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Subject  
Investigation of Jury Panel in United States  
v. Laurence J. Layton, CR-80-416-RFP

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To  
Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation

From *D. Jensen*  
D. Lowell Jensen  
Assistant Attorney General  
Criminal Division  
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

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The United States Attorney has requested that the FBI conduct the following investigation of prospective jurors in the case:

- (1) examine any criminal records, including arrest records, at FBI headquarters and the San Francisco field office;
- (2) contact San Francisco area District Attorneys' offices, for prior jury service information; and
- (3) contact San Francisco area police agencies for indices checks.

I concur in the request by the United States Attorney, and hereby authorize the requested investigation. A list of the prospective jurors will be furnished to you as soon as it is available.

Your assistance in this matter is appreciated. Any questions can be directed to [redacted] of this Division (724-5840).

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