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December 19, 2009

Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Security Division  
Initial Clearance Section  
Attn: Section Chief Mark A. Gant  
935 Pennsylvania Ave. NW  
Washington, D.C. 20535

Re: Special Agent Applicant File #67B-HQ-[REDACTED]  
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Subject: Section Chief's Letter dated 12/10/2009

Dear Section Chief Gant,

Applicant thanks the Section Chief for his letter dated 12/10/2009 stating that Applicant has exhausted his administrative remedies as to his non-selection for the Special Agent position. Applicant had sent a letter dated 11/24/2009 to the Division Chief along with a CD-ROM containing key documents, but this unsolicited submission outside the chain of command was an effort to find out how to appeal the 6/30/2009 suitability determination—it was not the appeal.

Applicant advises that on a September 2009 SACU correspondence tracking sheet produced to Applicant on 10/26/2009, Acting Unit Chief Montchell Brice directed that Applicant was to be informed how to appeal. It therefore appears to Applicant that an administrative appeal process exists, but Applicant has yet to receive notice of it or a reply from the Acting Unit Chief or his personnel. Based on the ICS Section Chief's letter, it appears that the SACU Acting Unit Chief is the correct recipient for the appeal, and unless otherwise directed Applicant will appeal to the Acting Unit Chief.

This will confirm that Applicant has not yet pursued any administrative remedies regarding the 6/30/2009 suitability determination.

Sincerely,

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cc: Acting Unit Chief Montchell Brice  
SACU

cc: Applicant Coordinator  
FBI San Francisco