your way. So lets get a few things straight. The other day I told you that I would pay you \$1000 up front to get a certain person permanently and legally off my back. That offer still stands. I also told you that this matter will be going to Internal Affairs if I do not get some answers quick: Who sent the mug shot to him? I mean what I say. There are no accusations from me, and IA is capable of finding out who did it. The only accusation here is from him.

Lets get a lot out on the table here. When you first came to my door in 1989, I reported it to one of our family lawyers in New York. From that moment on everything you did was reported to Eugene Scheiman, esq., and others. In the past I was caused the most serious trouble in my life, and I can guarantee you that everyone who did it has paid for it legally. I tolerated you to find out where the thing was going, and that included the money you took from me. Other police here called it extortion and a police protection racket. For what it is worth, I protected you. You returned little of real value for the thousands of dollars you took from me.

You were in fact making a lot of problems for me. On your own tape of Ruth Paine, you set me up for possible destruction. You did report various derogatory things to RG, Lifton and others. You have gone to great trouble to scare me off of Mark, who has been totally loyal to me and a great help. You tried this repeatedly again in the past week. I can tell you that it was you who told me to get the MDW file from Harold, and of course it was missing, and that Harold told all of us that you were the last person to have access to it. So are you going to threaten or kill the old man? Mark didn't tell him *anything* about that.

You must know my phone is tapped, eh? You heard it last Monday week. You don't want to talk to me over the phone. We want to know how G knows so much about where I go and what I do. He's right there wherever I go.

Things that go around come around. I have found that many of the big name people in this research, so called, are the same as criminals. Maybe that is the way you see them and I'm glad I started looking at things the way you do. I don't think I am one of them, and

am paying a heavy price for coming out against fraud and misrepresentation. Mark is totally opposed to it too, in this research. But I was just a target to you when we met. You and your "Red Squad." Anything and everything that happens to me is closely watched by a lot of people.

I can tell you that you will pay a terrible (and legal) price if you do not reveal how Groden got that material. You told me last week that you knew how he got it but could not tell me over the phone. I then met with you and you refused to tell me. You will tell me, and you will not slide back on police power and threats of what you will do to me. Because you better believe I have power too. You can take a look at this month's *Town and Country* magazine and see that my cousin is one of the five billionaire's featured. I am the only one of my family not mentioned in there, though I am on an equal footing for certain reasons I can't explain here. Look at *Fortune* or *Forbes*. Did you think you could go on playing your game with me forever? Doesn't it occur to you that when you set people up, it comes back to you?

I told you that if you provided Groden with it, that maybe I could live with it, but you will get the whole thing straightened out big time. You will have to face up to things and start being totally honest. You've got serious problems, as Sherry and some others thought. People came to me and made excuses for you. You need to face up to the fact that you are two people. I was more of a friend to you than you realized. What did I ever do to you to become a target? You just started fucking with me because of what you thought about me before we met, and it never occurred to you that I have gone through a lot of set-ups in this life because there are a lot of predatory people out there and a lot of poker machines and drugs in Fells Point and a lot else. I try to do what is right by people and sometimes it flies back in my face.

*I want answers and I want them now.* The Groden business is very serious and it can be very serious for you. I know very well how you can abuse your power to try to scare me off, and you can bet that a lot of people are watching.

I tried to help you, Rick, and you betrayed me from the git-go.

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