

MEMORANDUM

TO: File – GORDON JAMES MACRAE
FROM: Brenda M. Bloniger, Sergeant *bmb/SB*
RE: DIOCESE OF MANCHESTER
DATE: October 21, 2002

On Monday, October 21, 2002 I called and spoke with

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who was the County Attorney in January 1984 for Cheshire County. A letter was generated by Attorney O'Brien regarding a report that he had received from the Attorney General's Office concerning MACRAE. Attorney O'BRIEN told me that he does not remember anything about a priest named MACRAE. He told me that his predecessor destroyed all of the files in the office, therefore he (O'BRIEN) has nothing to be able to refer back to, in order to refresh his memory. He told me that he had dealt with a number of priest cases and did not specifically remember any names of victims or priests. I asked him about a specific case that occurred in Hampton, NH with a victim by the name of [REDACTED] and he said that it does not jog his memory at all and he does not remember it. I asked him if he had ever spoke with officials from the Diocese and he said that he could not really remember.