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San Salvador, December 13, 2012

The Honorable Douglas P. Woodlock United States District Court District of Massachussetts John Joseph Moakley United States Courthouse One Courthouse Way, Room 4110 Boston, MA 02210-3002

Dear Sir:

I, the undersigned, hereby state that I personally know Col. Inocente Orlando Montano, whom I am aware has immigration charges at your Honorable Court.

I have known Mr. Montano since 1989. When I was elected President of the Republic of El Salvador that year, and knowing Mr. Montano's background I asked him to join my cabinet as Vice Minister of Public Security, position that was satisfactorily performed during his time in office, demonstrating to be a responsible, and a professional and well-trained officer.

If you need any other information on Mr. Montano, please do not hesitate to contact me at my office in El Salvador. You may contact me at (503) 2250-6311.

Sincerely yours,

-ALFREDO F. CRISTIANI