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Met with [redacted] at Immaculate Conception Church, Elkton

Arrived on time. thin fellow - glasses - black hair - mid-forties -
He and eight other victims were told by a Monignor
in Louisiana that G.S. would be sent to a home for
priests - then retired - he would no longer function as
a priest. Last year his cousin found him - he is
a trucker who stopped in Maryland and saw his name
on a parish bulletin - contacted him and was given
a check for [redacted] through a lawyer in Elkton. The
cousin showed a copy of the check to [redacted] at a get-
together (family) in Louisiana.

[redacted] could not believe it - came to Elkton to check it
out - talked to Fr. Mike and found that it was all
true. G.S. is practicing as a priest and in a parish
with a school. This is incredible!

ALTAR BOY
GS FRIEND OF
FAMILY

He then related his story - (took place early '60's)
years of abuse - even with a girl whom [redacted] would
pick-up and bring to G.S. - rumor was that G.S.
got another one pregnant. (cried during this description)
[redacted] feels there could be hundreds of victims.
Due to his experience [redacted] claimed he has spent
loads of money on counselling.

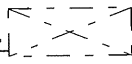
He claims he has no intention of going public with this - he wants two things:

① that this priest never functions again

② some compensation - "pushed" on this he wants a house and a truck - "pushed"

further: house  - truck 

Asked if he would want to confront GS face to face, he said "no" - is concerned what he would do to him - would meet with the Bishop - if he wanted to - satisfied to work with me.

I asked if he could secure a copy of the check - thought he could - it was from an account in Ohio. If he were not guilty - why would he give  to his cousins who bragged about being able to buy his wife a car with it.

He reiterated his desired - no deals, no treatment, no promises - he wants his out and away from children.

Talked to Dan McEllynn after interview: would be catastrophic if went public due to GS's bringing so many into the Church, his visibility at Elkton and the pro & anti GS people - possible division.