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Re: MUR 4919  
Adrian Plesha

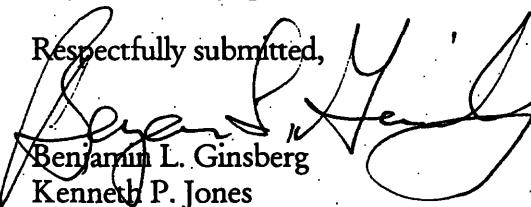
Dear Mr. McDonnell:

This letter requests an extension of time on behalf of our client, Adrian Plesha, to respond to the General Counsel's Office probable cause recommendation in the above referenced matter.

The General Counsel's brief was received on September 6, 2001 and the response is currently due on September 21, 2001. We request a twenty-day extension of time, or until October 11, 2001, to respond to the General Counsel's brief. This extension of time is necessary to allow us to review the findings and materials and prepare an appropriate response.

Please do not hesitate to call us if you have any questions.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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