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Dear DHS Officer for Civil Rights and Civil Liberties Ms Schlanger:

I am writing to you in regard to my supposed or alleged “victimization” by **a series of allegedly faulty and false alerts**, originating I believe from your Department of Homeland Security, to the populations and public personnel about me in the year of 2007 and 2008, here in Los Angeles and oversea in Taiwan, Germany, and Belgium,

This alert about me seems to have started in the beginning of 2007 in my hometown of Los Angeles. It seems to have warned the population that I was a schizophrenic who had imagined up a scenario that I was investigated by the FBI, sought for by the CIA, and suffering vengeance by the DHS. The alert seems to have portrayed me in a particularly ridiculous light as to make me a laughing stock among the employees and residents of West Los Angeles and students of Universities in the area, like the students of UCLA and USC. It seems to have originated from an intentional false report from my then therapist Dr Deborah Wiss. I'm using very vague language here because the alert must have been accompanied by a special instruction to all those alerted to keep the whole content and the fact of the alert a secret from me. The effect was to make me a dummy among the people I saw each day without being able to answer for myself what I considered to be the false content of the alert.

By August 2007 your Department seems to have started an investigation of me as a schizophrenic prone to having delusion about politicians such as the DHS' then Secretary himself. The investigation – I am not sure whether it was run by the Secret Service or directly from your Department, but since technically speaking the Secret Service is under your Department's supervision anyway, I'll just write to you about it – caused me a lot of social problems at the time. It seems to have recruited as an informant against me a member of the social group I was frequenting at the time, a Rolf Mauermann, who then eventually recruited every single person in the social group, causing me isolation from them. The recruitment seems to have been accompanied by new elements added to the warning to them about me, not just the same old story about my having imagined up my struggle with FBI, CIA, and your Department, but also the new story that I was additionally an adherent of Nazism and that my “anti-Semitism” was responsible for my alleged “delusion” concerning the then Secretary of your Department. Again, all this I maintain to be false, and I use vague language because no one in the group would tell me which authority had told them what. I can only guess at the content of the warning – of the story that was being made up about me – by observing the purpose of the sting operations which the named social group's members were recruited to run on me.

Around October 2007 your Department seems also to have warned the Chinese consulate in Los Angeles and maybe even the diplomatic services of other countries with the same story about my being a schizophrenic and a Nazi adherent. When I went back to my home country Taiwan your Department

seems to have connected up with the corresponding Taiwanese authority to broadcast to a wide segment of the population in Taipei saying that I was a Nazi schizophrenic with delusion about the FBI, CIA, and the DHS etc. The alert was so devastating to me because everyone in town either avoided me like pestilence or regarded me as a laughing stock, all the while my maternal cousin with whom I was staying was also recruited as an informant against me. The personnel of the Cathay Airline with which I flew seem also to have similarly **been** alerted, and, as always, all the people were instructed to keep the alert an absolute secret from me, thus preventing me from being able to answer for myself whether what people were warned about me was true or false.

Then, around late January 2008, when I flew from China to Germany and rode the train from Germany to Belgium, your Department seems to have obtained the cooperation of Swiss, German, and Belgian authorities to spread out a new false alert there to the population and airline personnel etc., saying I was not only sick and schizophrenic but something else this time. I could never ascertain what the content of the alert was because, as always, everyone was instructed to keep it a secret from me. I suppose, reflecting on the extremely harsh negative reaction the local people had shown toward me upon seeing me, that the alert probably said additionally something like I was a secret agent of China, and a twin brother (David Chin) of myself (Lawrence Chin) pretending to be myself a terrorist suspect in order to get United States fraudulently sued by China in the International Court of Justice. While keeping the earlier element of an adherent to Nazism, the alert this time said also that I was a pedophile. This alert your Department seems to have broadcast to the population of Frankfurt and Brussels through the intermediary of the Interpol. Again, I was neither schizophrenic, nor a Nazi, nor a pedophile, nor a secret agent of China, nor do I even have a twin brother.

Dear Ms Schlanger, I'm writing to you because I'd really need to get information about the exact governmental organs responsible for alerting people around me like this and the exact content of the alert. If you check my records with the police departments, you will see that, in the whole, almost three decades during which I have lived in the United States, I have never had any criminal records. By 2010 I have only been "arrested" by the police one time for having a warrant out for my arrest because I didn't bother to pay for the tickets I got for riding the city metro without ticket and eating on the metro train. Not even hard core real criminals have been alerted about like I have been, and yet I have never in my life posed any real harm to anyone. As I read your profile, Dear Officer Ms Schlanger, on your Department's webpage and saw how you have fought for prisoners' rights to not be abused, would you seriously consider whether I should have rights to answer for myself whether all the strange things said about me to the people of the world by your Department could possibly be true: how could an American of Taiwanese descent be a Nazi, and then a schizophrenic and pedophile all at the same time? I don't have the space to describe to you the devastating effect on my life of all these "secret" alerts when the whole population would suddenly excommunicate me under respective authority's instruction when I posed no danger to anyone. Dear Ms Schlanger, my first step in redressing the wrongs I allege I have suffered from your Department is to obtain definitive information from your Office about what exactly your Department has warned people, transportation personnel, and foreign diplomatic officials about me in all the occasions I have above named, and the circumstances under which I became a target of "investigation" during the latter part of 2007. I sincerely entreat you to reply me in regard to my request.

Dear Ms Schlanger, I should therefore furnish you with information about me so that you can find me easily in the records of your Department. I will attach a copy of my passport and my California ID. Note that the date of birth on my passport was misprinted as my brother's. My Social Security Number

is [xxx-xx-xxxx].

I shall patiently wait for your response.

Sincerely,

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