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Mr. Aaron Epstein
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202-383-6026

RE: MEDIA-UNREPORTED IMPEACHMENT STORIES

Dear Mr. Epstein:

Enclosed, as discussed, are CJA's two press releases about two separate, yet interrelated impeachment stories -- EACH MEDIA-UNREPORTED:

- (1) CJA's November 6, 1998 impeachment complaint against Chief Justice Rehnquist, based on his *official* misconduct, as head of the Supreme Court and of the Judicial Conference, filed with the House Judiciary Committee more than two months ago; and
- (2) the House Judiciary Committee's pattern and practice in handling the HUNDREDS of impeachment complaints it receives against federal judges.

At your request, I will NOT fax the 4-page impeachment complaint, but will mail it to you under a coverletter annotating the pertinent pages from the Supreme Court record that will facilitate your determination that the complaint sets forth grounds for the Chief Justice's impeachment "under the most stringent definition of impeachable offenses".

Yours for a quality judiciary,



ELENA RUTH SASSOWER, Coordinator
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Enclosures