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Fr McCormack,

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MINISTERIAL PERSONNEL

I recently received a letter from Fr. Johnson (Copy enclosed). He refers to my allegations.

I do not wish him to contact me directly - if at all. This is on the advice of my lawyer.

I have confided in two people my doctor and my lawyer.

My doctor is treating me for diverticulitis again, now, the 2nd time in 30 days. Both attacks have been brought on by stress. He agrees with me on my course of action to sue if the Diocese doesn't settle out of court. The priests are the responsibility of the Diocese.

My lawyer recommends filing as soon as possible. Too many of these papers are being swept under the rug. He says I have an excellent case, and, also, so does my wife. He recommends a separate suit from her.

I am holding out for an out of court settlement. The damage this case will do you, - you have no idea. If we go to court I may reveal the 63 homosexual priests that I know of. They range from monks + brothers, priests and even bishops.

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As I stated in earlier correspondence, I expect financial recompense. I have suggested \$10,000 a year for the 40 years that I have been burdened with this. But as you may notice this is written on paper not stone. I will listen to any offers you may make.

This is June 30<sup>th</sup> - I expect this to be settled by July 30<sup>th</sup> - That gives you 30 days to decide if you wish to settle with me quietly, or go the full route, through the court system.

I understand two or three diocese's in the mid-west or west have gone bankrupt, because of court settlements, in similar cases.

You have the insurance and pay dearly for the premium - shouldn't you use the least expensive and less damaging way?

My lawyer will be back from vacation the first week of August, if this is not settled to my satisfaction I will contact you no more. You'll have to deal with the lawyers, and that's going to cost.

Because of the circumstances at the start of this situation, and the refusal of anyone in the Church to accept the responsibility for it, or, to try to correct it, not to mention the stigma that will go along with it - I will sue for millions

The Church will have cause to remember  
my name and wish they had handled  
the case quietly.

Pray, (if it goes to court) that no one  
asks if I know of any homosexual  
priests - for I can think of 63 off hand  
I believe the latest statistics are  
60 to 75 % of priests are practicing  
homosexuals.

Don't make the mistake Fr Johnson did  
in thinking I wouldn't contact the  
Bishop or Cardinal.

I will sue and will not be afraid  
to speak to any one or group about  
the problem of practicing homosexual  
priests.

Remember:

You must contact me before July 30<sup>th</sup>.