Jan. 27, 1969.

Jim Garrison, Dist. Attny., Criminal Courts Building, New Orleans, La.

Dear Jim,

I spent yesterday in continuous session with Vince Salandria, Harold Weisberg, and Thomas Katen, going over the pros and cons of proceeding with the action in the Court of General Sessions here in the District of Columbia. It was a most helpful meeting, which was supplemented by a long phone call with Dr. Wheht. This morning I conferred again whith Vince, who made a very pertinent addition to the draft pleadings.

The upshot of all of this is that we are unanimously in favor of going ahead. We have gone over the enclosed draft brief and will make refine it further. Needless to say all changes from New Orleans will be incorporated in the final pleading. However it is suggested that someone on your staff phone in any changes, as the brief is due on Friday, January 21 st at the latest.

> wish With every best with, as always,

Bud Fensterwald

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