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SUBJECT: [ⓐ] INNOCENT IMAGES; MAJOR CASE #110; ITOM - SEOC; OO: BALTIMORE.

FOR INFORMATION OF FBIHQ, THE FOLLOWING IS BEING PROVIDED IN ANTICIPATION OF THE ARREST OF DR. DANIEL CARLETON GAJDUSEK, A 1976 NOBEL PRIZE WINNER, FURTHER DESCRIBED AS A WHITE, MALE, DOB: 9/9/23. DR. GAJDUSEK IS A MEDICAL DOCTOR WHO HAS BEEN EMPLOYED BY THE NATIONAL INSTITUTES OF HEALTH (NIH) IN BETHESDA, MARYLAND AS A SCIENTIST SINCE 1958. DR. GAJDUSEK IS CURRENTLY THE CHIEF OF LABORATORY OF CENTRAL NERVOUS SYSTEMS

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(LCNS), NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF NEUROLOGICAL DISORDERS AND STROKE (NINDS) OF THE NIH. ACCORDING TO PUBLISHED LITERATURE, HIS MEDICAL BACKGROUND INCLUDES PEDIATRICS, CHILD GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT, INFECTIOUS DISEASES AND NEUROLOGY.

DURING NOVEMBER, 1995, A CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION WAS INITIATED BY THE FBI INTO THE ACTIVITIES OF DR. DANIEL GAJDUSEK FOCUSING ON HIS IMPORTATION OF CHILDREN INTO THE UNITED STATES FROM MICRONESIA AND NEW GUINEA. ACCORDING TO BIOGRAPHICAL LITERATURE, DR. GAJDUSEK HAS BROUGHT APPROXIMATELY 56 CHILDREN TO THIS COUNTRY AND HAS ASSUMED RESPONSIBILITY FOR THEIR CARE AND EDUCATION. HE HAS TRAVELED EXTENSIVELY TO THE SOUTH PACIFIC ISLANDS OF MICRONESIA AND NEW GUINEA. A REVIEW OF PUBLISHED RESEARCH JOURNALS HAS REVEALED REPEATED REFERENCES TO THE SEXUAL BEHAVIOR AND PRACTICES OF CERTAIN NATIVE PEOPLE, MAINLY FOCUSING ON BOYS. IN CERTAIN PASSAGES, DR. GAJDUSEK ALLUDES TO HIS HAVING SEXUAL CONTACT WITH BOYS ENCOUNTERED ON HIS TRAVELS.

INVESTIGATION HAS ESTABLISHED THAT DR. GAJDUSEK WAS THE SUBJECT OF THREE INVESTIGATIONS BY THE FREDERICK COUNTY PROTECTIVE SERVICES, ONE IN 1993 AND TWO IN 1995. ONE CONCERNED CHILD NEGLECT WHILE THE OTHER TWO FOCUSED ON

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SUSPECTED SEXUAL ABUSE. THE INVESTIGATIONS WERE CLOSED WITH NO ACTION TAKEN AGAINST DR. GAJDUSEK. FOLLOW-UP INVESTIGATION BY THE FBI HAS IDENTIFIED ONE VICTIM [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] THIS ACTIVITY OCCURRED NUMEROUS TIMES AND CONTINUED UNTIL APPROXIMATELY TWO YEARS AGO WITH THE LAST INCIDENT OCCURRING IN NEW YORK.

AS A CONSEQUENCE OF THE FBI'S INVESTIGATION, TWO FEDERAL SEARCH WARRANTS WILL BE EXECUTED ON APRIL 4, 1996. THE FIRST WILL OCCUR AT 7:00 A.M. AT DR. GAJDUSEK'S PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT, BUILDING 376, ROOM 130, FREDERICK CANCER RESEARCH DEVELOPMENT CENTER, FORT DETRICK, FREDERICK MARYLAND 21702 AND THE IMMEDIATE SURROUNDING AREA OF ROOM 130. ROOM 130 IS LISTED TO DR. DANIEL CARLETON GAJDUSEK, CHIEF, LCNS AND NINDS, TELEPHONE NUMBER (301)846-1186. THE SEARCH WILL BE CONDUCTED WITH THE COOPERATION OF [REDACTED] FORT DETRICK, AND REPRESENTATIVES OF THE INSPECTOR GENERAL'S OFFICE, HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES.

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THE SECOND SEARCH WILL OCCUR ON APRIL 4, 1996 AT 8:15 A.M. AT DR. GAJDUSEK'S RESIDENCE, 4316 DEER SPRING ROAD,

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MIDDLETOWN, MARYLAND, 21769. CURRENTLY THERE ARE FOUR MINOR CHILDREN RESIDING AT THE RESIDENCE, AGES 14 TO 17 YEARS OLD. THERE IS ALSO A GUARDIAN WHO IS ONE OF DR. GAJDUSEK'S ADOPTIVE CHILDREN BELIEVED TO BE RESIDING AT THE RESIDENCE WHILE DR. GAJDUSEK IS AWAY. ARRANGEMENT ARE BEING MADE FOR THE FREDERICK COUNTY SERVICES TO TAKE CUSTODY OF THE CHILDREN WHILE THEY ARE AT SCHOOL.

ADDITIONALLY, A MARYLAND STATE ARREST WARRANT WILL BE EXECUTED ON DR. GAJDUSEK UPON HIS RETURN TO MARYLAND FROM SLOVAKIA ON APRIL 4, 1996. DR. GAJDUSEK WILL BE ARRESTED BY MEMBERS OF THE FBI, MONTGOMERY COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT AND FREDERICK COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE FOR VIOLATIONS OF MARYLAND STATUTES CONCERNING CHILD ABUSE AND UNNATURAL/PERVERTED SEX PRACTICE.

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SUBJECT:  INNOCENT IMAGES; MAJOR CASE #110; ITEM-SEOC; CO:
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RE: BALTIMORE TELETYPE TO FBIHQ, DATED 4/1/96.

FOR INFORMATION OF FBIHQ, DR. DANIEL CARLETON GAJDUSEK
WAS ARRESTED ON 4/4/96, BY MEMBERS OF THE FBI, MONTGOMERY
COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT, AND THE FREDERICK COUNTY SHERIFF'S
DEPARTMENT ON A MARYLAND STATE ARREST WARRANT FOR VIOLATIONS
OF MARYLAND STATUTES CONCERNING CHILD ABUSE AND
UNNATURAL/PERVERTED SEX PRACTICE. ON 4/4/96, TWO FEDERAL

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SEARCH WARRANTS WERE EXECUTED AT 4316 DEER SPRING ROAD,
MIDDLETOWN, MARYLAND 21769, AND BUILDING 376, ROOM 130,
FREDERICK CANCER RESEARCH DEVELOPMENT CENTER, FCRT DETRICK,
FREDERICK, MARYLAND 21702.

ON 4/6/96, GAJDUSEK WAS RELEASED ON \$350,000 BOND.

FEDERAL PROSECUTION IS PENDING BASED ON THE OUTCOME OF THE
STATE'S INVESTIGATION.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date of transcription 2/5/96

On January 22, 1996 at 1406 hours Special Agent [redacted] (FBI-SMMRA) AND Detective [redacted] (Montgomery County Police Department) interviewed [redacted] (Protect Identity By Request) at the offices of the SMMRA. This interview was in reference to an investigation concerning the activities of CARLTON DANIEL GAJDUSEK, date of birth September 9, 1923. GAJDUSEK, a medical doctor, is the director of the National Institutes of Health's Laboratory for neurological disorders, a position he has apparently held since at least the 1960's. [redacted] stated the following facts:

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he became aware of the writings of GAJDUSEK who is well known in the scientific community. [redacted]

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[redacted] During that time he observed things that he felt were "not right." He did not see any fondling but saw GAJDUSEK going around with children, were usually boys. The youngest of these were seven to eight years of age.

GAJDUSEK was almost never at the lab due to the fact the he traveled constantly giving talks and conducting research. The lab has two separate sites, one in Bethesda, Maryland and the other in Frederick, Maryland. [redacted]

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[redacted] Originally the lab concerned itself with child development and disease patterns. GAJDUSEK is a pediatrician by training. He became involved with viral and infectious diseases and wanted to position it with children. He (GAJDUSEK) would travel around conducting research, and ended up in New Guinea. There he encountered tribes of people that engaged in ritualized sexual abuse of children. GAJDUSEK was supposed to be an observer of this activity, but became a participant. As evidence, [redacted] cited published scientific journal authored by GAJDUSEK, in which he described his sexual contact with native

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by *[Signature]* SA [redacted] tmt Date dictated 1/29/96

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people, including boys. These journals chronicle his travels in New Guinea and other Pacific Islands.

GAJDUSEK began bringing children to the United States from these islands, presumably to raise them and provide them with an education. In 1976, GAJDUSEK won a Nobel Prize for his work involving a rare neurological disease. This apparently involved a tribe in New Guinea that engaged in ritual cannibalism and homosexual abuse.

[redacted] GAJDUSEK has a lot of money and travels frequently, ignoring the lab. He has been seen with groups of children. GAJDUSEK is aware that there is an investigation into his laboratory practices and finances. There has been talk at the lab of a prior Montgomery County, Maryland, police investigation. [redacted] he thought GAJDUSEK was a great scientist. It took six months to a year for [redacted] to become aware of GAJDUSEK's interest in children. He considers GAJDUSEK to be a very selfish and exploitive individual and feels that he fits the profile for narcissistic personality disorder. He does not do things for other people.

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[redacted] It has been strongly suspected that he is a homosexual pedophile. He (GAJDUSEK) would say outrageous things referring to such things as masturbation and bowel movements. GAJDUSEK associated with an adult male named JOE WEGSTINE (phonetic) who had similar interests. He apparently lived with GAJDUSEK and would watch over the children when he was away.

[redacted] stated that a [redacted] would have information regarding GAJDUSEK. [redacted] is a former co-worker of his, who currently works at the [redacted]

[redacted]
[redacted] He has no telephone at his residence. He claims the children are adopted, but [redacted] felt that they were brought into the United States on educational visas. Initially GAJDUSEK said the children were orphans. If he got children he liked their parents would give them to him.

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GAJDUSEK talked about bartering with tribes people, and [redacted] felt he could have bartered for children. In the 1980's GAJDUSEK began bringing girls into the United States. [redacted] felt this was to provide himself with cover, to as to not give the appearance of having a preference for boys. GAJDUSEK has never been married, but allegedly was involved with a woman at one time. He seems to have a preference for pre-adolescent males [redacted]

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[redacted] He collects honoraria while traveling and has received many awards. GAJDUSEK has purchased a lot of books through NIH, including erotic literature, such as a book titled "Venus Penis." GAJDUSEK lived in an old mansion in Frederick, Maryland before moving to a house in Middleton, Maryland, where he currently resides. [redacted] indicated that there was suspicious fire at the mansion after GAJDUSEK moved out. [redacted] feels that GAJDUSEK has brought several hundred children into the United States, with many of them sent back home.

Below is identifying information for [redacted] (Protect Information By Request)

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On 3/6/96, [redacted] provided the following information to SA [redacted]

Source advised that the journals furnished to Special Agent [redacted] U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office of Inspector General, Office of Investigations, telephone (301) 402-0930, regarding DR. GAJDUSEK from 1957-1976 are public record and can be found on the shelf at the NIH's library, the National Library of Medicine and/or at GAJDUSEK's lab.

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Source stated that after GAJDUSEK won the Nobel Prize in 1976, the journals published after 1976 no longer appeared at the aforementioned locations because of restricted circulation. Source did not know the reasons for the restricted circulation.

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[redacted] date of birth [redacted] residing at [redacted] telephone [redacted] was advised of the identities of the interviewing agents and the nature of the interview. [redacted] thereafter provided the following information:

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[redacted] advised that Dr. Gajdusek spent a lot of time [redacted] while he was traveling in Micronesia. [redacted] was also adopted by Dr. Gajdusek. [redacted] did not know if Dr. Gajdusek legally adopted [redacted] or any of the children who have come to live with Dr. Gajdusek over the years. [redacted] advised that [redacted] is now back in Micronesia.

[redacted] asked Dr. Gajdusek why he adopted all these children and then leaves them alone since he is always traveling out of the country. [redacted] could not recall Dr. Gajdusek's response to this, but thinks that Dr. Gajdusek is strange and advised he never knew Dr. Gajdusek to have a wife. [redacted] stated that [redacted] one of Dr. Gajdusek's adopted children had told him that he thought Dr. Gajdusek was weird.

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by SA [redacted] Date dictated 3/19/96

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[redacted] stated that the following individuals were also adopted by Dr. Gajdusek: [redacted]

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[redacted] advised that Dr. Gajdusek telephoned him and said he was returning from his trip to Paris on 4/4/96 and was planning on taking the children to his home in Yonkers, New York for the Easter holiday. On 3/19/96, [redacted] telephoned Dr. Gajdusek's office at Fort Detrick and was advised by Dr. Gajdusek's secretary that Dr. Gajdusek was going to Slovakia after Paris but was still expected to return on 4/4/96.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date of transcription 3/25/96

[redacted] date of birth [redacted]
[redacted] residing at [redacted]
[redacted] telephone [redacted] was advised of the identities of
the interviewing agents and the nature of the interview. [redacted]
thereafter provided the following information:

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[redacted] advised that the following children were living at the
Prospect Hill residence [redacted]

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[redacted], he heard
from the boys in the house that Dr. Gajdusek was "touchy" and
that "he likes boys because he is always touching boys." [redacted]
did not recall which boy in the house made this statement.

[redacted] told [redacted] that Dr.
Gajdusek "touches" him. [redacted] did not explain [redacted] what he
meant by touching, but [redacted] understood it to mean that Dr.
Gajdusek is gay.

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by SA [redacted]

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advised that was trusted by the boys in the house and would be someone they could go to and talk with.

Dr. Gajdusek approved this arrangement.

advised he was never sexually molested by Dr. Gajdusek.

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Date of transcription 3/25/96

[redacted] date of birth [redacted]
[redacted] residing at [redacted]
[redacted] telephone [redacted] employed as [redacted]
[redacted] telephone [redacted]
[redacted] was advised of the identities of the interviewing agents and the nature of the interview. [redacted] thereafter provided the following information:

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[redacted] was born on [redacted] which is within the [redacted] state of [redacted] currently lives at the aforementioned [redacted] address with [redacted] also from [redacted]

[redacted] first met Dr. Gajdusek in 1964 when Dr. Gajdusek was doing research [redacted] was brought to the United States by Dr. Gajdusek so [redacted] could receive an education. [redacted] was [redacted] years old [redacted]

[redacted] advised that the following individuals were the first children brought to the United States by Dr. Gajdusek and [redacted] came to the United States [redacted] currently [redacted]

[redacted] advised that Joe Wegstein lived at the house in Chevy Chase, Maryland with the children and was a friend of Carleton's. Wegstein worked for the National Bureau of Standards.

[redacted] advised that Dr. Gajdusek never sexually abused him.

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[redacted] stated that Dr. Gajdusek did not start bringing girls to the United States until the 1980's.

[redacted] advised that Dr. Gajdusek had a Chinese girlfriend whom he met in college [redacted]
[redacted]

[redacted] was an associate of Dr. Gajdusek at the National Institutes of Health (NIH). [redacted] had two sons, one named [redacted]

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[redacted] white female, date of birth [redacted] NINDS Support Group, Ft. Detrick, Maryland was interviewed at her place of employment, Building 376. [redacted] advised that she resides at [redacted] [redacted] telephone number [redacted]. After being advised of the identity of the interviewing Agent and the nature of the inquiry, she advised as follows:

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[redacted] advised that she rarely does any work for Dr. GAJDUSEK. She did recall typing a couple of items. [redacted] was asked to bring them up on the screen of her computer, which she did. There were two documents, neither of which were pertinent.

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A search of Room 130, Building 376, Fort Detrick, Maryland and the associated Administrative Office for computers and electronic storage media was conducted pursuant to a Federal Search Warrant. It was determined that there was not a computer, nor any electronic media in Room 130. There were a number of computers located in the administrative offices. Four employees were interviewed concerning the information stored on these computers. On the basis of these interviews, one computer was determined not to have any potentially evidentiary information. The second was determined not to have any pertinent information. The third computer was determined to have some pertinent information, which was printed out by the employee and provided to the interviewing Agent.

The last computer, which was located at the desk in front of the door to Room 130 was an Apple Macintosh. Present next to and behind the computer were three boxes and a plastic disk file containing three and one-half inch floppy disks. The labels on the floppy disks indicated that some of them were correspondence concerning Dr. GAJDUSEK. Others appeared to be manuscripts for technical papers. Several were un-labeled. The disks labeled as correspondence and those un-labeled were examined. Six of the disks were determined to contain files of evidentiary value and were seized.

Based on the interview of the employee who is the sole user of the Macintosh it was determined that it very likely contained information of evidentiary value. The computer was booted and a single file was reviewed. The file was determined to be a journal in which GAJDUSEK recounts a visit to the West Coast. The journal describes an incident in which a boy climbs into bed with GAJDUSEK.

[redacted] was determined to be the Property Custodian for the equipment in the Administrative Office. [redacted] was contacted and agreed to allow the Federal Bureau of Investigation to take the computer for examination. An FD-597 Receipt for Property was executed for the computer and a copy left with [redacted]

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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[redacted] white female, date of birth [redacted] Technical Operations, NINDS Support Group, Ft. Detrick, Maryland was interviewed at her place of employment, Building 376. [redacted] advised that she resides at [redacted] telephone number [redacted]. After being advised of the identity of the interviewing Agent and the nature of the inquiry, she advised as follows:

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[redacted] the support staff of the NINDS Laboratory located in Building 376, including the person assigned to assist Dr. GAJDUSEK. In addition to these duties, [redacted] occasionally performs administrative duties for the staff, including GAJDUSEK.

[redacted] was requested to review her computer and floppy disks for any information identifiable with GAJDUSEK pertaining to his travels, family or associates. She did so and printed out approximately 16 files pertaining to GAJDUSEK. These documents were placed in a manila envelop, initialed by [redacted] and the interviewing Agent and were then seized.

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Transport of children is probed

Accused scientist brought dozens into this country

By SCOTT HIGHAM
AND MARCIA MYERS
SUN STAFF

Federal investigators are trying to determine how a Nobel Prize-winning scientist charged with child sexual abuse managed to transport dozens of young children from a string of remote South Pacific islands to his home in Maryland.

Immigration investigators and FBI agents are combing through the records of at least 56 children Dr. Daniel Carleton Gajdusek brought home from Papua New Guinea and Micronesia while working for the National Institutes of Health — his employer for the past three decades.

Agents are checking to see if Dr. Gajdusek used his professional association with the NIH to bring the children home, and they are investigating whether any more children claim to have been abused by the internationally known pediatrician, virologist and anthropologist.

Dr. Gajdusek is charged with four counts of sexual abuse and perverted acts for allegedly assaulting one boy he brought from Micronesia nine years ago. Wearing a dark-blue prison jumpsuit, he appeared in Frederick County District Court yesterday for a 20-minute bail hearing.

An attorney for the doctor argued that his client was not at risk to flee and the \$1 million bail set in the case was too high. The lawyer, Mark J. Hulkower, said his client had been aware he was under investigation by the FBI while traveling in Europe but returned home Thursday anyway.

"He simply didn't have to come [See Children, 5A]

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back," Mr. Hulkower told District Judge W. Milnor Roberts.

Judge Roberts lowered Dr. Gajdusek's bond to \$350,000.

Friends of the doctor, who shared the 1976 Nobel Prize for his research into a neurological disorder similar to "mad cow" disease, say he brought the children here to give them a better life and an education.

His attorney said yesterday that Dr. Gajdusek funded college educations for some of the children from his \$118,000-a-year salary at NIH, where he is chief of a major lab at the National Institute of Neurologic Disorders and Stroke.

"The children may have been brought here based on good intentions, but there appears to have been a breakdown of trust," said Timothy P. McNally, the FBI special agent in charge of Maryland and Delaware. "We are taking a good look to see if there's a broader scope to this case involving other children."

While interviewing children Dr. Gajdusek ferried from overseas, federal agents are pulling visa applications and immigration files to determine how the children entered the United States.

"The INS is conducting a review of the files in this case," said Benedict J. Ferro, district director for the Immigration and Naturalization Service in Maryland. "Beyond that, I can't comment."

NIH officials declined to say yesterday whether Dr. Gajdusek used the prestigious research center to facilitate the transportation of the children to the United States. They also declined to say if any of the children were sponsored by the NIH to travel to this country.

"All I can say is that this is a law enforcement matter, and NIH is cooperating fully with the responsible authorities," a spokesman said.

Under immigration law, children can enter the country several ways.

If Dr. Gajdusek obtained student visas for the children, he would have needed documents from schools and an affidavit from the NIH showing he was financially able to support the children, State Department officials say.

He also could have obtained visas under a cultural exchange program. Under that program, agencies such as the NIH provide invitations to foreign visitors. It could not be determined last night if the children were admitted under the NIH's auspices.

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INS agents say U.S. visas are not required for Micronesians, but travelers from that country are required to produce documents upon entering the United States.

Dr. Gajdusek is charged with sexually abusing a boy from Micronesia on several occasions between 1987 and 1991. According to records and court testimony, FBI agents taped a March 15 phone conversation between Dr. Gajdusek and the alleged victim, now a 23-year-old college student.

During the conversation, Dr. Gajdusek admitted abusing the alleged victim as well as other boys, according to an FBI account of the conversation. The doctor also pleaded with the student to lie

to investigators if questioned about the alleged abuse, the FBI affidavit says.

Yesterday, two people Dr. Gajdusek brought from the South Pacific answered the door of his Middletown home in Frederick County, set on three acres in the foothills of the Catoctin Mountains. One of the men, who appeared to be about 20 years old, said Dr. Gajdusek brought him here from Micronesia about 10 years ago.

He said he was never abused by the doctor and was not aware that any one else living in the home had been sexually assaulted. Asked if he was worried about Dr. Gajdusek, the young man said: "He's going to be fine."

The inside of the house was dark, the drapes drawn tight. Tribal masks, carvings and paintings covered many of the walls.

Another man at the house, who appeared to be in his 30s, said he, too, came from a South Pacific island, but declined to say which one. Asked if he was aware of sexual abuse at the house, he said: "I don't want to say anything. We don't know what's happening."

Many of the boys Dr. Gajdusek brought home attended Middletown High School, said Zack McCormley, 18, a senior at the school. He said he has been friends with four of the boys whom the doctor brought from the South Pacific.

He said the boys, who considered themselves brothers, were often left on their own by the doctor for weeks at a time.

Authorities say they found four people Thursday living at Dr. Gajdusek's house. A teen-age girl, the only minor, was placed in the custody of social services workers.

Dr. Gajdusek's fascination with children was no secret in scientific circles.

In an exceptionally candid interview with *Omni* magazine in 1986, Dr. Gajdusek was asked when, in his opinion, a child ceases being a child.

"When you can't bat him around and still get a smile from him," he said.

He also described sexual practices in Micronesia.

"Few normal, well-brought-up, moral children in such Micronesian or Polynesian islands aren't knowledgeable in massaging adults into orgasm," he said. "These people believe sex is a part of normal life at all ages."

Sun staff writers Jonathan Bor, Will Englund, Diana K. Sugg and Research Librarian Jean Packard also contributed to this article.

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NIH Scientist's Journals Describe Child Sexuality

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The Nobel Prize-winning government scientist arrested this week on charges of sexually abusing a teenage boy has for decades published official journals of his travels containing sexually explicit passages about children.

The journals of Daniel Carleton Gajdusek describing the sexual habits of men and boys in faraway lands are inconclusive about whether he became sexually involved with them. Nevertheless, the journals led to an intensive investigation of the pediatrician and virologist.

Many people who have known Gajdusek, including some men who grew up in his household, defended him yesterday as a generous man devoted to children. Several said they found the charges against the 72-year-old scientist hard to believe.

The journals were typed up and published as part of Gajdusek's official duties as head of the Laboratory of Central Nervous System Studies at the National Institutes of Health. They were printed and bound with government funds, and copies were distributed at NIH. Some are on the shelves of the National Library of Medicine.

The journals contain long passages that have

nothing to do with sex. But in some sections describing his visits to New Guinea and Micronesia, Gajdusek wrote that he was offered sex with boys without saying whether he accepted or declined the overtures. In describing various boys, he used adjectives such as "coquettish" and "sensual." He recorded several instances of sleeping in the same bed as boys without mentioning sexual contact.

At the same time he was publishing his journals, Gajdusek, who is single, maintained an official resumé that listed as his "family" scores of children, mostly boys, whom he had brought to

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the United States from New Guinea and Micronesia. He lived with as many as a dozen children at a time at homes in Montgomery and Frederick counties.

Federal officials who oversee NIH declined yesterday to comment on the case. "We are cooperating fully with law enforcement authorities, and we have been from the moment this came to our attention," said Victor Zonana, spokesman for the Department of Health and Human Services. "If there are management issues that need to be addressed, they will be."

Gajdusek has been charged with two counts of child abuse and two counts of violating a Maryland law prohibiting oral sex. In brief comments to reporters, Gajdusek denied wrongdoing, saying he was a pedophile "as much as Jesus Christ and Mother Teresa, who also are unmarried and love children."

The handful of his colleagues who would speak publicly said they were withholding judgment as the criminal case takes its course.

Daniel L. Alkon, a laboratory chief in the same NIH institute as Gajdusek, said he and other colleagues knew that Gajdusek sponsored many children from overseas, but he said there was never anything suspicious about it.

"He was remarkably generous and took a great deal of responsibility in helping these young people grow into adulthood. That was the popular perception, that was the way it was written in magazines, and that was the way we understood it," Alkon said. "And until it's proven otherwise, it's still possible that's the case."

Sources said the Gajdusek journals are a key to the investigation.

The sources said the case began last year when somebody called certain journals to the attention of a Senate investigator. That investigator called in the Health and Human Services inspector general's office, which in turn went to the FBI and other law enforcement agencies.

Gajdusek's journals are written in the style favored by the great explorer-scientists of old, running narratives of his anthropological and cultural observations as he traveled among primitive island peoples in the Pacific Ocean. He wrote of braving withering heat, floods, mosquitoes and man-eating crocodiles in pursuit of his research.

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Sexuality in Journals

The journals contain many passages in which Gajdusek described precocious sex. They are usually silent about his own response to sexual overtures. Many of the passages about child sex can be read as scientific observations. In several places, though, Gajdusek seems to express impatience with Western attitudes about sex and children.

In a passage dated Sept. 10, 1961, from Koror Island, he wrote: "I would, at this moment, have every youth sleep with his sister, get seduced by his older brother and male teacher, practice with his male and female cousins, aunts, uncles and teacher and maid—anything!—only to know sex as fun and frivolity, as rhythm and passionate play—from an early age—from the very onset of puberty."

Sources said that investigators were intrigued when they first saw the journals but that they felt that they were too ambiguous to be conclusive proof of pedophilia.

The break came when the FBI found a young man who grew up in Gajdusek's household. That man, a 23-year-old college student still living in Maryland and still financially dependent on Gajdusek, told investigators that as a teenager, he had suffered numerous sexual assaults at Gajdusek's hands.

The FBI got the man to place a telephone call to Gajdusek in February. No transcript has been released. Agents said in a sworn statement that with the tape recorder rolling, Gajdusek admitted that he had assaulted the man, apologized and begged him not to tell. The agents said he also admitted abusing other minors, both in the United States and abroad.

At one point, the agents said, the young man asked Gajdusek if he knew what a pedophile was, and he replied: "I am one."

Montgomery County police had conducted an earlier investigation of Gajdusek involving two alleged victims of sexual abuse, but they closed that case in 1989. "The investigation was ultimately suspended because we were unable to uncover any current victims," said Cpl. Courtney McFee, a Montgomery County police spokeswoman.

Gajdusek was arrested Thursday as he pulled into his driveway in Middletown, near Frederick, in a rented car. He was held overnight in the county jail, appeared in a Frederick County courtroom yesterday and may be released as early as today.

He remained silent for most of the bond hearing as his defense attorney made the case for his release.

"A 73-year-old man in somewhat ill health—he suffers from hypertension—is not going to stow away on a freighter headed for New Guinea. Dr. Gajdusek is not going anywhere," said attorney Mark Hulkower, who emphasized the scientist's ties to the community and

said he would have no contact with minors without supervision.

Nearly a dozen friends and colleagues were in the courtroom yesterday to support Gajdusek, including a man whom Gajdusek brought to the country 30 years ago from Micronesia. District Court Judge W. Milnor Roberts reduced Gajdusek's bond from \$1 million to \$350,000, and Hulkower said he expects friends to raise enough money to free Gajdusek by Monday.

"Calls of support have been coming in from all over the country," Hulkower said.

Authorities say they are still interviewing people who grew up in Gajdusek's household and who now are scattered to the far corners of the Earth.

Many of Gajdusek's friends and relatives disputed the portrayal of him as a child abuser.

Robert E. Gajdusek, 20 months younger than his brother Carleton, is a retired professor living in California. He said he had visited his brother's home over the years and saw no indication of problems.

"I've never seen a happier household in my life," Robert Gajdusek said. "I wish I'd been raised by him. He is to me the one person in

my life who I feel is as much a saint as anyone I've ever known."

Gajdusek is a widely known figure in the State of Yap, a cluster of 14 tropical islands about 500 miles southwest of Guam. People on those little-developed islands, part of the vast island nation of Micronesia, say Gajdusek has been visiting since the 1960s, conducting research and providing immunizations and other medical care.

He has sponsored at least five or six boys from the area, and at least one girl, to come to the United States and live with him while attending school. Several of them returned to Yap to become leading citizens. Some took positions in local government, one taught at the University of Guam and others have taught in local schools.

Cyprian Mugunbey, of Yap, said his 18-year-old daughter has been living with Gajdusek for five years, going to school. He was surprised by the charges. He said his daughter seems happy.

Mugunbey said that when he visited Gajdusek's house in 1991, there were at least 10 children, most of them boys, living there. Mugunbey said he trusted Gajdusek and was

not unduly suspicious of the living arrangements.

"It did strike me as odd, but I think a lot of scientists are unusual people," Mugunbey said. "The only thing I thought was that he was nice, a kind person, and he wanted to help out. At the back of my mind, I guess I did wonder a little."

Josede Figirliyong, a former professor at the University of Guam, said he lived with Gajdusek for three years in the 1970s, when he was a teenager. He said Gajdusek never made sexual advances toward him. He said "many" other boys also lived in the house. "I know all the boys who were with me at the time, and I'm sure they would all support the things I'm saying," he said.

A priest in Micronesia who knows Gajdusek said he was not aware of trouble, either.

"There is no problem I heard of that is connected with sexual abuse," said Francis Hezel, a Jesuit who has run the Micronesian Seminar, a social research institute, since 1971 and who knows many of Gajdusek's former wards. "These kids sort of worshiped at Gajdusek's altar. They revered the man."

Hezel has read some of the journals and said Gajdusek was a brilliant observer whose sexually explicit writings drew criticism from other scientists.

"It was clear from the journals not that there were any improprieties in his dealings with young people in Micronesia, but that he wasn't judicious in what he wrote," Hezel said. "Any idea that flew out of his head, he put down in the journal. . . . I wouldn't want to sit down and record every notion that came into my head, every passing desire and so forth."

Gajdusek's travels among primitive peoples produced a major breakthrough in science. He proved that a kind of degenerative brain disease could be transmitted by infectious tissue.

That led to a better understanding of a series of closely related brain diseases of humans and animals, including the "mad cow" disease now frightening Britons. Gajdusek, who shared the Nobel Prize for his work in 1976, was returning from a conference in Geneva on mad cow disease when he was arrested.

Gajdusek's journals of his travels in the Pacific region describe tribes that do not attach the same opprobrium to sex between men and boys that Western societies do.

He wrote in one journal entry from the 1960s: "Whenever I respond to the overtures of one of the young boys by letting them cling to me, my hugging them or walking with them hand in hand, their adult relatives, often their fathers, knowingly smile and without ambiguity indicate that I should let the boys play sexually with me, and the suggestion is made only slightly more seriously and with but a bit more levity than would accompany a suggestion that one accept a gift of food."

Staff writers D'Vera Cohn, Brian Moaar and Karl Vick, and correspondent Kevin Sullivan, in Tokyo, contributed to this report.

Observations From the Pacific

Here are excerpts from Daniel Carleton Gajdusek's journal of his expedition to New Guinea in 1969, which was published in 1971. The journals contain many passages about child sexuality that can be read as scientific observations. Other passages are sexually suggestive but are silent on whether he participated.

Nov. 3, Wabiri Haus Klap: "The boys are interested in semen and on being friendly, holding hands with them or sitting intimately beside them they reach for one's genitals. . . . They are trained to masturbate and fellate the adult males. . . . Here, too, when asked for words pertaining to sex or sexual anatomy everyone [in a group of boys] laughs and younger boys run off. On the other hand their overtures and actions make it clear that they know of and practice a great deal of sexual activity with the men."

Nov. 5, Sedado Village: "Tiuda is the term used as the boys present the young boys to the police, [name deleted] and myself as sexual partners. . . . they are not at all ashamed and quite openly solicit among the boys and men. The use of tongue protruded from mouth somewhat curled to indicate fellatio is a gesture they make rather publicly, and it is new to me."

Nov. 9, at the Nomad River Patrol Post: "Whenever I respond to the overtures of one of the young boys by letting them cling to me, my hugging them or walking with them hand in hand, their adult relatives, often their

fathers, knowingly smile and without ambiguity indicate that I should let the boys play sexually with me, and the suggestion is made only slightly more seriously and with but a bit more levity than would accompany a suggestion that one accept a gift of food."

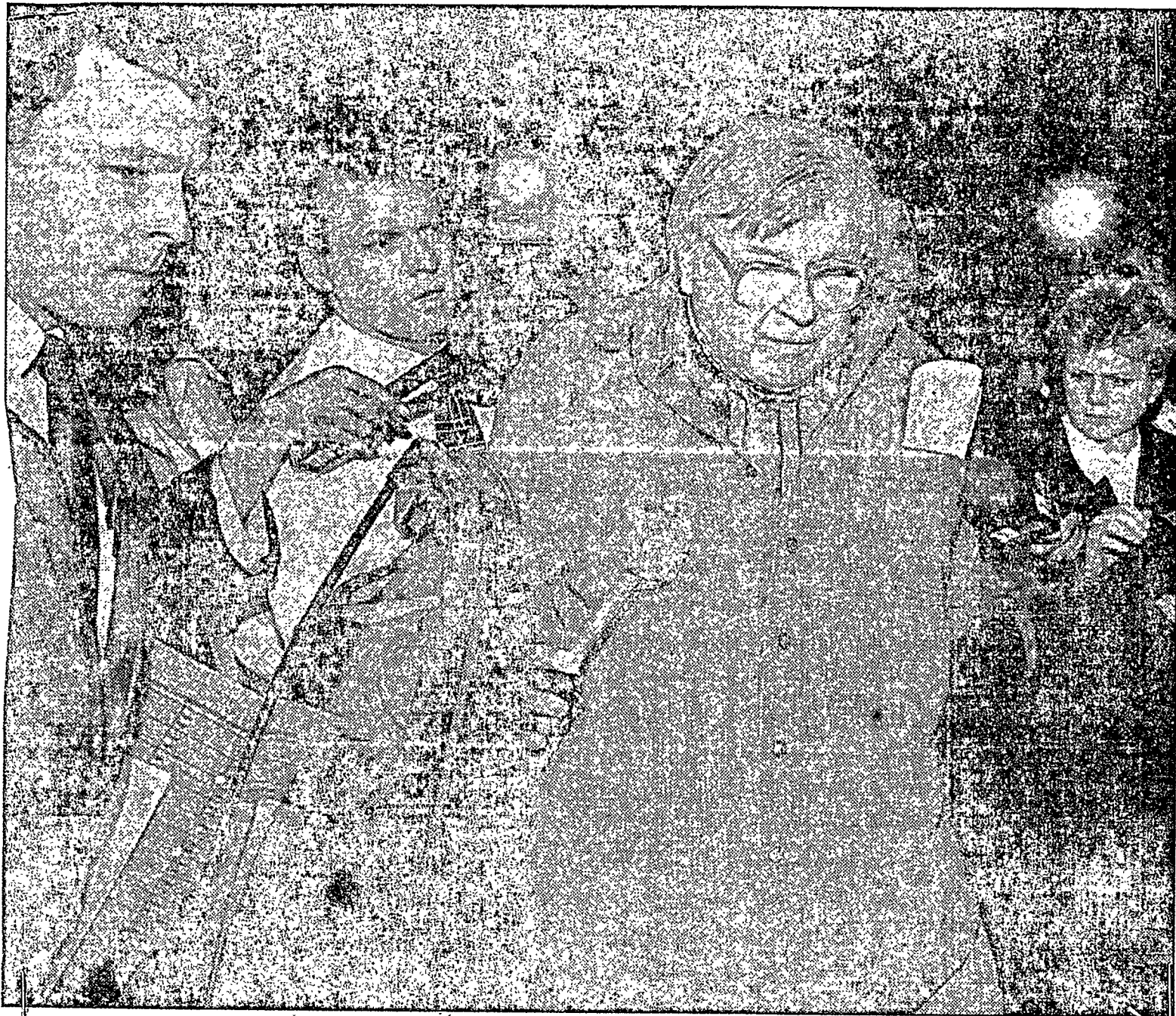
Dec. 26, Be'a: "Slept well with Mbira, Awomu, Sengo, and Mbondo, and arouse to a round of horseplay with them. Then all the boys and men were off to wash in the adjacent stream."

Dec. 27, Be'a: "Ekoro, Yewei, Mbondo, Awamu and Sengo and [blank space] slept with me last night and I find the children as gentle and kind and playful as at the start of my sojourn. I love them."

These journal entries came from an earlier trip to the Western Caroline Islands.

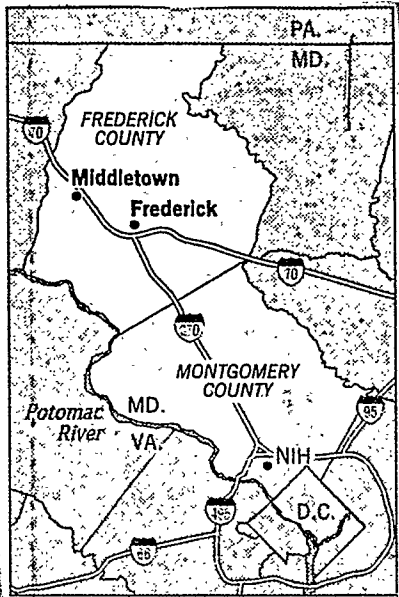
Sept. 10, 1961, Koror Island: "How much there is to gain if the fun and joy of childish play can be left uninhibited in adult life, without semantic twists into categories of bawdiness, perversion, lewdness, sensuality, eroticism, unnaturalness, masochism and sadism."

Sept. 20, 1961, Falalap Island, Ulithi Atoll: "The children trusted me without much hesitation, gave themselves to me, and many individuals gave me a personal share in their lives, their passions, their sensuality, their aspirations, which I but little deserved and for which I tried to give all of myself in gratitude. Ulithi was an overwhelmingly pleasant experience."

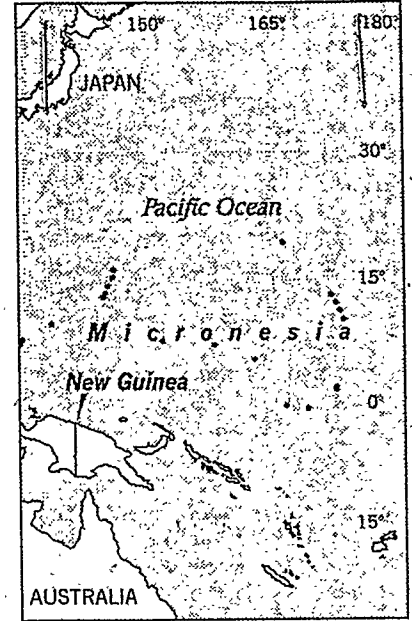


Daniel Carleton Gajdusek is put into a car at the Frederick County sheriff's office. At left is Frederick County State's Attorney Scott Rolle.

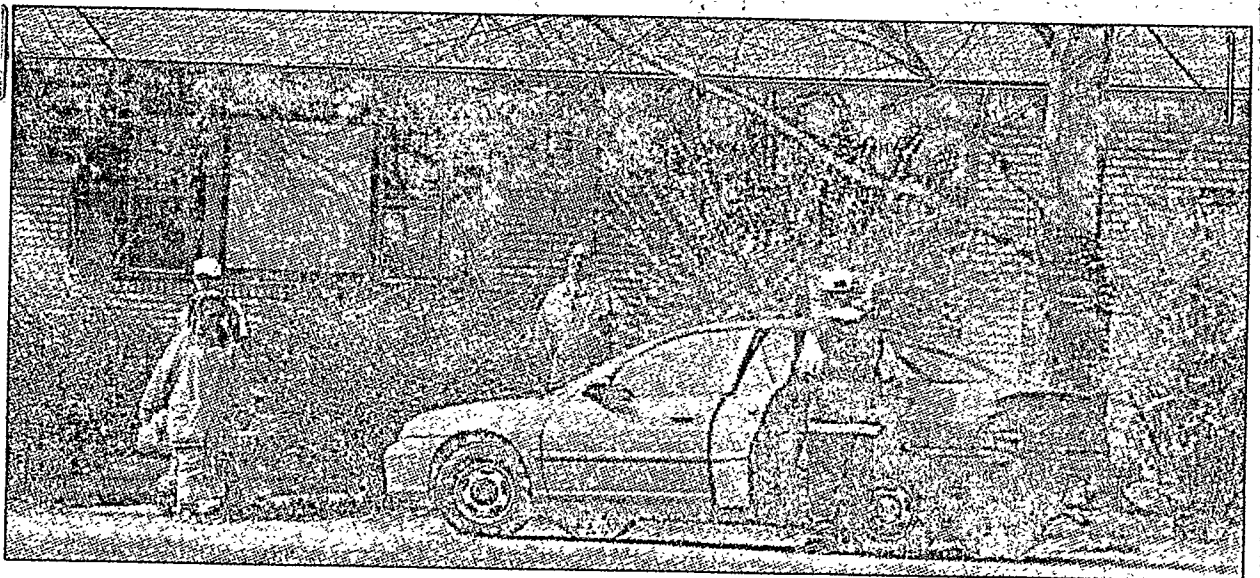
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A man follows three young people to a government car outside Daniel Carleton Gajdusek's house in Middletown, Md.

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Nobel Laureate Is Released After Posting \$350,000 Bail

The Nobel laureate who was arrested last week on charges of sexually abusing a teenage boy posted bail last night and was released from jail, Frederick County officials said.

Daniel Carleton Gajdusek, 72, posted \$350,000 in secured bond about 7 p.m. at the Frederick County Detention Center, according to a corrections officer. The officer would not say who posted the bail.

Gajdusek, a National Institutes of Health scientist, is charged with two counts of child abuse, as well as two counts of violating a Maryland

law prohibiting oral sex involving a boy he brought back from Micronesia.

Authorities said they are investigating the dozens of young people he has brought into the country to live with him in the last two decades.

FBI agents learned that Gajdusek described the sexual habits of men and boys in the countries he visited in professional journals.

The scientist's journals did not say whether he had sex with the children.

District Judge W. Milnor Roberts lowered Gajdusek's bond from

\$1 million to \$350,000 Friday after the scientist's lawyer argued that his client was not likely to flee.

Defense attorney Mark J. Hulkower said his client returned Thursday from Europe even though he knew the FBI was investigating him.

Frederick County State's Attorney Scott Rolle argued, however, that Gajdusek also has a home in New York and could be a threat to flee the country.

A preliminary hearing has been set for May 1.

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Friend Says Law Enforcement 'Setup' Led to Sexual Abuse Charges



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Paul Brown accuses authorities of "a conspiracy to destroy" fellow scientist Daniel Carleton Gajdusek.

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An associate of Daniel Carleton Gajdusek's defended him yesterday, saying sexual abuse charges against the Nobel Prize-winning scientist are the result of a law enforcement "setup" and a misunderstanding of his research.

Paul Brown, a longtime colleague at the National Institutes of Health, also described details of the virologist's highly publicized arrest Thursday. Brown was with Gajdusek at the time and posted most of the \$350,000 bond that secured his release Saturday night. Famed AIDS researcher Robert Gallo and his wife posted \$59,000 of the bond, according to Brown and court records.

Gajdusek, 72, was arrested at his home in Frederick County, Md., on charges of sexually abusing a teenager, one of dozens of children the researcher has brought to the United States from New Guinea and Micronesia. Gajdusek, who declined to be interviewed, is now staying at Brown's house in Bethesda.

According to Brown, Gajdusek was "stunned" by his arrest but is in good shape. "Under the circumstances, he's normal," Brown said. "He's not ebullient, not depressed. . . . He's active." Brown said that on the first day after his release, Gajdusek slept late and then went out with several friends and that he plans to return to work as soon as possible.

An NIH spokeswoman said yesterday, however, that Gajdusek had been placed on paid administrative leave.

Brown said Gajdusek knew "for some time" that law-enforcement authorities were investigating him. On the day of the arrest, Brown drove to Dulles International Airport to meet Gajdusek, who was returning from a conference in Geneva, to let him know that his office had just been raided. The two men then drove to Gajdusek's house in separate cars and were "surrounded" by about a dozen armed FBI agents once they entered the driveway, according to Brown.

"They came from all directions," Brown said, adding that an agent put a pistol in his face and ordered him to get out of his car, put his hands on the hood and spread his legs. The same was happening to Gajdusek, Brown said. "It was like the Unabomber," Brown complained. "It was Montana." After initial questioning, Brown was let go.

Brown accused law-enforcement authorities of "a conspiracy to destroy" Gajdusek, alleging that the FBI may have "fabricated" an audio tape in which Gajdusek allegedly admits to being a pedophile.

If the tape was not fabricated, Brown said, it might have been the result of a "setup" in which the FBI "got to a boy and got him to call Carleton and get Carleton to implicate himself" in acts he did not commit. Brown gave no explanation for what the motive of the alleged conspiracy might be.

Gajdusek's brother, Robert, said in an interview Friday that Gajdusek has faced "incredible harassment" from law-enforcement authorities during the last six months. He described the investigation and arrest as "a witch hunt" spurred by people who are jealous of his brother's accomplishments.

An FBI spokesman, Larry Foust, dismissed the accusations, saying, "There was not a conspiracy to get Dr. Gajdusek."

Suspicious about Gajdusek were sparked years ago by research he conducted as early as the 1960s in Micronesia and New Guinea, where he described the sexual habits of boys and men in primitive tribes. Gajdusek wrote lengthy

journals that contained sexually explicit passages about children and sexual acts between boys and men.

Brown, a neuro-scientist at NIH, defended Gajdusek's journals, saying that written references to "sleeping" with boys was not meant to imply anything sexual; communal and same-sex sleeping arrangements were common on the islands, said Brown, who accompanied Gajdusek on several research trips to Micronesia.

"On the islands, there are only open huts," he said. "There are no beds. When you're talking about sleeping, you're talking about sleeping on the ground. We both had occasion to sleep dormitory-style with the boys on the islands. It couldn't have been more normal."

Brown said that the sexual habits and customs of the islanders were very different from those in the United States and that, in general, outsiders often are invited to participate in local customs, whether they be culinary or sexual, and to decline would be inappropriate. Brown added that he never engaged in sex with island children.

"If you go to a foreign culture, there is obviously an incentive to behave as these people behave," he said. "You may be at risk if you don't behave as they do."

Gajdusek has been charged with two counts of child abuse, as well as two counts of violating a Maryland law prohibiting oral sex with minors. The charges stem from alleged incidents involving a man who grew up in Gajdusek's house. The man, now a 23-year-old college student living in Maryland, told investigators that he suffered numerous sexual assaults while he was a teenager living in the house.

Staff writer D'Vera Cohn contributed to this report.

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Bizarre picture unfolds of scientist in sex case

Gajdusek wrote often about ties with boys

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Since his arrest by FBI agents last week on charges that he sexually abused a boy he brought back from Micronesia, a bizarre, complicated picture of the brilliant, gregarious Nobel Laureate Daniel Carleton Gajdusek is beginning to emerge.

Colleagues were in awe of the scientist's genius. But privately, some wondered whether the man they knew as Carleton was too close to the sexually active boys he was studying and why he brought so many back to live with him in Maryland — first in Chevy Chase, then in Frederick County.

"In Carleton's case, since he was so candid in his journals, it didn't take much reading between the lines to realize that he enjoyed the attention he got from these boys," said Terence Hays, an anthropology professor at Rhode Island College who has known Dr. Gajdusek for more than 25 years.

FBI agents arrested Dr. Gajdusek, 72, Thursday on four counts of child abuse and perverted practices for allegedly having sex with a 15-year-old boy.

He was freed on \$350,000 bond Sunday from Frederick County Adult Detention Center and faces up to 50 years in prison if convicted

on all four felony counts.

Federal agents are trying to track down and interview at least 56 children Dr. Gajdusek brought to the United States from New Guinea, Micronesia and other countries during the past 30 years. They also are trying to figure out how he ferried them into the country without raising any red flags.

A supervisor at the National Institutes of Health in Bethesda, where Dr. Gajdusek has worked since 1958 and heads a major laboratory, said yesterday the research center [See Nobel, 4B]

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did not help the scientist sponsor any of the children he brought into the country.

"NIH would not help with anything like that," said Sylvia Funk, chief of the international services branch at NIH.

During his long, storied career, Dr. Gajdusek never tried to conceal his affection for the boys he met while traveling through remote regions of the world on his scientific "patrols."

He told reporters that he slept on the floor of his Maryland home with bands of boys he brought back from Micronesia, New Guinea and other distant lands.

He told a national magazine that he adored children from the South Pacific islands because their parents "trained them in all the tricks of sexuality, including satisfying and seducing adults."

Feelings documented

He documented his feelings in the journals. In passionate, sometimes erotic passages, he described young boys he found in far-away cultures — and how he believed the Western world's condemnation of childhood sex was "degrading" and "dishonest."

"The dance to orgasm is a game of childhood, and few prepubertal youngsters of either sex miss its enchantment, its fun, its seriousness, its compelling addiction," he wrote in one of his journals 36 years ago.

"Those who do are to be pitied."

The criminal case against Dr. Gajdusek started when FBI agents learned of the existence of the journals, which he started to write when he was a young scientist searching for clues to a deadly virus in the South Pacific.

The journals contain medical and anthropological observations and detailed descriptions of sexual practices of primitive societies. The journals are kept by many medical institutions — including NIH.

"The institutionalization of the homosexual system of small boy fellators is a fully culturally sanctioned institution," he wrote from Iwaia in the South Pacific on May 1, 1960.

But buried in some of the journals — in passages penned after spending months on "patrol" — are writings that are deeply personal. He described cultures dominated by pedophilia, where boys were trained to please older boys and the men of the society with oral sex.

'Hand-in-hand'

"Whenever I respond to the overtures of one of the young boys by letting them cling to me, hugging them or walking with them hand-in-hand, their adult relatives, often their fathers, knowingly smile, and without ambiguity, indicate that I should let the boys play sexually with me," he wrote from New Guinea on Nov. 9, 1969.

"The suggestion is made only slightly more seriously, and with a bit more levity, than would accompany a suggestion that one accept a gift of food."

After spending years in the jungles of the South Pacific, surfacing to lecture and organize his next patrol, Dr. Gajdusek became increasingly fond and protective of the societies he studied.

In several journal entries, he railed against Western culture and its social mores, longing for a place where people could behave uninhibited by sexual guidelines. He seemed to despise the way children were brought up in the Western world.

'Moral shame'

"I resent the burden of guilt, dishonesty, and insincerity under which they must grow in current-day society," Dr. Gajdusek wrote May 9, 1960, from New Guinea. "It is a degrading and crippling intellectual, physical and moral shame, a treason to human dignity, that they must deny their sex life, hide it, and rephrase it for themselves and others, into representations false to all mankind."

He also wrote that he wanted to protect what he had found from the outside world. In one passage, he said he planned to withhold information about homosexuality from a professional society.

"The note that I have sent in abstract to the Society of Pediatric Research is the proper way to report, yet 'hide' the matter, for I

would not particularly relish a swarm of anthropologists and homosexual adventurers in the valleys, or a vigorous anti-homosexual campaign by government or mission," he wrote March 12, 1964, from New Guinea.

"Thus, it has been wise to let the matter almost disappear with contact itself, before reporting it."

As early as 1965, while on a plane taking off from New Guinea, he wrote of what more he might do for the young boys he was leaving behind. Perhaps he could bring a couple of the older boys to NIH for summer student training jobs, he speculated, or to the states for a vacation.

Extended family

"I would be very anxious to do this, for it is only by so broadening the horizons of a few of them that I can contribute much to them for all they have given me," he wrote.

It is not clear when Dr. Gajdusek began bringing the boys to the United States and putting them through high school and college. But over time, a unique extended family developed.

The boys regarded themselves as brothers, and Dr. Gajdusek told people he was their adopted father.

"He basically functioned as their father, as a mentor," said Dr. Richard Johnson, chairman of neurology at the Johns Hopkins School of Medicine, and a long-time colleague and friend.

Dr. Johnson said his colleague's homes always have been gathering places. Before moving to Baltimore, he said he sometimes stayed with Dr. Gajdusek. So would other visiting scientists.

Friends say Dr. Gajdusek tried to be a role model for the boys with his broad interests: mathematics, comparative linguistics and anthropology, as well as pediatrics, his specialty. He also has the ability to pick up a new language in a few hours.

Courage is noted

Besides his mental brilliance, friends tell stories of his courage and adventure.

"I remember one time when Carleton went to visit us in Australia," Dr. Johnson said. "He had been lost in the southern part of New Guinea. He was covered with

tropical sores. Those days were not without their risks."

Dr. Gajdusek often eschewed modern transportation, traveling on foot to explore forested and mountainous areas, meeting local tribesmen and living among them.

Many of the boys he brought here have gone to college, with expenses paid by Dr. Gajdusek. That includes four current college students, according to his lawyer. And many of those students have returned to their homelands.

"I've never seen anything untoward," Dr. Johnson said.

Others are not surprised by the allegations.

"I've long suspected that Carleton had more than a professional interest in these particular activities," said Dr. Hays, the anthropologist. "There have been various rumors over the years, about his proteges particularly."

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Arrested: Daniel Carleton Gajdusek is led Thursday from his Middletown home by Frederick County Sheriff's Deputy Melissa Oland.

Journal Excerpts

The following are excerpts from professional journals written by Dr. Daniel Carleton Gajdusek while traveling in the South Pacific from 1960 to 1969.

"There is much of the unusual in these Kukukuku youths— affectionate, fondling, full of humor, kindness and gentleness at one moment; coy and bashful and very shy of nakedness; lewd and lascivious, sensual and licentious in the dark or private"— May 1, 1960, the Island of Iwala, in the South Pacific.

"The children trusted me without much hesitation, gave themselves to me, and many individuals gave me a personal share in their lives, their passions, their sensuality, their aspirations, which I but little deserved and for which I tried to give all of myself in gratitude"— Sept. 20, 1961, Falalap, Western Caroline Islands.

"It is a marvelous thing to have, by virtue of not being married, the license of a young teen-ager. . . . It was the fun I had denied myself most of my teen years, and it comes as a surprise to have it with preadolescent and adolescent girls when I am over 40 years of age in a setting wherein the propriety is not questioned"— Sept. 22, 1964, Fals Island, Western Caroline Islands.

"I slept well, again, like a bitch with her half-dozen pups lying and crawling over her"— Christmas, 1969, Kombai, New Guinea.



The Associated Press

Dr. Daniel Carleton Gajdusek is facing child sex abuse charges after being watched by police for a few months.

Nobel laureate charged in sex abuse free on bail

FREDERICK (AP) — Dr. Daniel Carleton Gajdusek, the Nobel laureate accused of molesting a teen-ager, was released Saturday night from the Frederick County Detention Center after posting \$350,000 in secured bond, a corrections officer said.

Gajdusek, a scientist at the National Institutes of Health, left the facility at about 7 p.m., said the officer, who requested anonymity.

Gajdusek is charged with four counts of child abuse and two counts of violating a Maryland law prohibiting oral sex from 1987 and 1991 with a boy he brought back from Micronesia.

Gajdusek has denied any wrongdoing, claiming he brought the children to the United States to give them an education.

Authorities are reportedly investigating the dozens of young people he has brought into the country to live with him in the last two decades.

The FBI said its investigation of Gajdusek grew out of a probe of child pornography on the Internet. Agents would not say how the two were related.

The Washington Post reported that the probe began after agents learned that Gajdusek described the sexual habits of men and boys in the countries he visited in professional journals. The journals did not say whether he engaged in sex with them, the newspaper reported.

District Judge W. Milnor Roberts lowered Gajdusek's bond from \$1 million to \$350,000 Friday after the doctor's lawyer argued that his client was not likely to flee. Defense attorney Mark J. Hulkower said his 72-year-old client returned Thursday from Europe although he knew the FBI was investigating him.

"He simply didn't have to come back," Hulkower said.

Frederick County State's Attorney Scott Rolle disagreed, saying Gajdusek also has a home in New York.

"He has a lot of contacts. He could be gone tomorrow," he said. "Fake passports and IDs are easy to get. He's a genius."

A preliminary hearing has been set for May 1.

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Nobel winner's journals

By DAVID DISHNEAU

Associated Press

FREDERICK.—References on the Internet to D. Carleton Gajdusek's interest in child sex prompted the investigation that led to the Nobel laureate's arrest for child abuse, a prosecutor said yesterday.

And other scientists said Gajdusek's journal descriptions and musings about sex between men and boys in the South Pacific, combined with his practice of bringing children back from research trips, have long fed speculation that his interest in the subject was more than academic.

"I wasn't surprised that there would be that kind of charge. Whether it is valid or not, I would have no knowledge," said Terence Hays, an anthropology professor at Rhode Island College, who has corresponded

with Gajdusek for 25 years.

However, other colleagues and co-workers have said Gajdusek, 72, was a kindly father figure and mentor for the more than 50 children he brought home to live with him, first in Chevy Chase and later in Frederick County, over the past 30 years.

Gajdusek won the 1976 Nobel Prize in medicine for his work on slow viruses, the type implicated in both AIDS and mad-cow disease.

References to Gajdusek's writings among users of computer on-line services caught the attention of federal authorities investigating child pornography on the Internet last year, according to Frederick County State's Attorney Scott Rolle.

The FBI then found a 23-year-old college student from Micronesia, living in Maryland, who had grown up

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Gajdusek's home who told agents Gajdusek sexually assaulted him numerous times during his teen years.

Frederick County authorities arrested Gajdusek last week and charged him with child abuse and perverted practices. He returned to his home in rural Middletown on Monday after spending two days with

friends in Bethesda who helped raise the \$350,000 bond for his release.

Gajdusek's journals dating back as far as 1960 contain accounts of sexual contact between men and boys that were part of the culture of certain groups in New Guinea, Micronesia and other Polynesian islands.

The journals were published as

part of Gajdusek's official duties as head of the Laboratory of Central Nervous System Studies at the National Institutes of Health in Bethesda. They also contain observations about child sex that run counter to Western attitudes.

“I would, at this moment, have every youth sleep with his sister, get seduced by his older brother and male teacher, practice with his male and female cousins, aunts, uncles and teacher and maid — anything! — only to know sex as fun and frivolity, as rhythm and passionate play — from an early age — from the very onset of puberty,” Gajdusek wrote in a passage from Koror Island dated Sept. 10, 1961.

Colleagues who have come to his defense say Gajdusek only sought to

help the children he claimed to have adopted. FBI and immigration agents are investigating how the children were brought to this country.

There has been speculation in the academic community for years that Gajdusek enjoyed sex with children.

“It's been an open secret,” said Philip Johnson, a University of California-Berkeley law professor aligned with a group of scientists who dispute Gajdusek's work.

“Here is a man who is single all his life, who brought back boys to live with him and he sent them to school and so forth. And with the journals, he did talk about that aspect of life in a way that was suggestive. It was just those things together that fed speculation,” said Hays, of Rhode Island College.

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Scientist used NIH ties to bring youths to U.S.

Sources say Gajdusek wrote letters of transit on institute letterhead

By SCOTT HIGHAM
AND MARCIA MYERS
SUN STAFF

A Nobel laureate charged with sexually abusing a boy he brought back from Micronesia used his professional ties to the prestigious National Institutes of Health to help him sponsor children he took home from the South Pacific, according to law enforcement sources.

Dr. Daniel Carleton Gajdusek, 72, wrote letters of transit for several children on NIH letterhead and presented the papers as travel documents to immigration officials in the United States, the sources said.

The internationally recognized scientist also listed his name, NIH and its address in Bethesda on immigration forms, satisfying a section of the document that requests information about who will support the children while they are in the United States, according to the sources.

The travel documents and other revelations raise questions about what NIH supervisors knew or should have known about Dr. Gaj-

dusek's relationship to the children he found while working overseas for the institution, and how he managed to bring at least 56 of them to Maryland.

The NIH travel documents span 22 years, from 1968 to 1990.

So far, investigators have not uncovered information showing that NIH officials knew the Nobel Prize-winning scientist had invoked the name of the institution to help transport the children to his homes in Montgomery and Frederick counties.

"But it would be pretty hard to argue that NIH didn't know what he was doing," one source said. "That doesn't mean they knew specifically how he was bringing the children here. But this was no secret at NIH."

NIH officials refused to discuss the travel records yesterday, other than to say that NIH documents are to be used for NIH business.

"Since this is a law enforcement matter, I'm not in a position to discuss these issues," NIH spokesman Donald M. Ralbovsky said.

Mr. Ralbovsky also declined to say whether NIH ever questioned Dr. Gajdusek about his ties to the children he was bringing into the United States, or about his sexually suggestive writings in his pro- [See Nobel, 14A]

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Scientist used NIH ties to import youths

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fessional journals.

The scientist penned sexual passages about children and defended the practice of childhood sex in his journals. He wrote and published them while serving as an NIH lab chief, and they are kept at NIH's library.

For years, colleagues say, rumors about the scientist and the children have been swirling in scientific circles. Some colleagues became so concerned about the journals, they reported them to the inspector general for the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, which oversees NIH. The tip then was turned over to the FBI and ultimately resulted in the current criminal case.

The NIH spokesman also said he didn't know whether institute officials were aware in 1989 that Montgomery County detectives were investigating the scientist for sexual child abuse allegations. No charges were filed.

Researchers said they wouldn't be surprised if NIH chose to look the other way.

"He's a Nobel Prize winner," said Roy Wagner, an anthropologist at the University of Virginia who has followed Dr. Gajdusek's work. "I think that means it was probably too touchy a subject for them to pull out and talk to him about."

Dr. Gajdusek's attorney, Mark J. Hulkower, declined to talk about the travel documents. So did immigration officials, citing an active criminal investigation.

Dr. Gajdusek faces four counts of sexual child abuse and perverted practice for allegedly assaulting a 15-year-old boy he brought to Maryland from Micronesia in 1987. The boy, now a 23-year-old college student, told FBI agents that Dr. Gajdusek had sex with him at the scientist's home in Middletown in Frederick County.

Dr. Gajdusek also admitted in a secretly recorded telephone conversation with the teen that he had sex with other boys, according to an FBI account of the conversation.

FBI agents are trying to locate and interview the children Dr. Gajdusek brought from Micronesia and New Guinea, where he discovered a deadly virus that was transmitted by cannibalism in the 1960s and 1970s. He shared the 1976 Nobel Prize for his discovery.

Investigators are trying to determine how the scientist ferried the children into the country, and whether he violated U.S. laws barring the importation of people for "immoral" purposes.

Typically, immigration agents require several pieces of information before allowing foreign children to enter the United States, aside from passports. Children traveling as visitors or students need documents showing the purpose of their trips, where they plan to stay and study, and how they will support themselves. Dr. Gajdusek's letters from NIH served as those travel documents.

In the letters, Dr. Gajdusek wrote that the children would live with him, he would take care of them financially, and he would be responsible for their travel to and from the United States.

Some of the letters are written as introductory travel documents for the children. Others are requests for visa extensions to immigration officials, or requests to enroll the children in schools in Montgomery and Frederick counties, the sources said.

The letters are signed with the scientist's official NIH title — chief, Laboratory of Central Nervous System Studies, National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Diseases. Dr. Gajdusek also entered the Bethesda address of NIH on the children's immigration papers, the sources said.

Accompanying some of the letters are statements from parents giving Dr. Gajdusek custody of their sons and daughters and naming him as legal guardian.

Some material in the immigration papers refers to the fact that Dr. Gajdusek had "adopted" some of the children. But federal agents have not found any evidence showing that the scientist legally adopted them.

One of the NIH letters signed by Dr. Gajdusek was witnessed by Don Cameron Jr., who once managed the Frederick Cancer Research and Development Center at Fort Detrick. Dr. Gajdusek maintains a satellite NIH office there, and the two men sat near each other for 10 years.

"Once in a while, he asked me to witness something," Mr. Cameron said yesterday. "I did him a favor, but I don't know all the ins and outs about this."

He said he never suspected anything unusual between the scientist and the children.

"He had nothing but concern for those children," Mr. Cameron said. "All he wanted to do was make sure those children got a good education."

2nd Youth Says He Was Abused By Md. Scientist

By Philip P. Pan and Karl Vick
Washington Post Staff Writers

Frederick County authorities are investigating allegations by a second youth that Nobel Prize-winning scientist Daniel Carleton Gajdusek sexually abused him while he was living with Gajdusek in Middletown, Md., the county's top prosecutor said yesterday.

Gajdusek, 72, a prominent virologist at the National Institutes of Health, was arrested two weeks ago on charges that he sexually abused one of many children he brought home to Maryland from his foreign expeditions.

Frederick County state's attorney Scott L. Rolle said a second youth from Micronesia has told investigators that Gajdusek molested him, but no criminal charges have been filed against the Nobel laureate stemming from that case.

Rolle said FBI agents and authorities in Frederick and Montgomery County, where Gajdusek used to live, are trying to interview the scores of children Gajdusek brought to Maryland from his travels to Micronesia and New Guinea. No additional charges will be filed before the investigation is finished, which will take at least 30 days, he said.

Rolle declined to disclose details of the second youth's allegations but said he is living in a foster home and cooperating with investigators.

Three boys and one girl living in Gajdusek's house were placed in foster care after authorities arrested the scientist April 4.

Three other young adults were living in the house, Rolle said.

Gajdusek, who is single, was freed on \$350,000 bond last week. He has denied wrongdoing and said he was a pedophile "as much as Jesus Christ and Mother Teresa, who also are unmarried and love children."

The investigation began in November after somebody brought to the attention of Senate investigators sexually explicit passages about children in the scientist's field journals.

In February, FBI agents found a 23-year-old college student still living in Maryland and still financially dependent on Gajdusek who told them that Gajdusek had sexually assaulted him numerous times when he was a teenager.

The FBI got the man to place a telephone

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call to Gajdusek and recorded the conversation. Agents said in a sworn statement that Gajdusek admitted to sexually assaulting the man and begged him not to report it. The affidavit also said Gajdusek admitted to abusing other minors,

FBI agents and local authorities are trying to interview the scores of children Gajdusek brought to Maryland from his foreign travels.

both in the United States and abroad, during the taped conversation.

Rolle said the second youth's account was corroborated in the same telephone recording, but he offered no details.

"The circumstances are similar to the first case," he said.

Mark Hulkower, Gajdusek's defense attorney, said yesterday: "I have no details about the new allegations, therefore, I'm not commenting on it at this time."

Gajdusek, who shared a 1976 Nobel Prize for his research into degenerative brain disease, brought dozens of foreign children home to live with him in Maryland during the last three decades. After attending local schools, many went on to get college educations and became leading citizens when they returned to their homelands.

Officials said investigators are considering traveling there to interview them.

Benedict J. Ferro, district director for the Immigration and Naturalization Service in Maryland, said the INS is reviewing immigration documents for all the children.

To enter the United States on a student visa, the children would have needed to show proof of acceptance from a school and proof of financial support.

Ferro said some of the travel documents requesting visas were written on NIH letterhead, raising questions about whether Gajdusek used his position as head of the Laboratory of Central Nervous System Studies to help bring the children to the United States.

NIH officials have declined to comment on the case.

The INS investigation is focused on whether Gajdusek violated a law that bars the importation of persons into the country for immoral purposes. The law usually is applied to the traffic of prostitutes.

Staff writer Jackie Spinner contributed to this report.

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On April 4, 1996, Dr. Daniel Carleton Gajdusek, employed as Chief, Laboratory of Central Nervous Systems Studies, National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke, of the National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, Maryland, was arrested by members of the FBI, Montgomery County Department of Police and Frederick County Sheriff's Office charging Dr. Gajdusek with violations of Maryland statutes for child abuse and unnatural/perverted sex practice.

During November of 1995, a criminal investigation was initiated by the FBI into the activities of Dr. Gajdusek. This investigation focused on his relationship with minor children who he brought into the United States from Micronesia and New Guinea.

Dr. Gajdusek was the recipient of the Nobel Prize in 1976 for his work in physiology/medicine, and is a resident of Frederick County, Maryland.

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 DR. GAJDUSEK WAS THE RECIPIENT OF THE NOBEL PRIZE IN 1976 FOR HIS WORK IN PH YSICOLOGY/MEDICINE AND IS A RESIDENT OF FRED. CO. MD


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'Adopted' sons deny facing sexual abuse

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Colleagues and friends are pouring money into a legal defense fund set up to help a Nobel Prize-winning scientist fight charges that he sexually abused a 15-year-old boy he brought back from Micronesia.

And two men who had lived under D. Carleton Gajdusek's care flew in from Pacific islands over the weekend to help the man they still call "Father."

Mr. Gajdusek, 73, winner of a Nobel Prize in 1976, has been charged in Frederick County with child sexual abuse and perverted practice with a boy in 1987 after bringing him to live in his Middletown home.

Mr. Gajdusek brought home 56 children from Micronesia, New Guinea and other South Pacific islands, the FBI says.

He was arrested April 4 and is on paid leave from his job as chief of the National Institutes of Health's laboratory for central nervous system studies. He is to appear for a preliminary hearing on molestation charges May 1 in Frederick County District Court.

Legal bills for Mr. Gajdusek are expected to reach more than \$300,000, said Paul Brown, a friend and colleague who, with his wife, Cathy, put up more than \$250,000 of a \$350,000 property

bond needed to get Mr. Gajdusek released.

The defense fund is receiving thousands of dollars a day, said Mr. Brown, a scientist at the NIH in Bethesda.

"It is a privilege to repay Carleton for everything he has done for me in the past 30 years," he said. "To have one of the 20th century's geniuses as your boss, you can't understand what that means."

Family members, including three of the more than 50 children Mr. Gajdusek has taken into his home over the years, gathered at the Brown home Monday.

The three, who said they lived with the scientist in the late 1960s, are all in their 40s. They met earlier in the day with Mark Hulkower, Mr. Gajdusek's Washington lawyer.

During a 90-minute interview at the Brown home, the three men repeatedly expressed "shock and disbelief" that Mr. Gajdusek had been arrested and charged with a sex offense by one of their quasi-adoptive brothers.

They said they were not sexually abused while living with the scientist.

"I came here because I believe in the man," said Jesse Raglmar-Subolmar, 45, as his 4-year-old son played nearby.

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 [redacted] telephone number [redacted] was interviewed
 at her place of employment, the NINDS Laboratory located in
 Building 376, Ft. Detrick, Maryland. Also present during this
 interview was Special Agent [redacted] U.S. Department of
 Health and Human Services OIG. After being advised of the
 identity of the interviewing Agents and the nature of the
 inquiry, [redacted] advised as follows:

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Since [redacted] has been employed at the
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[redacted] She also informed the
 interviewing Agents that any document that was not typed on
 letterhead was referred to as a "manuscript". Manuscripts were
 not limited to documents for subsequent publication. [redacted] did
 not know what documents, other than GAJDUSEK's journal, were
 intended for publication.

[redacted] explained that GAJDUSEK dictates his journal into
 a tape recorder. The tape is then sent to Medical Dictation
 Services, Inc.. The journal is then typed and the draft and tape
 are returned to GAJDUSEK. [redacted] has not typed any of GAJDUSEK's
 current journal, nor has she edited any of it. [redacted]

[redacted] discussed GAJDUSEK's frequent travel. She stated
 that almost all of the time GAJDUSEK's hosts will pay his travel
 expenses. Normally, his tickets are mailed to him. Occasionally,
 [redacted] will obtain the tickets. At other times, [redacted] from
 [redacted] will handle his travel arrangements. [redacted]
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is aware that GAJDUSEK's Cousin's children would occasionally stay with GAJDUSEK. She was also aware that GAJDUSEK would send his children to stay with a friend of his,

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At approximately 7:10 a.m., a search warrant was executed at Building 376, Room 130, Frederick Cancer Research and Development Center, Fort Detrick, Maryland. Entry to the building was made with the assistance of [redacted] and Department of Defense (DOD) Police Officer [redacted].

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The persons involved in the search of Dr. DANIEL GAJDUSEK's office and the adjoining secretary's area included Special Agents [redacted] and Health and Human Services Special Agents [redacted].

SA [redacted] photographed the location and maintained an evidence recovery log. SA [redacted] sketched the location.

[redacted] DOD Police Officer [redacted] and [redacted] maintained security during the search.

The search concluded at approximately 1:21 p.m. A copy of the search warrant and inventory of the items taken were left on Dr. GAJDUSEK'S desk.

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On April 4, 1996, [redacted] subsequent to the surveillance and arrest of Dr. CARLTON DANIEL GAJDUSEK at GAJDUSEK's residence of 4316 Deer Spring Road, Middletown, Maryland. [redacted] was then interviewed by the underwritten, after being advised of the identity of the interviewing agents and the purpose of the interview.

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[redacted] white male. date of birth [redacted] social security number [redacted] residence [redacted] home telephone number [redacted] employment [redacted] work telephone number [redacted] advised that he has been employed here since [redacted]

[redacted] travelled to Dulles Airport, Virginia, to advise Dr. GAJDUSEK of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI's) search of his (Dr. GAJDUSEK's) office at NIH on Fort Detrick in Frederick, Maryland, on April 4, 1996. [redacted] told Dr. GAJDUSEK that computers were taken out of his office along with Dr. GAJDUSEK's latest journals. [redacted] was notified of the FBI search by [redacted] telephonically contacted [redacted] from Fort Detrick. [redacted] advised that he assumes that [redacted] called from Fort Detrick. [redacted] then contacted [redacted] of NIH, Bethesda, Maryland, to advise him of Dr. GAJDUSEK's problems.

The only problem that [redacted] knew that Dr. GAJDUSEK was having regarding improprieties was the problem of the improper spending of institute funds. [redacted] thought that the improper spending of funds included voucher infractions. [redacted] advised that he did know that the Inspector General's Office of the NIH was investigating these infractions.

[redacted] advised that he has known Dr. GAJDUSEK for approximately [redacted] years. [redacted]

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Prince George's County, MD
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Title: PROSECUTOR: NOBEL WINNER USED NIH TO BRING KIDS TO U.S.

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Prosecutor: Nobel winner used NIH

BETHESDA (AP) — A Nobel laureate charged with child sexual abuse used his powerful position at the National Institutes of Health to bring children back from the South Pacific, a prosecutor said Friday.

Dr. Daniel Carleton Gajdusek, who brought dozens of island children to Maryland over the past 30 years, used NIH letterhead stationery in correspondence regarding immigration of some of the children, Frederick County State's Attorney Scott Rolle said.

"He used NIH letterhead to do some of it," Rolle said.

John O'Malley, acting deputy district director in the Immigration and Naturalization Service's Baltimore office, said immigration files for some of the children contained letters written on NIH stationery. He said he didn't know the specific nature of the letters or who wrote them.

Gajdusek, 72, who is on paid leave from his job as chief of the

NIH Laboratory for Central Nervous System Studies, is charged in Frederick County with child sexual abuse and perverted practice for allegedly molesting a 15-year-old boy he brought back from Micronesia in 1987 to live in his Middletown home.

The FBI contends Gajdusek brought home 56 children from Micronesia, New Guinea and other South Pacific islands. Gajdusek's lawyer, Mark Hulkower, puts the number at 50.

Hulkower declined to comment on immigration documents.

Investigators are trying to learn how Gajdusek ferried the children into the country, and whether he violated U.S. laws barring importation of people for "immoral" purposes.

Rolle said it appeared Gajdusek "went to great lengths" to file all the required immigration documents, including student visas.

The (Baltimore) Sun reported on Friday that Gajdusek wrote letters of transit for several children on NIH stationery and presented the papers as travel documents to U.S. immigration officials.

Gajdusek also listed his name, NIH and its Bethesda address on immigration forms regarding the children's care during their stay in the United States, the Sun reported, citing unidentified law enforcement sources.

FBI and NIH spokesmen declined comment on the report.

Investigators have found no evidence that NIH officials knew Gajdusek was using his ties to the institution to bring children to his homes in Montgomery and Frederick counties.

NIH spokesman Donald M. Ralbovsky would not say whether the institution ever questioned Gajdusek about the children or the sexually suggestive passages in his journals, which were published by the NIH.

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The criminal case against Gajdusek stemmed from those writings, which concerned colleagues turned over to the inspector general for the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, which oversees NIH. The information was then turned over to the FBI.

Gajdusek, winner of the 1976 Nobel Prize in medicine, sometimes said he had adopted the children but investigators have found no evidence of formal adoptions.

Gajdusek's accuser, now a 23-year-old college student, told FBI agents the doctor molested him numerous times at his Middletown home. The FBI said Gajdusek admitted molesting other children in a taped conversation with his accuser.

Gajdusek, who is free on \$350,000 bond, has denied any wrongdoing, claiming he brought the children to the United States to give them an education.

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The Sun, Baltimore, MD
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Title: 2ND BOY ALLEGES ABUSE BY NOBEL WINNER

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2nd boy alleges abuse by Nobel winner

Youth was living with Gajdusek when scientist was arrested

By JOHN RIVERA
SUN STAFF

A second youth has come forward with accusations of being sexually abused by a Nobel laureate who was charged this month with abusing another boy, the Frederick County prosecutor said yesterday.

Dr. Daniel Carleton Gajdusek, 72, an internationally renowned National Institutes of Health scientist, faces four counts of sexual child abuse in the alleged assault of a boy, then 15, whom he had brought from Micronesia in 1987 to live with him at his Middletown residence.

Since Dr. Gajdusek's April 4 arrest, authorities have been trying to find and interview the children, at least 56 of them, whom the scientist has brought to the United States from Micronesia and New Guinea.

It was during his research in the South Pacific in the

1960s and 1970s that he discovered a deadly virus spread by cannibalism that won him a share of the 1976 Nobel prize.

Frederick County State's Attorney Scott L. Rolle said yesterday that a second boy, a minor, also has alleged sexual assault.

"He was living at the house at the time of Dr. Gajdusek's arrest, and the ac-

count is very similar," Mr. Rolle said.

The prosecutor said he thinks the second youth is also from Micronesia. He was one of four minors living in Dr. Gajdusek's house when the scientist was arrested. They were removed from the home and placed in foster care.

No additional charges of child sexual abuse have been

filed against Dr. Gajdusek, Mr. Rolle said.

"We aren't going to do any more charging until the investigation is over," he said, estimating that it will be completed in about 30 days. At that point, the entire case against Dr. Gajdusek probably will be presented to the county's grand jury, he said. "That's probably how we'll go, be- [See NIH, 7B]

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2nd youth alleges abuse by NIH worker

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cause the grand jury can put everything in a neat package," Mr. Rolle said.

Dr. Gajdusek is widely known in scientific circles for his work in neurology and for his research with children. Over the past 30 years, he apparently used his ties to the NIH to sponsor the children he brought into the United States by writing letters of transit on NIH letterhead, according to law enforcement officials.

He was arrested upon his return to the United States from a European trip after the first youth, now a 23-year-old college student, told the FBI of the alleged abuse between 1987 and 1991. The young man secretly recorded a telephone conversation in March in which Dr. Gajdusek admitted having sex with other boys, according to an FBI affidavit.

Dr. Gajdusek was released from custody on a \$350,000 bond two days after his arrest. He could face 50 years in prison if convicted on the four felony counts filed against him.

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On 4/19/96, the following investigation was conducted
by SA [redacted] at Calverton, Maryland:

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[redacted]
[redacted] telephone [redacted] advised that she has
known Dr. Daniel Carleton Gajdusek since [redacted]

[redacted] advised that she is surprised at the allegations that
Dr. Gajdusek has sexually molested children and she did not think
it was consistent with what she knows and has seen of Dr.
Gajdusek. [redacted] stated that she has been to Dr. Gajdusek's
Middletown residence twice and his Prospect Hill residence once.
Dr. Gajdusek has sent some of his journals [redacted]
[redacted] and that the last time she had contact with Dr.
Gajdusek was approximately six weeks ago when he sent her a
reprint of an article written in Polish.

[redacted] advised that she had talked to many people
about Dr. Gajdusek [redacted]
[redacted] starting out with older people in fear that they may
not be living if she waited to interview them later, such as
[redacted] and Linus Pauling [redacted] did not spend
much time talking with the children because they were often very
busy with school and other activities, except for [redacted]
[redacted] advised that Dr. Gajdusek was very protective of the
children and tried to hide them from publicity.

[redacted] stated that it seems as if everyone in the
pediatric profession has heard of Dr. Gajdusek and has a story to
tell about him, for example how he would make outlandish comments
when giving lectures.

[redacted] advised she has been contacted by the press,
specifically [redacted] on
Dr. Gajdusek regarding the investigation with a copy of the
charging document.

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THE **FREDERICK NEWS-POST**
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Noble mission for Nobel winner

Around 25 or so years ago every Sunday, my father and I would leave early for church, and venture into Chevy Chase (from Bethesda) to pick up a young boy for Sunday School. The boy was very dark skinned and spoke with a strong accent. I remember many a time having to wait for him to get ready as invariably he just woke up. He wasn't used to alarm clocks. In fact keeping time in general was a new concept for him.

You see, he was one of the many children that Dr. Daniel Gajdusek had brought back from overseas and time was of little consequence.

Dr. Gajdusek had a very noble mission in mind. While overseas he sought out the brightest of the local tribes' young men. Not for the reason that could be insinuated by the recent articles and allegations, but to bring them back to the states for an education. An

education that Dr. Gajdusek had hoped would empower the young men with new skills to return to their native country and tribe and to help better their fellow man.

I find it difficult to believe that an "abuser" would go through the trouble (and expense) of educating his victims, let alone trying to meet their physical needs — via a medical practitioner and their spiritual needs through churches.

With whatever the truth unveils about Dr. Gajdusek, I hope it is tempered with compassion for the good he has tried to return to the world.

BRADLEY J. ZELLMER
Frederick

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April 16, 1996

Via Telecopy

Scott L. Rolle, Esquire
Office of the State's Attorney
for Frederick County, Maryland
100 West Patrick Street
Frederick, Maryland 21701

Re: State v. Carleton Gajdusek

Dear Scott:

Pursuant to our discussions, I have prepared a list of seized documents essential to Dr. Gajdusek's personal finances and professional activities which we would ask to be returned at the earliest possible time. Dr. Gajdusek is continuing his scientific research while on bond in an effort to address a number of serious medical issues including, as I mentioned in the bond hearing, the "Mad Cow" problem. I believe that in reviewing the list you will agree that these documents possess no potential evidentiary value and hope that you would consent to their prompt return. The numbers utilized herein are based on the FBI inventory provided with the searches.

Office Search

1. A-2. The bibliographies seized relate to public studies on various topics. Dr. Gajdusek would like these returned to enable him to continue his scientific and academic endeavors.

Scott L. Rolle, Esquire
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2. B-2. This file probably contains income tax related documents and papers.

3. B-3. This file may also contain tax papers.

4. B-9. We need one copy of the lease in the event that questions arise concerning his residence.

5. B-10. This file contains tax and health insurance information.

6. B-21. This file contains American Express receipts needed for financial matters.

Additionally, although we are unable to determine from the inventory where these documents are, we need to obtain the return of the following:

1. All personal income tax information.
2. All federal credit union account documents.
3. All certificates of deposit and the folders that accompany those accounts.
4. All Cambridge Trust Company checking accounts for 1994 and 1995.
5. All certificates of deposit.

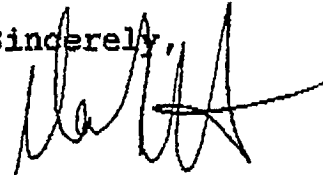
As to the remaining documents, please let us know whether we should contact you or Special Agent [redacted] to set up a convenient time for Dr. Gajdusek and me to review and, if necessary, copy the seized documents.

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Scott L. Rolle, Esquire
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As always, thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,



Mark J. Hulkower

cc: Special Agent (via telecopy)

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BY TELECOPY

Special Agent
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Suite 200
Calverton, MD 20705

Re: State v. Gajdusek

Dear Special Agent

Thank you for taking the time to speak with me today.

I am writing to confirm that Dr. Gajdusek, myself and an assistant will be at your office this Friday, May 3, at 9:30 a.m. to review the documents seized from Dr. Gajdusek's office and residence in the searches preceding his arrest. As I have mentioned, in some instances we will ask for the return of original documents, where they are necessary for ongoing business activities, such as tax work papers and the like. In other instances, where documents have no evidentiary value, such as Dr. Gajdusek's future speaking schedule, we will ask for their return so that arrangements may be made to cancel these events. Finally, in dealing with documents that you deem of evidentiary value, we will, where necessary, seek to obtain copies. As discussed in our earlier conversation, if the volume of copies we require is substantial, we will work with you to obtain the services of a commercial copy center for that purpose.

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Special Agent [redacted]
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Thank you again for your consideration in this matter.
I look forward to meeting with you Friday.

Sincerely,



Mark J. Hulkower

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date of transcription 3/22/96

[redacted] date of birth [redacted]
[redacted] telephone [redacted]
[redacted] was advised of the identities of the interviewing agents and the nature of the interview. [redacted] thereafter provided the following information:

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[redacted] met Dr. Carleton Gajdusek in [redacted] in 1968 when she was introduced to him through a friend. [redacted] was living in [redacted] at the time, and in 1969 moved to the United States. [redacted] kept in contact with Dr. Gajdusek and would sometimes spend the weekend at his house. [redacted] stated that Joe Wegstein, a friend of Dr. Gajdusek whom she heard worked for the FBI, lived at the house with Dr. Gajdusek and the children. [redacted] advised that Wegstein died approximately ten years ago from Alzheimer's disease.

[redacted] and spent less time travelling to Maryland to see Dr. Gajdusek. Dr. Gajdusek sometimes brought the children [redacted] About four years ago, [redacted] asked [redacted] if he

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[redacted] stated that [redacted] is doing well in school [redacted] asked [redacted] date of birth [redacted]

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by SA [redacted] Det [redacted] Date dictated 3/22/96

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Approximately three years ago, Dr. Gajdusek told [redacted] that he was divorced from a Chinese woman. [redacted] does not believe they were ever formerly married, but that it was a common law marriage. [redacted] heard that Dr. Gajdusek and the Chinese woman had a son who died, but did not know any of the details of the child's death, and was never told by Dr. Gajdusek that he had a son.

[redacted] had no knowledge of Dr. Gajdusek sexually molesting any of the children.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date of transcription 5/15/96

On May 13, 1996, SA [redacted] served a copy of the attached Summons for Records in Aid of Information signed by Scott L. Rolle, State's Attorney for Frederick County, Maryland on [redacted] [redacted] telephone [redacted] Present during the serving of the summons were [redacted] and SA [redacted] Inspector's General Office, Health and Human Service.

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SUMMONS FOR RECORDS IN AID OF INFORMATION

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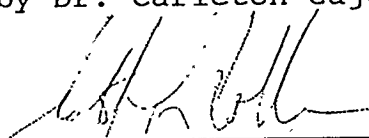
The State's Attorney for Frederick County, Maryland, pursuant to an official criminal investigation, in accordance with Article 10, Section 39A of the Annotated Code of Maryland, requests:



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to produce to Special Agent  of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, the following for inspection and provide necessary copies of the following:

any and all journals, diaries, or writings whatsoever in his possession, written, typed, dictated or otherwise prepared in any way by Dr. Carleton Gajdusek.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'Scott L. Rolle'.

SCOTT L. ROLLE
STATE'S ATTORNEY FOR
FREDERICK COUNTY, MARYLAND

A WITNESS HAS THE RIGHT TO HAVE COUNSEL PRESENT DURING ANY CONTACT WITH THE STATE'S ATTORNEY'S OFFICE OR HIS AGENT, WHEN RESPONDING TO THIS SUMMONS, IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 10, SECTION 39A.

STATE OF MARYLAND, FREDERICK COUNTY, TO WIT:

On this 9th day of May, 1996, before me the subscriber, a Notary Public in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared Scott L. Rolle, State's Attorney for Frederick County, Maryland, known to me to be the individual described herein, and who executed the foregoing instrument and he acknowledged that he executed same as his act and deed.

WITNESS my hand and Notarial Seal on the day, month and year first above written.

Terence R. Kone
NOTARY PUBLIC

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES: 6/1/97

PLEASE DO NOT DISCLOSE THE ISSUANCE OF THIS SUMMONS FOR A PERIOD OF NINETY (90) DAYS.

CERTIFICATION

"Pursuant to an official criminal investigation being conducted, it is requested that [redacted]

[redacted] produce to Special Agent [redacted]

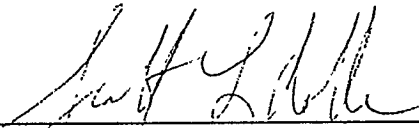
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YOU ARE NOT TO DISCLOSE THE EXISTENCE OF THIS REQUEST FOR A PERIOD OF NINETY (90) DAYS FROM THE DATE OF THIS REQUEST. ANY SUCH DISCLOSURE COULD IMPEDE THE INVESTIGATION BEING CONDUCTED AND THEREBY INTERFERE WITH THE ENFORCEMENT OF LAW.




SCOTT L. ROLLE
STATE'S ATTORNEY FOR
FREDERICK COUNTY, MARYLAND

STATE OF MARYLAND, FREDERICK COUNTY, TO WIT:

On this 9th day of May, 1996, before me the subscriber, a Notary Public in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared Scott L. Rolle, State's Attorney for Frederick County, Maryland, known to me to be the individual described herein, and who executed the foregoing instrument and he acknowledged that he executed same as his act and deed.

WITNESS my hand and Notarial Seal on the day, month and year first above written.



NOTARY PUBLIC
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES: 6/1/97

(06/01/1995)

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Precedence: ROUTINE

Date: 05/13/1996

To: Baltimore

From: Baltimore

Squad 19 - MMOC

Contact: SA [redacted] 301-586-4629

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Approved By: [redacted]

Drafted By: *JNA* [redacted] mcs

Case ID #: 145C-BA-80998-E1281-65 (Pending)

Title: INNOCENT IMAGES
MAJOR CASE 110;
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Synopsis: Late submission of evidence.

Details: This evidence is being submitted late due to the urgency to perform a preliminary review, in as much as the case involved ongoing child sexual abuse. Also the Mackintosh computer was taken immediately to the FBIHQ laboratory for a forensic examination, which is very time consuming and was needed as soon as possible.

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On 2/8/96, [redacted] provided the following
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Source furnished SA [redacted] with the attached copy of
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Nobel Winner Remains Free on Bail in Abuse Case

Daniel Carleton Gajdusek, the Nobel Prize-winning scientist charged last month with sexually abusing a teenager he had brought from Micronesia to live with him in Maryland, was allowed to remain free on bond yesterday after being served with an indictment in Frederick County Circuit Court.

Frederick County State's Attorney Scott L. Rolle asked for no increase in Gajdusek's \$350,000 bond. Rolle noted that Gajdusek, a National Institutes of Health scientist, has met the conditions of his bond, including

weekly visits with a probation officer.

But Rolle asked Circuit Court Judge G. Edward Dwyer to restrict Gajdusek from unsupervised contact with minors as a special condition of his release. Gajdusek accepted the condition through his Washington attorney, Mark J. Hulkower, who said he assumed that such a restriction had been in effect since a bail hearing last month in District Court.

Dwyer postponed the formal transfer of the case from District to Circuit Court until Gajdusek could transfer the property and \$100,000

cash that secures his bond. Hulkower said the friend who had posted the property covering much of the bail was in Europe on a lecture tour. Dwyer set another hearing for May 16, but he said it will be canceled if bond is posted in Circuit Court before then.

The hearing triggered rules that call for a trial date within six months unless the deadline is waived. Rolle said the investigation continues into Gajdusek's activities with the more than 50 children, mostly boys, he brought to the United States from the South Pacific over the years.

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The following observations were noted and recorded during a surveillance initiated at Dulles Airport, Virginia, located near the Intersection of Route 267 and Route 28. Participating in the surveillance were the below listed Special Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation and Immigration and Naturalization Service and Montgomery County Police.

<u>Time</u>	<u>Observation</u>
1:40 p.m.	Surveillance initiated at Dulles Airport
2:35 p.m.	Dr. DANIEL CARLTON GAJDUSEK is being processed through customs at Dulles International Airport. GAJDUSEK is dressed in a grey sport coat and khaki colored pants and wearing eyeglasses.
3:00 p.m.	Dr. GAJDUSEK stands in line at the Hertz Rent-A-Car counter inside of Dulles International Airport.
3:07 p.m.	Dr. GAJDUSEK still standing at the Hertz Rent-A-Car counter.
3:13 p.m.	Dr. GAJDUSEK departs the Hertz Rent-A-Car counter inside the airport.
3:15 p.m.	Dr. GAJDUSEK enters the Hertz Rent-A-Car bus at section 2E. The Hertz bus bears Virginia registration, E16-008.

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3:20 p.m. Hertz bus arrives at the Hertz Rent-A-Car complex off the service drive in the vicinity of Dulles International Airport.

3:23 p.m. Dr. GAJDUSEK exits the bus and enters a maroon car, possibly a Ford Taurus, bearing Virginia tag, ZPR-8217. A white male, age late 50s-early 60s, wearing navy blue jogging suit with teal green sleeves and navy blue sweatpants, meets GAJDUSEK at the maroon car. This individual will be designated as unsub. Dr. GAJDUSEK is still wearing aforementioned attire and carrying one bag. The unsub, who is further described as balding and grey hair, met Dr. GAJDUSEK as he (Dr. GAJDUSEK) exited the bus.

3:30 p.m. Unsub and Dr. GAJDUSEK are inside of the maroon car in the Hertz complex parking lot. Dr. GAJDUSEK is in the driver's side and unsub is in the passenger side.

3:38 p.m. Unsub exits maroon car, walks around to the driver's side of said car. Dr. GAJDUSEK also exits car.

3:39 p.m. Dr. GAJDUSEK and unsub walk away from the vehicle and enter the Hertz complex building.

3:45 p.m. Surveillance team is advised that the actual car that is

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being rented by Dr. GAJDUSEK is a maroon Buick Regal, bearing Virginia license plate, ZPP-8217.

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Dr. GAJDUSEK exits the building and walks back to said car and enters car.

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Dr. GAJDUSEK departs the Hertz Rent-A-Car complex in said Buick Regal. Unsub also departs Hertz parking lot and follows maroon Buick Regal and is driving a black sports car, bearing Maryland registration, CPZ-868. A query into the MVA regarding said black sports car, bearing Maryland registration CPZ-868, indicates registrant to said black sports car is [redacted]

[redacted] residence [redacted] is further described as a white male, date of birth [redacted] 5'8", 155 lbs. Maryland CPZ-868 is the registration of a 1986 Porsche.

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3:56 p.m.

Both Dr. GAJDUSEK (driving maroon Buick Regal) and unsub (driving black Porsche) depart the vicinity of Dulles Airport and enter Dulles Greenway.

4:12 p.m.

The maroon Buick Regal with the black Porsche following exits Dulles Greenway and enters onto Route 15 North to Frederick.

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4:23 p.m. Both vehicles pull off at the Citgo Mart at the intersection of Route 15 and Glenrose Terrace in Lucketts, Virginia. Both individuals, Dr. GAJDUSEK and unsub, exit their respective cars and enter the Citgo Mart.

4:29 p.m. Dr. GAJDUSEK and unsub exit Citgo Mart and enter their respective vehicles.

4:30 p.m. Both vehicles resume travelling on Route 15 North, with the black Porsche still following the maroon Buick Regal.

4:37 p.m. Said maroon Buick Regal and black Porsche cross over into Maryland at Point of Rocks, Maryland, still travelling north on Route 15.

4:57 p.m. Dr. GAJDUSEK (driving maroon Buick Regal) and unsub (driving black Porsche) arrive at Dr. GAJDUSEK's residence at 4316 Deer Spring Road, Middletown, Maryland, where Dr. GAJDUSEK is subsequently arrested and unsub is temporarily detained. It is later determined that unsub is

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The following personnel were present at arrest:

INS Special Agent [redacted]

Police Officer [redacted] MCPD

SA [redacted]
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On 5/8/96, [redacted] provided the following information
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[redacted] when Gajdusek was traveling to New Guinea in the
1960's and the 1970's. Source advised that [redacted]
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Source stated that [redacted]
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advised source approximately two years ago that he was in
possession of [redacted]
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Source advised that [redacted] (name
unrecalled) came into the lab several years ago and had a huge
argument with [redacted] Source stated that [redacted]
name may be on the [redacted]

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[redacted] date of birth [redacted]
residing at [redacted]
[redacted] telephone [redacted] was advised of the identities of
the interviewing agents and the nature of the interview. [redacted]
thereafter provided the following information:

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[redacted] met Dr. Gajdusek in [redacted]
[redacted] at the Laboratory of Central
Nervous System Studies (LCNSS), National Institutes of Health,
Bethesda, Maryland. [redacted]
[redacted]

[redacted] advised that she does not recall any
improprieties in Dr. Gajdusek's journals regarding sexual
references to children. [redacted] stated she viewed four of Dr.
Gajdusek's research films one day in the lab. [redacted] recalled
one film of a hospital in Korea and another film of chimpanzees,
but did not recall the content of the other two films.

[redacted] advised that she met several of Dr. Gajdusek's
adopted children. Sometimes Dr. Gajdusek would bring his adopted
children to the lab to do clerical jobs. [redacted]

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[redacted]

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[redacted]

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by SA [redacted] SA [redacted] Date dictated 5/23/96

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On 5/23/96, [redacted] NINDS, Building 376, Frederick Cancer Research Facility, Frederick, Maryland, telephone [redacted] faxed the attached letter requesting the return of the computer seized during the search of Dr. Gajdusek's office on 4/4/96.

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On 5/23/96, the aforementioned computer along with the mouse, keyboard, power cable and five diskettes which were seized on 4/4/96 were federal expressed to [redacted] with a receipt of property enclosed.

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by SA [redacted] Date dictated 5/23/96

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

Public Health Service
National Institutes of Health

National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke
Laboratory of Central Nervous System Studies

Date: 23 May 1996

To: [Redacted]

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Number of Pages, including cover sheet: 2

From: [Redacted]

NINDS, Building 376
Frederick Cancer Research Facility
Frederick, Maryland 21702
Telephone: (301) 846-1186
Fax: (301) 846-1569



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[Redacted]

FBI
FAX 301-586-4666

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Dear [Redacted]

This is to verify that I spoke with you today regarding the return of my computer that was seized on April 4, 1996. As this is government property, we expect it to be returned to us by mail, as it is too far for us to travel to Calverton to pick up a computer that we did not take there. I am expecting this by Federal Express, as you have stated. Thank you very much for your time and cooperation.

Sincerely,

[Redacted Signature]



DISTRICT COURT OF MARYLAND FOR FREDERICK COUNTY
100 WEST PATRICK ST (C)
FREDERICK MD 21701-5548

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TO:
SPECIAL AGENT - FBI
11700 BELTSVILLE DR., SUITE 200
CALVERTON MD 20705

STATE OF MARYLAND VS. GAJDUSEK, DANIEL CARLETON

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IN ACCORDANCE WITH MARYLAND RULE 4-247, YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT ON MAY 28, 1996, THE STATE'S ATTORNEY ENTERED A NOLLE PROSEQUI IN THE ABOVE CASE. THAT IS, THE STATE'S ATTORNEY HAS DETERMINED THAT THE CASE WILL NOT BE PROSECUTED.

BY: PATRICIA HORNING
(CLERK)

DATE: 05/28/96

FOR QUESTIONS CONCERNING THIS DOCUMENT TELEPHONE (301) 694-2000.

HEARING/SPEECH IMPAIRED CALLERS ONLY, TELEPHONE TTY/TT 1-800-925-9690 OR (301) 694-2000 (VOICE) THRU MARYLAND RELAY SERVICE AT 1-800-735-2285.

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Child abuse trial set

FREDERICK — A Nobel Prize-winning scientist will stand trial on child sex abuse charges the week of Oct. 7, Frederick County State's Attorney Scott Rolle said yesterday.

Daniel Carleton Gajdusek, 72, was charged in April with molesting a 15-year-old boy he brought back from a research trip to the South Pacific island nation of Micronesia in 1987.

Gajdusek, winner of the 1976 Nobel Prize for medicine, is on leave from his job as chief of the Laboratory of Central Nervous Systems at the National Institutes of Health in Bethesda.

He brought at least 50 children from the South Pacific to come and live with him in Maryland beginning in the 1960s. Gajdusek contends he brought the children to this country to educate them.

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To: SAC, Baltimore

Date: May 20, 1996

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Lab No. 60416001 D BV

Reference: Communication dated April 8th, 1996.

Your No.

Re: INNOCENT IMAGES
MAJOR CASE 110;
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OO: BALTIMORE

Specimens received: April 16, 1996: Q958
May 14, 1996: Q960 - Q964

Specimens:

Q958 One (1) Macintosh SE/30 computer, S/N F9405AUK02.

Q960 - Q964 Five (5) 3.5" floppy diskettes.

ALSO SUBMITTED:

One Apple Desktop Bus Mouse, S/N MB22839AC25.
One Apple Extended Keyboard S/N 694372.
One Power Cable.

Result of Examination:

Q958, Q960 - Q964 were examined using resources currently available to the FBI Laboratory.

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A Micronet Utilities "mirror image" of the Macintosh SE/30 computer was produced and copied to side "A" of a Pinnacle Micro 5.25" Optical Cartridge and labeled "60416001 D BV Q958 mirror image".

Directory listings of Q958 and Q960 - Q964 were also produced.

Deleted files from Q958, Q960, and Q962 - Q964 were recovered. A logical file copy of all files from Q958, Q960-Q964, and the recovered files were copied to side "B" of the Pinnacle Micro 5.25" optical cartridge and labeled "60416001 D BV, Logical and Recovered Files".

Q958 and Q960 - Q964 were reviewed in the FBI Laboratory on May 14th and May 20th, 1996 in the presence of SA [redacted] [redacted] FBI, Baltimore Field Office. Hardcopy printouts of files from Q958, Q960-Q964 were produced.

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Q958, Q960 - Q964, directory listings, hardcopy printouts, the optical cartridge copy, and the "ALSO SUBMITTED" items have been hand delivered to SA [redacted] on May 20th, 1996.

No duplicate diskcopies or printouts have been retained by the FBI Laboratory.

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On 5/21/96, [redacted] provided the following information to SA [redacted]

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[redacted] there was an individual who despised GAJDUSEK and advised [redacted] that GAJDUSEK was a homosexual. [redacted] told source that it did not matter [redacted] that GAJDUSEK was a homosexual. Source stated that GAJDUSEK is a homosexual pedophile, to which [redacted] agreed and advised source that [redacted] to stay away from GAJDUSEK.

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Source advised that [redacted] at [redacted] an associate of GAJDUSEK.

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From: Baltimore

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Contact: SA [redacted] ext. 4679

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Approved By: [redacted]

Drafted By: [redacted]

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Title: INNOCENT IMAGES
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Synopsis: Synopsis of Gajdusek's journals.

Details: This document is the result of reading the following journals, received by Special Agent [redacted] from [redacted] on May 15, 1996:

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- 1) A Year in the Middle East: Expeditions in Iran and Afghanistan; Travels in Europe and North Africa 2/4/54-12/22/54
- 2) New Guinea Journal 6/10/59- 8/15/59
- 3) Paraguayan Indian Expeditions to the Guyaki and Chaco Indians 8/25/63- 9/28/63
- 4) Colombian Expeditions to the Noanama Indians of the Rio Siguirisua and the Cofan and Igano Indians of the Putmayo 8/22/70- 9/14/70
- 5) Melanesian and Micronesian Journal--Return Expeditions to the New Hebrides Caroline Islands and New Guinea 1/1/65- 12/31/65
- 6) Journal of an Expedition to the Western Caroline Islands and to Papua New Guinea 2/26/71- 6/17/71
- 7) Micronesian, Indonesian and Melanesian Journal--A Pediatric and Neurological Study Expedition to the

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Western Caroline Islands, Melanesia, Sumatra, Java,
West New Guinea and Papua New Guinea 1/26/74- 7/8/74

8) Melanesian, Indonesian and Malaysian Expedition--
Pediatric, Neuroepidemiological, Endocrinological, and
Microbiological Studies on Congenital Reduction
Deformities in the New Hebrides; Pseudohypertrophic
Muscular Dystrophy (Duchenne) in West New Britain, Kuru
in the Eastern Highlands, and Male
Pseudohermaphroditism among the Anga in Papua New
Guinea; Muscular Dystrophy in the Sentani Lake
Population, ALS/PD Complex among the Lowland Auyu and
Jakai, and Goiter among the Highland Eipomek and
Cysticercosis with Epidemic Epilepsy and Burns in the
Ekari Population of Wissel Lakes of West New Guinea;
and Viliuisk Encephalitis in Iakut of Siberia and
travels in Fiji, Solomon Islands, Sailawese, Bali,
Java, Singapore, Malaysia, the Soviet Union, Germany,
Switzerland and France 11/16/75- 5/11/76

9) Western Pacific Journal 1/4/78- 8/14/78

10) Journal of a Year of Travels and Medical
Investigations in the U.S., India, Australia, Japan,
Papua New Guinea, West New Guinea, France, Columbia,
Sweden; and Journeys to Switzerland and France With My
New Guinean Son, Sena; and Across the U.S. with ten
Mikes and Moros 1/1/82- 12/31/82

11) Journal of a Year on Five Continents 1/1/84-
12/31/84

12) Journal of a Year of Continuing Pursuit of Foci of
Chronic, Degenerative, Neurological Disorders in Mexico
and Jamaica; and a Return to the Kuru Region and
Travels in Papua New Guinea and West New Guinea and the
Far East 1/1/85- 12/3/85

13) Ex Antitheseos Armonia: To Regain Equanimity after
Survival from Nobility 1/1/86- 12/31/86

14) DECA-LOG A Journal of Ten Departures from and
Returns to Prospect Hill 1/1/87- 12/31/87

15) DUODECA-LOG A Journal of Twelve Departures from and
Returns to Prospect Hill 1/1/88- 12/31/88

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- 16) The Decline and Fall of Prospect Hill: The End of a Decade of Manorial Living 1/1/89- 12/31/89
- 17) A Year of Reintrenchment in a Wonderland of Infectious Amyloids 1/1/90- 12/31/90
- 18) Except for Happiness at Rainbow's End Journal 1/1/91- 12/31/91
- 19) Journal 1993 1/1/93- 12/31/93
- 20) Studies in Two Hemispheres from Tropics to Arctic Journal 1/1/92- 12/31/92
- 21) Blue Binder- Regaining Equanimity 1/1/96- 12/31/96 (proposed) to 1/29/96

The above journals were reviewed by myself, [redacted] [redacted] during the period of May 29, 1996 to July 22, 1996.

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Upon reading each of these journals, written by Daniel Carleton Gadjusek, I have observed and made note of any behavior and/or written observations included in said journals that might be construed as pederastic and/or abusive in nature.

Throughout many of the journals, Gadjusek has repeatedly stated his need, or desire, to be surrounded primarily by pre-adolescent and adolescent males. He seems to have achieved this goal through his enthusiastic "adoption" methods. In February of 1988, Gadjusek states, "I consider myself to be enormously fortunate to be away from the company of adults, and only with very young adults and adolescents" (February 1988, pg 69). In order to maintain a somewhat tighter reign on his household, Gadjusek opines that it is necessary to rid the house of late adolescents for "They are too self-centered, too compromised from their own point of view by their role in any household family situation or institution to take part pleasantly in maintaining appropriate order and organization." and "The coercion of little kids involves very little resentment." (December 1991, pg 681). Gadjusek has, at various times, analogized himself to the Pied Piper and thus, he believes himself to be leading children rather than rats--"As a fat, aging and inept man, past my youth and my prime, I can still find no difficulties with my Pied Piper tunes, the sincerest notes in my repertoire!" (June 1959, pg 4).

In addition to the manipulation of his family life, Gadjusek has repeatedly demonstrated both sympathy and understanding for

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individuals like [redacted] and Michael Jackson--three men that have all been accused of child molestation. On pages 179, 180, and 210 of the 1993 Journal, Gadjusek mentions both [redacted] and their respective legal troubles. On page 623 of the same journal, Gadjusek refers to the charges against [redacted] as "self-righteous" and "Puritanical" and further states, on page 180, that "Whether the charges are true or otherwise, it makes no difference, since in thousands of cases where similar relations have occurred the kids and adolescents as young adults have never complained of any moment of the relationship, and clearly felt that they had gained a great deal from the association and the experience".

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Beyond sympathizing with those public figures accused of child molestation, Gadjusek identifies further with [redacted]. In respect to [redacted] Gadjusek describes him as "rather coy and Victorian dealing with his own homosexuality and pedophilia" and "as a man whom I admire greatly" (1988, pg 133). While discussing [redacted] Gadjusek describes the novel as "blatantly pederastic, blatantly homosexual, bi-sexual, blatantly violent, and yet highly moral" (July 1991, pg 348).

Perhaps the most often occurring, and therefore noteworthy, behavior that is displayed by Gadjusek within his journals is his perpetual fascination with children and all aspects of their lives. In the course of describing various children, Gadjusek is constantly applying adjectives such as "erotic", "seductive", and "sensual" to both the children and their behavior. On page 332 of the 1988 Journal, Gadjusek says this of an Anutan child, "This always naked elf of a seductive young boy...was, beyond all the others, the child with whom I was most enchanted, the child who has most seduced me". Upon viewing a group of Fijian boys, Gadjusek writes, "They are thus immensely sensual and seductive, anxious and willing to be seduced" (November 1975, pg 8). A Dutch boy named [redacted] is described as "a very sensual and sensuous youngster of sensitive moodiness" in June of 1959. Another group of boys helping Gadjusek in his travels through the islands are written of as "sensual sensuous sycophants, in no way changed and as flirtatious hedonists they have increased in experience and technique" (1959, pg 17).

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Even more specifically, Gadjusek has described several of his "adopted" children in the same manner. In February of 1984, Gadjusek states that [redacted] has blossomed suddenly into a sexually mature beautiful youth and he is fully aware of this...He is beautiful to both sexes and to anyone sexually aware and open to

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the erotic allure of a youthful body at its best" (pg 44). However, the "adopted" child that has decidedly gained the most attention within the journals from Gadjusek is [redacted]

[redacted] Usually comparing [redacted] to [redacted] and [redacted]

Gadjusek, Gadjusek has repeatedly referred to [redacted] as a beautiful adolescent who is aware of his own beauty. In a redundant manner, Gadjusek, whenever describing [redacted] deems him an "Adonis-like beauty" (April 1990, pg 257), "charming, seductive" (May 1991, pg 315), and "erotically challenging to everyone" (1990 journal, pg 614).

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In regards to specific sexual behavior with children it is perhaps best for Gadjusek's words to stand alone as their meanings are sometimes ambiguous and thus, can be interpreted in various ways:

While in a village near Chigami..."This rather uninhibited night in the Chemongo kwal anga a number of the men engaged themselves in only modestly screened fellatio of other youths and the smallest boys were involved as well. The lewd banter gave way to reputed sleep, as the fire died down, and then a quiet but long active session of sexual activity involving everyone in the house and with very little attempt to make it really private, just tactful avoidance with engaged partners and tactful failure to blow the fire high." (1965 Journal, pg 70).

Speaking of a group of islanders--both boys and girls..."In fact, their songs, which they make up for every occasion, discuss every dalliance and sexual encounter, especially those with visiting Europeans, Coast Guard men on Ulithi, ourselves, government officers, Japanese or others who chance by, may have had with the islanders..." (October 1965, pg 104).

Again speaking of the same islanders..."although our petting parties rarely get any more intense with this age group, the petting party is just what these beach affairs become" (October 1965, pg 105).

In regards to [redacted]. "[he] was one of the first adults who shared my youthful exhibitionism and I know and still remember that it produced excitement enough in me to cause a large erection. In the hot tubs with me, he fondled and hugged me very erotically and overtly and I clearly enjoyed it" (1988 Journal, pg 179).

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On sleeping in children's beds..."I now retire to [redacted] bed, as I did a few nights ago to [redacted] bed, and thus I am sleeping in the beds of my grandchildren rather often and on the mats in the nakamal, wa'e, kwai anga, or on the sofa of [redacted] in Rockville, as the night before last" (1990 Journal, pg 450).

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Again..."...I have collapsed on [redacted] bed, which I usually share with him..." (November 1982, pg 307).

While in Malaysia and speaking of [redacted]..."The boys are wonderful and both enjoy being handled, tickled, carried and teased gently. [redacted] responds by cuddling and relaxing, almost 'Outer Islands-style--Western Carolines", while [redacted] responds by sudden spasmodic stiffening and jerking, in true "Yapese-style", but even far more tense and rigid and suddenly jerking than the Yapese responses and very Tai Kuan Do-like. Yet all this is provocative and even erotic play..." (1975-1976 Journal, pg 360).

In Kepi..."I hugged and fondled a small boy of about twelve years during the time that perhaps two or three hundred people were crowded about the plane...He squeezes my hand back and then, when we are pressed into the crowd, reaches for my genitals and squeezes them (April 1974, pg 132).

In Yagatsu..."I have had a 'partner', a thirteen or fourteen year old, named [redacted] from Tshoghope, who came back with us and has exhausted me with his company this evening" (April/May 1974, pg 170).

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Accomplishment Report

Date Prepared

May 1996

Squad Supervisor approval (please initial)

(Accomplishment must be reported and loaded into ISRAA within 30 days from date of accomplishment)

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Data Loader's initials

Does Accomplishment Involve: (check all that apply)

- Drugs
A Fugitive
Bankruptcy Fraud
Computer Fraud/Abuse
Corruption of Public Officials
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Assisting Joint Agencies

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Investigative Assistance or Technique Used

Table with columns: Rate FO(s), IAT, Rate FO(s), IAT, Rate FO(s), IAT. Rows include: Financ. Analyst, Aircraft Asst., Computer Asst., Consensual Mon., ELSUR / FISC, ELSUR / Title III, Eng. Sect. Field Supt., Eng. Sect. Tap Exams, Hypnosis Asst., Evidence Purchase, Informant / CW Info, Lab. Div. Exams, Lab. Div. Field Sup., Pen Registers, Photo Coverage, Polygraph Asst., Search Warrants, Show Money Usage, SOG Asst., Swat Team Action, Tech. Agnt. or Equip., Telephone Toll Recs., UCO - Group I, UCO - Group II, UCO - Other, NCAVC / VI - CAP, Visual Invest. Anal., Crisis Neg. - Fed., Crisis Neg. - Local, ERT Assistance, Butte-ITC, Savannah-ITC.

Assist. FO(s) A, B, C, D, E

Assisting Agents Soc. Sec. No.

1. Name

2. Name

Name:

A. Complaint / Information / Indictment

Also Complete Section H

Complaint Date

Check if Civil Rico Complaint

Information Date

Indictment Date 4/26/96

B. Arrest / Locate / Summons

Arrest Date

Federal Local

Subject Priority: A B C

Subject Resisted

Subject was armed

Locate Date

Subject Priority: A B C

Summons Date

Federal Local

C. Hostage(s) Released Date

Released by: Terrorist Other

Number of Hostages:

Child Located Date

D. Recovery / Restitution / PELP

Recovery Date

Federal Local

Code Amount

Table with columns: Code, Amount, \$

Restitution Date

Court Ordered

Pretrial Diversion

Code Amount

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PELP Date

Code Amount

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E. Civil Rico Matters Date

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or

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Judgment

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Amount: \$

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F. Administrative Sanctions Date

Type: Length:

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Debarment

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Table with columns: Years, Months

Subject Description Code

G. Final Judicial Process Conviction

Also Complete Section H

Date of Conviction:

Date of Sentence:

Subject Description Code:

Judicial State: District:

Sentence type:

Sentence Term:

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Felony Misdemeanor

Plea Trial

Table with columns: In-Jail Years Months, Suspended Years Months, Probation Years Months

Fines: \$

H. U.S. Code Violations

Maryland State Code

Table with columns: Title, Section, Counts. Rows: Article 27 35A (2), Article 27 554 (2)

Table with columns: Title, Section, Counts

Required for Sections A, E, and G (Conviction)

Optional for Section B (arrest)

Acquittal / Dismissal / Pretrial Diversion

Acquittal Date

Dismissal Date

Pretrial Diversion Date

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I. Subject Information (Required for Sections A, B, D (Restitution), E, F, and G)

Table with columns: Name, Date of Birth, Race, Sex, Place of Birth, Social Security No. Row: Daniel Carleton Gajdusek, 9/9/23, W, M, Yonkers, New York, 220-38-2614

Subject Related to an LCN, Asian Organized Crime (AOC), or Italian Organized Crime (IOC) Group. (Submit form FD-515a for indictments and convictions only)

Additional information may be added by attaching another form or a plain sheet of paper for additional entries.

Requires that a written explanation on plain paper be attached. (Court Ordered Restitution does not require a written explanation)

See codes on reverse side.

Serial No. of FD-515

Sub E1281-78

On 4/26/96, Daniel Carleton Gajdusek was indicted on two counts of child abuse and two counts of unnatural and perverted sexual practice in Frederick County, Maryland.

On or about 5/1/96 the FD-515 was submitted. As of 8/5/96, SA [redacted] was made aware that the FD-515 never made it to the file.

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***** INDICTMENT *****

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Case Number: 145C-BA-80998-E1281
Serial No.: 78

Stat Agent Name:
Stat Agent SOC.:

Report Date: 08/27/1996
Accom Date.: 04/26/1996

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Does Accomplishment Involve	Assisting Joint Agencies	Assisting Agents SOC	Subject Name		
Drugs : N			GAJDUSEK, DANIEL, CARLTON		
A Fugitive. : N					
Bankruptcy Fraud. : N					
Computer Fraud/Abuse. : N			RA	Squad	Task Force
Corruption of Public Officials: N			----	-----	-----
Forfeiture Assets : N			MMOC	19	

Sub. Invest. Asst by Other FOs:

Investigative Assistance or Technique Used

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AIRCRAFT ASST	LAB FIELD SUP	UCO-GROUP II
COMPUTER ASST	PEN REGISTERS	UCO-OTHER
CONSEN MONITR	PHOTO COVERGE	NCAVC/VI-CAP
ELSUR/FISC	POLYGRAPH	VISUAL INVEST
ELSUR/III	SRCH WAR EXEC	CRIS NEG-FED
ENG FIELD SUP	SHOW MONEY	CRIS NEG-LOC
ENG TAPE EXAM	SOG ASST	ERT ASST
HYPNOSIS ASST	SWAT TEAM	BUTTE-ITC
EVIDNCE PURCH	TECH AG/EQUIP	SAVANNAH-ITC
INFORMANT/CW	TEL TOLL RECS	

1 = Used, but did not help
2 = Helped, Minimally
3 = Helped, Substantially
4 = Absolutely Essential

Serial Number of Indictment :

United States Code Violation

Title	Section	Counts
27	35A	2
27	554	2

Accomplishment Narrative

ON 4/26/96, DANIEL GAJDUSEK WAS INDICTED ON TWO COUNTS OF CHILD ABUSE AND TWO COUNTS OF UNNATURAL AND PERVERTED SEXUAL PRACTICE IN FRED. COUNTY, MD ON OR ABOUT 5/1/96, THE FD-515 WAS SUBMITTED. AS OF AUGUST 5, 1996, SA WAS MADE AWARE THAT THE FD-515 NEVER MADE IT TO THE FILE

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date of transcription 3/7/96

On February 22, 1996, Special Agent (SA) [redacted]
[redacted] interviewed [redacted]
[redacted]. She
provided the following information:

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Both [redacted] attend [redacted]
[redacted] used to attend there. She knows their guardian
Dr Gajdusek. He would stop at school from time to time. He is
out of the country a lot and the school had access to his
secretary. There seemed to be an issue of the children being
unattended. She advised that [redacted] knew the
boys, as did [redacted]
There were rumors of parties at the house.

The boys would talk of trips with Gajdusek, and [redacted]
is currently on a trip with him.

Investigation on 2/26/96 at Middletown, Maryland File # 145-BA-80998-E 1281-79
by [redacted] jbl [signature] Date dictated 3/1/96 *APL*

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date of transcription 4/9/96

On April 9, 1996, Special Agent [redacted] and [redacted] interviewed [redacted] date of birth [redacted] at the Frederick County Sheriff's Office in Frederick, Maryland. He provided the following information during the interview:

He is aware of Carleton Gajdusek's arrest, and heard about it on April 4, 1996 from [redacted] (Child Protective Services).

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Investigation on 4/9/96 at Frederick, Maryland File # 145A-BA-80998 E1281-80
by Special Agent [redacted] and [redacted] Date dictated 4/9/96
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Date of transcription 06-10-96

On 05-08-96 [redacted] telephonically interviewed [redacted] at that time advising of her of his identity. She thereafter voluntarily provided the following information:

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An unnamed friend of hers works [redacted] [redacted] the National Institutes of Health in Bethesda, Maryland, and is acquainted with Dr Carleton Gajdusek. Her friend has advised that Gajdusek and [redacted] have been removing journals from Gajdusek's Lister Hill office over the past three weeks. Gajdusek has been in and out of the office every day with approximately 30 to 40 journals removed. On one occasion the friend observed Gajdusek and [redacted] remove journals on carts and move them to [redacted]. She also advised that the journals are saved on disk and are archived at the Peabody Museum in Massachusetts. Gajdusek has an assisitant who apparently was aware of the journals being moved.

[redacted] advised that her friend is extremely reluctant to speak to the authorities about this matter, and wishes to remain anonymous. [redacted] asked [redacted] to ask her friend to reconsider speaking to authorities. [redacted] does not have direct knowledge of the information provided by her friend.

The following identifying information was obtained from [redacted]

[redacted]

(telephonically)

Investigation on 05-08-96 at Calverton, Maryland File # 145C-BA-80998 E1281-81by [redacted] *gjs* Date dictated 06-10-96 *APL*b6
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Precedence: ROUTINE

Date: 09/11/1996

To: Baltimore

Attn:

From: Baltimore

Squad 19 - MMOC

Contact: ext. 4619

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Title: FD-515

DELAYED SUBMISSION

Synopsis: Delayed submission of FD-515s.

Details: I entered the following FD-515s on the day I received them. However, due to late submission by Agent personnel they were over the 30 day limit. So this does not become an issue in the future, reminders have been sent to Squad 19 personnel.

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On 9/25/96, [redacted] provided the following information to SA [redacted]

Source [redacted] [redacted] who advised that [redacted] (phonetic) sent an article to him. Source believes that [redacted] for the literary magazine in New York, Grand Street.

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Attached to the article from the most recent publication of Grand Street, which [redacted] sent [redacted] was a note stating that [redacted] is aware that [redacted] wrote articles regarding DR. GAJDUSEK. The article contained excerpts from DR. GAJDUSEK's journals.

[redacted] is going to send a copy of the aforementioned article to source, which source will forward to SA [redacted]

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On 9/30/96, [redacted] provided the following information to SA [redacted]

There was a recent article (approximately twenty pages), in an English magazine titled, The Weekly Standard, regarding Dr. Gajdusek. Source advised that the article contained excerpts from Dr. Gajdusek's journals and that the article was hostile towards Dr. Gajdusek.

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On 10/1/96, [redacted] provided the following information to SA [redacted]

Source will provide SA [redacted] with a copy of the aforementioned article as soon as possible.

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On 10/2/96, [redacted] provided the following information to SA [redacted]

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[redacted] is planning to write some feature articles on Dr. Gajdusek and should be published in the near future.

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On 8/28/96, [redacted] provided the following
information to SA [redacted]

Approximately one month ago, [redacted]

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Source advised that [redacted]

[redacted]

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On 10/3/96, [redacted] provided the following
information to SA [redacted]

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Source was on the Internet and did a search on the name
GADJUSEK. Source advised source received approximately 11 hits
for GADJUSEK. Source stated that one of the hits was a web page
entitled WITCH HUNT IN WASHINGTON. The author of the article is
JIM KENDRICK, Silver Spring, MD.

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THE WASHINGTON POST

THURSDAY, OCT

CRIME AND JUSTICE

Sex Abuse Trial Delayed For Nobel-Winning Scientist

A judge in Frederick County, Md., has delayed until January the criminal trial of Daniel Carleton Gajdusek, a Nobel Prize-winning scientist accused of molesting a teenage boy in his care.

Prosecutors and defense attorneys agreed to the postponement yesterday in Frederick County Circuit Court. The trial had been scheduled for Tuesday.

Scott Rolle, state's attorney for Frederick County, said the delay will give both sides more time to argue complicated motions that are pending in the case and to prepare for trial.

Gajdusek's lawyers have asked the judge to move the trial because of publicity and to exclude from evidence an FBI tape recording in which Gajdusek, 73, is said to have acknowledged molesting the youth. Those motions are pending.

Gajdusek, head of a laboratory at the National Institutes of Health, won the Nobel Prize in 1976 for his research on kuru, a disease among the highlanders of New Guinea. On numerous trips to New Guinea and other Pacific islands over the course of decades, he befriended

many boys, and he brought more than 50 of them home to live with him in Maryland. He said he wanted to educate the boys.

It was one of those youths who, when contacted by the FBI, accused Gajdusek of repeatedly assaulting him. The case remains under investigation, Rolle said. Gajdusek has pleaded not guilty, and many friends have defended him, saying they don't believe he could be guilty of sexually assaulting a child.

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Delay sought in molestation trial of Nobelist

ASSOCIATED PRESS

FREDERICK — Attorneys are seeking a three-month delay in the trial of scientist Daniel Gajdusek, a Nobel Prize winner who is accused of molesting a 15-year-old boy from Micronesia.

The joint motion for continuance filed Tuesday would give defense attorneys and prosecutors time to argue pretrial motions, including defense requests to move the jury trial from Frederick and to suppress evidence obtained from wiretaps.

Gajdusek, 71, of Middletown was to have gone on trial Tuesday in Frederick County Circuit Court. The motion asks Judge G. Edward Dwyer to reschedule the trial for no earlier than Jan. 22.

Gajdusek is charged with two counts of child abuse and two counts of perverted practice. The youth, now 23, lived in Gajdusek's home from 1987 to 1991. Gajdusek has pleaded innocent.

After the allegations were filed in April, Gajdusek took leave from his job with the National Institutes of Health in Bethesda.

He won the 1976 Nobel Prize in medicine for his research on slow-acting viruses.

The alleged victim is one of 56 children from the South Pacific whom Gajdusek sponsored to come and live with him in Maryland beginning in the 1960s, according to the FBI.

Gajdusek has said that he brought the children to the United States to educate them.

THE SUN

(Indicate page, name of newspaper, city and state.) BALTIMORE, MD.
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April 24, 1996

BY TELECOPY

Scott L. Rolle, Esquire
Office of the State's Attorney
for Frederick County, Maryland
100 West Patrick Street
Frederick, Maryland 21701

Re: Maryland v. Gaidusek

Dear Mr. Rolle:

I am writing to express my deep concern about recent press leaks which undermine the integrity of this investigation. As I informed you in our most recent conversation, I have been advised by members of the press that the Federal Bureau of Investigation has "leaked" information concerning the status of this investigation and the instigation of new allegations against my client. Such leaks are plainly improper and violate the rules of conduct under which the Federal Bureau of Investigation operates. More importantly, they violate the local rules of practice of every United States District Court. Were this case proceeding before a federal judge, I would immediately file a misconduct motion based on these improper leaks. Given what we see happening in other prominent cases nationwide, the leaks do not appear to be isolated.

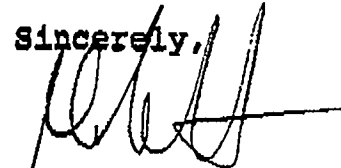
In view of the fact that the case is now pending before the state courts of Frederick, Maryland, it is not my intention to address by motion these serious issues at this time. It is my understanding that your statement to the press the day following the leaks was necessary to put to rest the rumors

Scott L. Rolle, Esquire
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generated by the FBI and I understand your need to do so. In view of the obvious impropriety of these investigative leaks and the affect they have on the integrity of the investigation, I do believe it necessary to bring this matter to your attention. I believe you share my concern regarding these leaks and hope that you will urge the federal government to take whatever steps are necessary to end these improper disclosures.

If you have any questions about the foregoing, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,



Mark J. Hulkower

cc: Special Agent (via telecopy)

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Precedence: ROUTINE

Date: 05/02/1996

To: Inspection Division

Attn: OPR

From: Baltimore

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Contact: A/ASAC Kevin L Stafford

Approved By: Stafford Kevin L

Drafted By: Stafford Kevin L:jag

Case ID #: 263-0
145-BA-80998

Title: UNAUTHORIZED DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION
"INNOCENT IMAGES";
MAJOR CASE 110;
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Synopsis: Subject's attorney alleges that the FBI is the sole source of "leaks" to the media regarding captioned matter.

Enclosures: Enclosed for the Bureau is a letter from Mark J. Hulhower, attorney-at-law, to Scott L. Rolle, State's Attorney, Frederick County, Maryland, regarding State of Maryland v. Daniel Carleton Gajdusek, dated 4/24/96.

Details: On 4/4/96, Dr. Daniel Carleton Gajdusek was arrested by FBI Agents, a Frederick County Deputy Sheriff, and a Montgomery County Department of Police Detective for two counts child abuse and two counts unnatural/perverted sex practice, as a result of an FBI investigation. Due to Dr. Gajdusek's position as the Chief of the Laboratory of Central Nervous System Studies at the National Institute of Health and a Nobel Prize winner, the case has received a significant amount of media coverage, on both a regional and national level.

Baltimore has refrained from any comments outside routine media remarks, consistent with FBI policy, i.e., public records. However, Baltimore is aware that the media has published information that was not available through public source information and which was not released by official FBI sources. To date, based on the nature and extent of the disclosures, Baltimore opines that the Frederick County State's Attorney's Office has been the source for the extraordinary

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To: Inspection Division From: Baltimore
Re: 263-0, 05/02/1996

access the media appears to have regarding the captioned investigation. To minimize any damage occurring to the case from these disclosures, Baltimore has addressed its concerns over unauthorized media disclosures directly with the State's Attorney's Office. Based on these discussions, the State's Attorney has agreed to discontinue his discussions of the case with the media.

For information of OPR, on or about 4/26/96, Baltimore received a copy of the enclosed letter. As is apparent from the content of the letter, Dr. Gajdusek's attorney specifically alleges that the FBI has and continues to be the sole source of media "leaks." Based on the specific allegations set forth in Mr. Hulhower's letter, this matter is being referred to OPR for guidance on whether an administrative inquiry should be conducted. OPR is referred to the fact that Baltimore currently has an open inquiry pending regarding an unauthorized disclosure to the media, which prematurely leaked the date of the nationwide takedown in the captioned matter.

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July 10, 1996

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Calverton, Maryland 20705

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REF: State v. Daniel Carleton Gajdusek
No. 20,408 Criminals

Dear [redacted]

Attached, please find enclosed a Catalogue Listing of Physical Evidence (7 pages) and Catalogue Cross-References of Physical Evidence (2 pages), pertaining to all of the evidence you have turned over to the Frederick County Sheriff's Department in the above referenced case.

The Catalogue Listing (the long forms) list the various pieces of evidence in each Evidence Box, the Cross-References (the short forms) identify FBI Evidence Numbers and Locations of evidence seized with respect to the specific Evidence Boxes in which they're contained. I've not disturbed any of the FBI or FCSD evidence labels, just rearranged some of the packaging and resealed everything for protection. Hopefully now, if any of us has a need to locate specific items of evidence, we'll have a good idea where to look.

As of this minute, Scott is (or has) delivered some additional discovery to the Defense, who is suppose to review that and let Scott know about the plea offer. As soon as Scott knows anything, he or I will call you two immediately.

Any questions, corrections, etc. to the material I'm sending, or anything else arises concerning this case in general, don't hesitate to get in touch. As always in the past, I extend my

Kindest regards,

[redacted signature]

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Attachments (9 pages each)

B O X #8: (contains evidence seized from Ft. Detrick, on 4/4/96)

- BAG #1:
- 1) 28 manila file folders containing miscellaneous information on various kids
(FBI Item #B-15; SA [redacted])
 - 2) manila envelop containing 11 manila file folders containing lists of kids, and car rental documents
(FBI Item #16; SA [redacted])

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- BAG #2:
- 1) 5 manila file folders containing FAX information to GAJDUSEK, information on New Guinean kids, old Friends/Family lists, and "low priority" paperwork
(FBI Item #A-1; SA [redacted])
 - 2) brown accordion file containing copies of kids' passports and visas for the following:

[redacted]

(FBI Item #B-5; SA [redacted])

B O X #9: (FBI Item #B-10; Ft. Detrick; 4/4/96; SA [redacted])

- 1) box containing GAJDUSEK's 1986, 1987, 1988, 1989 Income Tax return paperwork
- 2) small box containing GAJDUSEK's canceled checks for 1995
- 3) 53 manila folders containing paperwork on 53 different kids
- 4) 3 portraits/pictures for 2 older Micronesian boys

B O X #10: (FBI Item #B-8; Ft. Detrick; 4/4/96; SA [redacted])

85 file folders containing correspondence, pictures and/or miscellaneous paperwork on 85 different kids

B O X #11: (FBI Item #11; 4316 Deer Spring Road, Middletown; 4/4/96)

9 hard bound photograph albums

Catalogued/Prepared by: [redacted] (7/2-8/96)

Catalogue Distribution List: Scott L. Rolle, State's Attorney
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Catalogue Listing Cross-Referenced by FBI Number

BOX #1 contains: FBI Item #10

BOX #2 contains: FBI #B-18

BOX #3 contains:	FBI #B-3	FBI #B-20
	#B-4	#B-21
	#B-6	#B-22
	#B-7	#B-23
	#B-9	#B-24
	#B-11	#A-2
	#B-12	#A-3
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BOX #4 contains: FBI #B-14

BOX #5 contains: FBI Item #12

BOX #6 contains:	FBI Item #1	FBI Item #5
	Item #2	Item #6
	Item #3	Item #7
	Item #4	Item #8

BOX #7 contains: FBI #A-1
#B-17
#B-19
#B-25
#C-1
Evidence with FBI Number obscured by evidence tape

BOX #8 contains: FBI #A-1
#B-5
#B-15
Item #16

BOX #9 contains: FBI #B-10

BOX #10 contains: FBI #B-8

BOX #11 contains: FBI Item #11

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Catalogue Listing Cross-Referenced by Location Evidence Seized

BOX #1 evidence: Ft. Detrick search on 4/4/96

BOX #2 evidence: Ft. Detrick search, 4/4/96

BOX #3 evidence: Ft. Detrick search, 4/4/96

BOX #4 evidence: Ft. Detrick search, 4/4/96

BOX #5 evidence: 4316 Deer Spring Road, Middletown search, 4/4/96

BOX #6 evidence: 4316 Deer Spring Road, Middletown search, 4/4/96

BOX #7 evidence: Ft. Detrick search, 4/4/96 (Bags #1-#4, #6-#7)
4316 Deer Spring Road, 4/4/96 (Bag #5)

BOX #8 evidence: Ft. Detrick search, 4/4/96

BOX #9 evidence: Ft. Detrick search, 4/4/96

BOX #10 evidence: Ft. Detrick search, 4/4/96

BOX #11 evidence: 4316 Deer Spring Road, Middletown search, 4/4/96

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Sheriff's Dept. Property No.: Property Held #3655
Circuit Court Case Number: No. 20,408 Criminals

B O X #1 (FBI Item #10; Ft. Detrick; 4/4/96; No Seizing Officer noted)
Envelop A: 1989, 1990 Income Tax papers
1989, 1990 Donations

Envelop B: Accident information and general insurance information

Envelop C: 1991, 1992 Income Tax information

Envelop D: 1993, 1994, 1995 Income Tax information

Loose files: 1) Middletown School Applications for:

[Redacted]

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2) Mt. Saint Mary's Statement of Account, dated 1/31/96, for

[Redacted]

3) Legal papers for [Redacted]

4) Banking papers for [Redacted]

5) Banking and CD paperwork for [Redacted]

6) paperwork for Gajdusek's San Diego 3/9-3/12/96 trip

7) 1995 Yonkers Tax and ownership paperwork

8) paperwork/information from Republic Bank of Savings, Yonkers

9) 1995 Fredericktown Bank account paperwork for "8 kids at home"

10) 1995 Fredericktown Bank account for "14 kids in South Pacific
and [Redacted]"

11) 1995 American Express Statement of Accounts for GAJDUSEK

12) 1995 Cambridge Trust Company statements

13) Car Rentals information

14) 1992 Income Tax information

15) 1992 Federal Income Tax Return paperwork

16) 1992 Maryland Income Tax Return paperwork

17) Australia and New Zealand Bank statement paperwork

18) 1991 Income Tax information

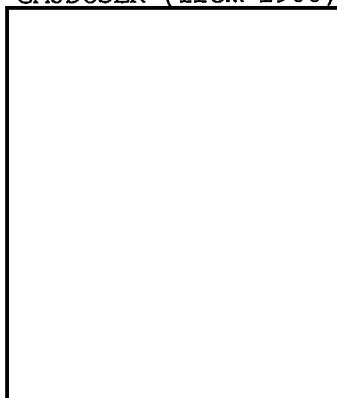
B O X #2: (FBI Item #B-18; Ft. Detrick; 4/4/96; No Seizing Officer noted)

Blue Divider: 22 manila file folders containing information about various medical, biological and infectious disease meetings, in 1996

Blue Divider: 20 manila file folders for various medical meetings in 1996

Blue Divider: "Creativity Paper"

Blue Divider: "Master Photo File," containing photographs of the following:
GAJDUSEK (from 1960)



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Blue Divider: manila files: [redacted] - SSN and School Papers"

Blue Divider: manila files: 1994, IRS - kids documents
1995, Immunization Records of Kids

Blue Divider: 1) 6 manila files containing miscellaneous personal papers and documents for the following:



2) 1 manila file marked, "List of Adopted Kids by D.C. Gajdusek"

B O X #3: (contains evidence seized from Ft. Detrick, on 4/4/96))

- BAG #1:
- Item #1: 1956 original transcript of GAJDUSEK's writings
(FBI #B-3; SA [redacted])
 - Item #2: manila file marked, "KIDS LIST"
(FBI #B-7; SA [redacted])
 - Item #3: index cards with names
(FBI #B-11; SA [redacted])
 - Item #4: 5 packages of photographs
(FBI #B-12; SA [redacted])
 - Item #5: 3 folders of airline information
(FBI #B-13; SA [redacted])
 - Item #6: travel documents
(FBI #B-20; SA [redacted])
 - Item #7: American Express receipts, 4/87 to 2/88
(FBI #B-21; SA [redacted])
 - Item #8: letter and miscellaneous documents
(FBI #B-22; SA [redacted])
 - Item #9: 1 slide, B/M nude from waist down, 1983 Pacific travels
(FBI #B-23; SA [redacted])
 - Item #10: manila folder of travel documents biographical info
(FBI #B-24; SA [redacted])
 - Item #11: manila folder, 1986 Listing of Kids and Listing of
GAJDUSEK's journals (as of 1985)
(FBI #A-3; SA [redacted])

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- BAG #2: (FBI #A-2; SA [redacted])
- 1) 2 bound notebooks, "Biographical Sketches" of numerous people
 - 2) 2 manila folders for FBI Item #6: MACKINTOSH computer, noting item was returned to [redacted] 5/23/96
 - 3) 1 manila folder, "[redacted] Recommendation Papers"
 - 4) 1 manila folder containing INS papers for kids
 - 5) 1 manila folder, "[redacted] 1994"
 - 6) 1 manila folder containing immigration paperwork
 - 7) 1 manila folder containing birth records and list of adopted kids
 - 8) Fredericktown Bank statements for 21 kids, all dated 6/30/94
 - 9) 1 manila folder of 7/94 NIH Federal Credit Union statements for 5 kids and GAJDUSEK (including [redacted])

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Box #3 continued

- BAG #3: (FBI Item #B-1; SA [redacted])
- 1) 1 green bound journal, dated 1993
 - 2) 1 yellow piece of paper having 6 handwritten names

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- BAG #4:
- 1) a plastic bag containing 3 blue bound journals entitled:
Correspondents and Mailing Lists, 1992
Correspondents and Mailing Lists, 1994 (2 journals)
(FBI Item #B-4; SA [redacted])
 - 2) plastic bag containing 1 white bound journal, Journals of Unre-
quited Quests for Etiology, 1976, 1979, 1991, 1992, 1993
(FBI Item #B-6; SA [redacted])
 - 3) 1988 Lease for 6552 Jefferson Pike, Frederick (6 copies), and
letter from Management Company
(FBI Item #B-9; SA [redacted])

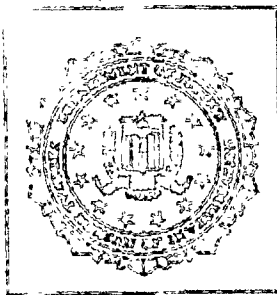
BOX #4: (FBI Item #B-14; Ft. Detrick; 4/4/96; SA [redacted])
1) various travel documents

BOX #5: (FBI Item #12; 4316 Deer Spring Road, Middletown; 4/4/96)
1) large bound photo album, "Deer Spring, 1993, Vol. 1"
2) large bound photo album, "California and Pacific Northwest, 1994, Vol. 1"
3) large bound photo album, "Deer Spring, Spring-Summer, 1995"
4) large bound photo album, "Yonkers, Maine, 1995"

BOX #6: (contains evidence from 4316 Deer Spring Road, Middletown, on 4/4/96)
1) manila envelop containing Friends/Family List (22 pages)
(FBI Item #1; SA [redacted])
2) plastic bag containing letter from GAJDUSEK to [redacted] dated 5/23/96
(FBI Item #2; SA [redacted])
3) plastic bag containing blue folder of travel receipts and documents for [redacted]
(FBI Item #3; SA [redacted])
4) plastic bag containing a small cardboard box addressed to [redacted] containing:
miscellaneous documents; and,
several white envelopes, individually marked w/kids names, and each containing photographs
(FBI Item #4; SA [redacted])
5) large binder containing numerous manila folders with information about various kids
(FBI Item #5; No Seizing Officer noted)
6) plastic bag containing several Friends/Family lists (from 1994), located in a drawer inside house
(FBI Item #6; SA [redacted])
7) plastic bag containing several Friends/Family lists, located outside in garage
(FBI Item #7; SA [redacted])
8) 4 plastic bags, each containing the following:
a) 3 maroon handwritten ledger/journal books
b) 3 maroon handwritten ledger/journal books
c) 2 maroon handwritten ledger/journal books
d) 2 maroon handwritten ledger/journal books
(FBI Item #8; SA [redacted])

BOX #7:

- BAG #1: (FBI Item #B-2; Ft. Detrick; 4/4/96)
12 manila folders containing the following:
1) Guest Book for Prospect Hall, 1980 thru 1989
2) Guest Book (Unknown location), 1975
3) Guest Book (unknown location), 1985 thru 1988
4) 9 copies of Guest Book, 1985 thru 1988
- BAG #2: (FBI Item #B-19; Ft. Detrick; 4/4/96)
miscellaneous personal correspondence
- BAG #3: (FBI Item #B-25; Ft. Detrick; 4/4/96)
1) bound book, Correspondence and Mailing List, 1994
2) bound book, A Record of Visitors to the Adopted Melanesian and Micronesian Children of D.C. Gajdusek (Prospect Hall, Deer Spring, and Yonkers)
- BAG #4: (FBI Item #A-1; Ft. Detrick; 4/4/96; SA [redacted])
1) green file folder marked, "Blue Cross/Blue Shield" containing various files marked with kids names
2) various loose files pertaining to paperwork for GAJDUSEK kids
- BAG #5: (FBI Item # covered; 4316 Deer Spring Road; 4/4/96)
2 file folders, each containing correspondence, documents, and miscellaneous papers of GAJDUSEK and the kids
- BAG #6: 1) large sealed reel-to-reel tape
2) manila envelop (FBI Item #C-1) containing documents from [redacted] Macintosh computer
3) manila envelop containing sealed disc - mirror image of Macintosh hard drive
4) manila envelop containing 4 page letter from [redacted] to [redacted] dated 2/16/96
- ENVELOP #7: (FBI Item #B-17; Ft. Detrick; 4/4/96; SA [redacted])
passport documents;
(Note: [redacted] passports released to Guardian, 6/19/96)



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June 3, 1996

Honorable Janet Reno
 Attorney General
 U.S. Department of Justice
 Washington, DC

Dear Ms Reno:

I presume on our brief acquaintance at the home of [REDACTED] and again at the wedding of [REDACTED] to bring to your attention the case of Dr. D. Carleton Gajdusek, which I believe represents a perhaps unwitting, but egregious and terrible miscarriage of justice.

Dr. Gajdusek, Nobel Laureate in Medicine, ethnographer, linguist, student of child rearing in the tradition of [REDACTED] and world expert on the slow viruses (e.g. mad cow disease) maintains a singular and wonderful household in which (at any time, say eight) teenagers from diverse Pacific Islands cultures live and leap from the stone age to high success in American culture. Over the years some of these have been sons and daughters of earlier "adopted children". (I append a brief letter describing [REDACTED] and my relation to that household.)

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As I understand the chronology of events:

[REDACTED] brings charges of child abuse and unnatural and perverted sexual practices in a Maryland District Court (Frederick, Maryland).

3 April 1996 The District Court issues a warrant to the Sheriff's Department for Dr. Gajdusek's arrest.

4 April 1996 The warrant is served.

4 April 1996 Dr. Gajdusek and [REDACTED] are arrested by the FBI. [REDACTED] is subsequently released.

3 April 1996 A warrant (Federal?) is issued and the FBI seizes:

- 1) Dr. Gajdusek's journals for the past seven years.
- 2) Family photo albums.
- 3) Ethnographic photographs, projection slides, research cinemas.
- 4) Passports of Dr. Gajdusek's "adopted children".

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b) Dr. Gajdusek's personal list of addresses of family and friends.

c) The computer and associated records of Dr. Gajdusek's secretary.

26 April 1996 Dr. Gajdusek is indicted by the Maryland Circuit Court Grand Jury for two counts of child abuse and two counts of unnatural and perverted sexual practices.

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This becomes Circuit Court case # 20408, Criminal. Circuit Court, 100 West Patrick Street, Frederick Maryland 21701.

28 April 1996 District Court charges are Null Pross.

The manner of Dr. Gajdusek's arrest by the FBI is described in the attached excerpt from a letter from [redacted] (The balance of the letter is an appeal for help from Dr. Gajdusek's friends).

Approximately 79 distinguished persons, world-wide, have written letters of support for Gajdusek (available on request). We all know that Dr. Gajdusek has made unique contribution to American scholarship and culture, runs a major NIH laboratory devoted to child development world wide and has himself contributed generously and warmly to the upbringing and education of more than 50 children from Pacific Island cultures as well as several children of friends from Western and Asian cultures. The man is a giant who should be considered a National Resource. While no one is above the law, it would a national tragedy to destroy a man of this calibre (To Kill A Mockingbird!).

Citizens and diplomats of some Pacific Island nations have become deeply concerned about the perceived treatment that their nationals, Gajdusek's "adopted children", are receiving at the hands of local and national agencies in the United States.

I am concerned that this giant of a man who has done so much good, will be brought down by governmental action in response to accusations originating from a disgruntled coworker.

Respectfully submitted,

Sincerely yours,

[redacted signature]

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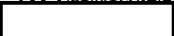
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To All Who Are Concerned for Carleton Gajdusek

I write to all of you who are as dismayed as I at Carleton's arrest and the way he has been summarily treated, and who may be frustrated at an inability to take a significant action or to make a meaningful statement.

For those who may not know the full details, Carleton had been in Europe--in Paris, Slovakia and Hungary--where he was honored: I believe a street in Bratislava was named for him, and he returned with medals and gifts of appreciation from countries and universities that wished to give such recognition. In the early pre-dawn hours before his arrival back in The United States, a posse of sheriff's deputies and FBI surrounded his laboratories in Frederick, Maryland; secretaries and researchers were sent home, and the FBI carted off all the papers, files, computers and other contents of his offices and sealed the laboratories. After arriving in Washington from Budapest, he was strip searched, and, I am told, when he and   drove to his home to his awaiting children, seven cars converged on his, a SWAT team of gun-waving FBI men leapt out, Carleton was hauled from his car, spread against it, then manacled and led off to prison, for unspecified charges by a then unnamed accuser. All this took place before waiting and invited TV crews and the Washington press. At the jail a staggering MILLION dollar bail was set. He was for a great while denied everything: paper, pencil, his glasses, and his very necessary medicines. When the charges were revealed, he stood accused of child abuse and of perverse sexual acts.

The charges are absurd, as Carleton and all who know him and his happy expanded family are aware. Most of his "adopted" children now throughout the world--many of whom have sent back their own children to be educated and raised by Carleton--have wired him their deep love, full support, and desire to be immediately at his side.

That the stated charges are pretenses is obvious to many who immediately note: the uncharacteristic involvement of the FBI into this affair, their "overkill" SWAT team gun-waving strategy, the staged event before waiting cameras, and the totally uncalled for million dollar bail--an amount usually used for terrorists and assassins.

What is important to know is that these latest charges are the last in a series of accusations and harassments that have been leveled at Carleton throughout the past year: an unnamed accuser has brought a sequence of unspecified charges, which have ranged from improper use of government funds to the very alarming one of his having five smallpox in his laboratories. His elaborate journals were subpoenaed and searched for any bases of charges that might be brought against him. All investigations--that greatly interfered with the work in his laboratories and that were carried on continuously and painstakingly by the Inspector General's Office--have proven the charges without basis.

This latest charge seems to be contrived to destroy his reputation and work at the end of his career, and to render him powerless. As plenary speaker he was to open and close the Paris UNESCO Conference on Creutzfeldt Jacob Disease in Paris on the 20th, and to address dozens of other international forums and groups this coming year. He has effectively been "muzzled."

Dr. D. Carlisle Gajdusek and I first met [Redacted] hiking in a storm in the Adirondack Mountains [Redacted] each taking a respite from wartime efforts (probably 1946). Later, we together led groups of youngsters hiking and camping in the Catskill Mountains. In our company, these kids, each of whom had gotten into serious trouble, were high spirited, mischievous and honorably managed the finances of the "expeditions".

In 1949 or 1950 Carleton [Redacted] an apartment on T-Wharf on Boston Harbor (we were both working in Harvard Medical School at that time). Shortly thereafter I moved back to New York City and [Redacted] visited Carleton in his Yonkers home. I knew [Redacted] and his mother, an admirable, learned and gusty lady, whose cooking I often enjoyed, feeling very much a member of the family. I think that it was in this era I first met Carleton's flock of "adopted" children, most of whom were in their teens, having previously trained in missionary schools scattered over the South Pacific. They were normal, happy rambunctious kids, struggling to adapt from the stone age to American life and high schools. They gave Carleton the usual headaches that all parents endure. I thought the world of them. Several later had advanced degrees in anthropology, and wrote fascinating theses based on their childhood experiences. In 1951-1952, during a year spent at The National Institutes of Health, I visited Carleton's Washington home innumerable times, talking with the "adopted" children, sharing their cooking, and doing household chores with them. I accompanied Carleton and the "kids" to the Smithsonian museums and sights. In later years my wife joined in these visits, and we continued Carleton and the "kids" at our Westchester home.

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[Redacted] of the past few years and I have seen Carleton in many circumstances, in joy and in sorrow with or without the flock of "adopted" children. I have watched Carleton perform a high character and seemingly unlimited patience, compassion and wisdom. Carleton's concern for the health of children earned him welcoming entree's into societies worldwide. I have read some of Carleton's Journals. In all these years neither my wife nor I have ever observed any ill or untoward behavior on Carleton's part or on the part of the "adopted" children.

I salute, among Dr. Gajdusek's many achievements, that of bringing generations of youngsters from the stone age (as I have said) to high success in American life.

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Dr. Daniel Carleton Gajdusek, date of birth September 9, 1923, is a subject of 145C-BA-80998. The nature of the investigation is sexual exploitation of children, specifically Gajdusek has been charged with two counts of child abuse and two counts of unnatural and perverted sex acts. Baltimore recommends no comment beyond standard Bureau response.

July 23, 1996

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Dear [Redacted]

Your June 3rd correspondence to Attorney General Janet Reno about the arrest of Dr. D. Carleton Gajdusek was referred to the FBI, where it was received on July 2nd.

While I would like to address your concerns, it is a longstanding Department of Justice and FBI policy not to comment on pending cases. This policy has existed for a number of years and serves to prevent any impact on judicial proceedings relating to the criminal charges. I trust you will understand our position.

Sincerely yours,

John E. Collingwood
Inspector in Charge
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Supervisory Special Agent

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DANIEL CARLETON GAJDUSEK

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INDICTMENT
GRAND JURY OF FREDERICK COUNTY, MARYLAND
FEBRUARY TERM, 1996

COUNT I - CHILD ABUSE

The Grand Jurors of the State of Maryland for the body of Frederick County, do on their oaths and affirmations, present that Daniel Carleton Gajdusek, on or about August 13, 1987 through January 24, 1991, at Frederick County, Maryland, unlawfully did cause abuse to [redacted] a child under the age of

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eighteen (18), [redacted]

[redacted] in violation of

Article 27, Section 35A(b)(1) of the Annotated Code of Maryland; contrary to the form of the Act of Assembly in such cases made and provided and against the peace, government and dignity of the State. (Article 27, Section 35A).

COUNT II - CHILD ABUSE

And, the Jurors aforesaid, do on their oaths and affirmations, present that Daniel Carleton Gajdusek, on or about August 13, 1987 through January 24, 1991, at Frederick County, Maryland, unlawfully did cause abuse to [redacted]

a child under the age of eighteen (18), [redacted]

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in violation of Article 27, Section 35A(b)(1) of the

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*Here's the letter we received concerning
Dr. Rajkumar. Thanks.*

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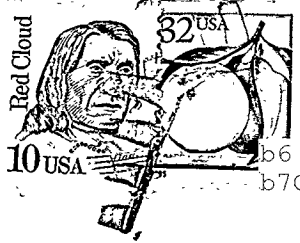
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April 16, 1996

Mr. Louis J. Freeh
Director, FBI
Washington D. C. 20535

Dear Mr. Freeh;

The April 15, 1996 issue of "Newsweek" magazine reported on page 64 that one D. Carleton Gajdusek had been arrested April 4 following an FBI investigation into his relationship with boys he had brought to live and study with him from Micronesia and New Guinea. At least one of these boys reportedly said Gajdusek sexually abused him.

[Redacted] U. S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare (now the Dept. of Health and Human Services). As I do not know whether HHS has Maintained a security file on Gajdusek I feel compelled to furnish the following information from memory. In my opinion it is substantially correct and may be of official use during the FBI investigation as lead material.

In about 1975 my office received a letter from a self-described missionary in Indonesia alleging that Dr. Gajdusek, an employee of the National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, Maryland was touring remote areas of Indonesia conducting medical research. The writer further alleged that Gajdusek was taking young boys from primitive villages for immoral purposes. An investigation was scheduled by (I believe) the U. S. Civil Service Commission with appropriate overseas investigation by the Department of State. Investigation did not substantiate the original allegation and the case was closed without further action. In 1976 Gajdusek was awarded a share of the Nobel prize in medicine. Shortly thereafter he was featured in a lengthy newspaper article in (I believe) the Washington Post. The article contained pictures of Gajdusek along with five or six teenage boys he had reportedly brought back from Indonesia and adopted.

Sincerely,

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On 5/6/96, a meeting occurred at the FBI office in Calverton, Maryland regarding the investigation of Dr. Daniel Gajdusek.

Attached is a list of those who were present at the meeting.

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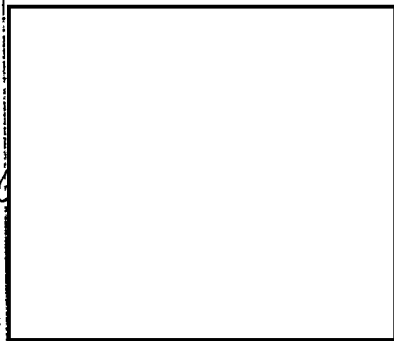
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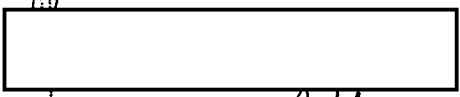
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Contact: [redacted] Ext. 4498

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Source furnished the attached copy of Les Prix Nobel En
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For this, we honour and respect you, and we extend to you our warmest congratulations and our most sincere wishes for the future.

D. Carleton Gajdusek

Your Majesties, Your Royal Highnesses, Ladies and Gentlemen, and Specifically,

Fellow Students!—if I may be granted by you the privilege of calling myself and the other Prize Winners and Prize Givers students, like yourselves! Yet, I warn you that if you do not grant me the privilege you may doom yourselves to a disillusioned maturity and lonely old age as the next generation follows your example.

Here in Sweden we seem to find ourselves back in an old traditional culture, as in the South Pacific, where youth and so-called maturity and old age can still share a complex ritual of initiation or investiture without reciprocal condemnations. Your participation in these tribal rites tonight seems to signify your willingness to take part in the cultural experiment we call our civilization without trying to deny your heritage. You would not yet admit, I hope, the infallibility of its beliefs, goals, and methods.

You make me aware of how thoroughly we here have shared a privileged nurture not granted to most of the world's populations: a leisure, and a plenty, a freedom, an education, and a cultural tradition which encourages and permits us to play the game of the quest for truth and the satisfaction of our curiosity on a grand scale.

May yours be the generation that brings the possibility of playing this magnificent game to all mankind. Yet, may you share with me the sense of uneasiness about our ability to maintain the delicate social order which such pursuits of the truth require without destroying the wonderful human diversity of form, language, and culture still present in the world in this Century. The very truths our successful quests unfold lead to changes that tend to reduce the Community of Man to one frighteningly homogeneous cosmopolitan World Culture, which may deny us even the possibility of imagining the repertoire of the cultural alternatives open to Man.

We must leave to you the wise use of the arts and sciences which will disseminate their benefits to all peoples. May you accomplish this without bringing to extinction the many cultural varieties in the Condition of Man on which his happiness, his search for beauty, and even his survival may depend.

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OO: BALTIMORE.

RE: TELCAL FROM SA [redacted] TO SA [redacted]

ON MAY 24, 1996.

FOR INFORMATION OF HONOLULU, DR. DANIEL CARLETON GAJDUSEK, A 1976 NOBEL PRIZE WINNER, DESCRIBED AS A WHITE MALE, DATE OF BIRTH SEPTEMBER 9, 1923, RESIDING AT 4316 DEER SPRING ROAD, MIDDLETOWN, MARYLAND, WAS ARRESTED ON APRIL 4, 1996, BY MEMBERS OF THE FBI, MONTGOMERY COUNTY POLICE

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DEPARTMENT AND FREDERICK COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE FOR VIOLATION OF MARYLAND STATUTES CONCERNING CHILD ABUSE AND UNNATURAL/ PERVERTED SEX PRACTICE.

DR. GAJDUSEK IS A MEDICAL DOCTOR WHO HAS BEEN EMPLOYED BY THE NATIONAL INSTITUTES OF HEALTH (NIH) IN BETHESDA, MARYLAND, AS A SCIENTIST SINCE 1958. DR. GAJDUSEK WAS THE CHIEF OF THIS LABORATORY OF CENTRAL NERVOUS SYSTEM (LCNS), NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF NEUROLOGICAL DISORDERS AND STROKE (NINDS) OF THE NIH. ACCORDING TO PUBLISHED LITERATURE, HIS MEDICAL BACKGROUND INCLUDES PEDIATRICS, CHILD GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT, INFECTIOUS DISEASE, AND NEUROLOGY.

AT THE TIME OF DR. GAJDUSEK'S ARREST, FOUR MINOR CHILDREN WERE RESIDING AT 4316 DEER SPRING ROAD, MIDDLETOWN, MARYLAND.

ONE OF THESE CHILDREN, [REDACTED] DATE OF BIRTH

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[REDACTED] INFORMATION FURNISHED TO THE
FREDERICK COUNTY WITNESS/VICTIM COORDINATOR FURTHER REVEALED

[REDACTED] [REDACTED]
(PHONETIC), NO FURTHER DETAILS REGARDING [REDACTED] ADDRESS.

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HONOLULU DIVISION: VERIFY THAT [REDACTED] IS

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DIRECT ANY QUESTIONS TO SA [REDACTED] AT BALTIMORE
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On 10/22/96, [redacted] provided the following information to SA [redacted]

Source purchased a book entitled Grand Street and furnished this book to SA [redacted] for review. Grand Street contains excerpts from DR. DANIEL CARLETON GAJDUSEK's journals and also pictures from GAJDUSEK's New Guinea Field Journals dated 1957-1962.

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Enclosed in the 1A section of E1281 is the aforementioned book.

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Subject: Innocent Images; Mayri Case # 110; ITOM-
SEC; OO: BALTIMORE from SA [redacted] to SA [redacted] on 5/24/96.

Reference telcall from SA [redacted] to SA [redacted] on 5/24/96.
FOR INFORMATION OF HONOLULU DR. DANIEL
CARLETON GAYDUSEK, A 1976 Nobel Prize Winner,
further described as a white male, date of
birth 9/9/23, residing at 4316 Deer Spring
Road, Middletown, Maryland. was arrested
on April 4, 1996 by members of the FBI,
Montgomery County Police Department and
Frederick County Sheriff's Office for
violation of Maryland statutes concerning
child abuse and unnatural/perverted
sex practice.

Dr. Gaydusek is a medical doctor who
has been employed by the National
Institutes of Health (NIH) in Bethesda,
Maryland as a scientist since 1958. Dr.
Gaydusek was the Chief of the Laboratory of
Central Nervous Systems (LCNS), National
Institute of Neurological Disorders and
Stroke (NINDS) of the NIH. According to

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published literature, his medical background includes pediatrics, child growth and development, infectious disease and neurology.

At the time of Dr. Baydusek's arrest, four mumsi children were residing at 4316 Deer Spring Road, Middletown, Maryland. One of these children,

[redacted] date of birth [redacted]

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Information furnished to the Frederick County Witness/Victim Coordinator Lester revealed

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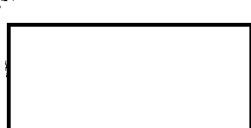
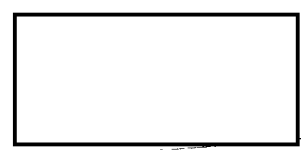
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On 6/10/96, the following investigation was conducted
by SA [redacted] at Calverton, Maryland:

[redacted] was telephonically contacted at her
[redacted] residence in [redacted] at [redacted]
[redacted] regarding the investigation of Dr. Gajdusek. [redacted]
advised she had no knowledge of any innapropriate behavior by Dr.
Gajdusek.

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Memorandum



To : SA [redacted]
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From : [redacted]
Complaint Clerk Sq. 15

Subject: Gajdusek, Daniel Carlton
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Sexually molesting a minor
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[redacted]

Today I received a call from [redacted] who lives in [redacted] called in regards to Mr. Gajdusek, and wanted to know the status of his case. He gave no further information but wanted the agent in charge of his case to give him a call. The number is [redacted]

Our records indicate that his file is maintained at your office under Innocent Images, Major case 110.

If I can be of some assistance, please let me know.

Sincerely,

[redacted]

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February 25, 1997

Special Agent [redacted]
Federal Bureau of Investigation
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Suite 200
Calverton, Maryland 20705

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Re: Carlton Gajdusek

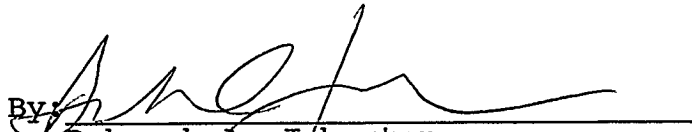
Dear Agent [redacted]

Enclosed please find a copy of the federal plea agreement in the above-captioned case. I believe this concludes our involvement in this monumental case.

Thank you for your assistance. I think this case clearly demonstrates what can be achieved when agencies at all levels of government work together. Thanks again.

Very truly yours,

Lynne A. Battaglia
United States Attorney

By: 
Deborah A. Johnston
Assistant United States Attorney

Enclosure

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February 18, 1997

Mark J. Hulkower, Esquire
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Washington, D.C. 20036-1795

Re: Carlton Gajdusek

Dear Mr. Hulkower:

You have advised this office that your client wishes to enter a plea agreement with the State's Attorney for Frederick County, Maryland and desires that the Federal government, particularly the United States Attorney for the District of Maryland ("the government"), decline any federal prosecution of the defendant arising out of or related to the conduct which is subject of the Frederick County Maryland Indictment No. 20,408 and as further described below.

The government agrees that in return for your client's actions as described herein, it will agree not to prosecute your client as set forth herein.

1. Dr. Gajdusek will enter a plea of guilty to Count One and Count Two of Indictment No. 20,408 currently pending before the Circuit Court for Frederick County, Maryland. Dr. Gajdusek will receive a sentence of ten years on each count to run consecutively with each other. The sentence will be suspended with the exception of the first 18 months. Under current Maryland State parole guidelines the defendant will be eligible for parole after serving 50% of his sentence. The parties agree that he will not be released until he serves 50% of his 18 month term. The parties understand and agree that Dr. Gajdusek may not be automatically paroled upon completion of nine months imprisonment. The parties understand and agree that if Dr. Gajdusek has not been released, the State's Attorney for Frederick County and the defendant will request and the court has agreed to grant a motion for reconsideration and order his release upon his completion of one year in jail. The parties understand and agree that the period of imprisonment shall be served in the Frederick County detention Center and not in any home detention or work release program.

2. Upon completion of his release from imprisonment, either by parole after serving nine months or by reconsideration upon serving one year, Dr. Gajdusek shall be placed on supervised

probation for a period of five years. Dr. Gajdusek shall be entitled to travel, within and outside the United States with notification to his probation agent. If Dr. Gajdusek decides to reside outside the United States, his probation will be unsupervised. However, he will be required to notify the Probation Department should he reenter the United States and his probation shall revert to supervised probation if he decides to reside in the United States for a period of more than thirty days. As an additional condition of his probation, he shall not travel with or pay for the travel expenses of any unrelated minor.

3. The parties further agree and understand that Dr. Gajdusek shall waive all rights to appeal his guilty plea and the sentence imposed by the court, provided the sentence is in accordance with the agreement between Dr. Gajdusek and the State of Maryland. Dr. Gajdusek shall also waive his right to seek a review of sentence pursuant to Art. 27 Section 645JA of the Maryland Annotated Code. Furthermore, except as noted in paragraph 1, Dr. Gajdusek shall waive any right to seek a reconsideration of sentence pursuant to 4-345 Md. Rules of Procedure.

4. In return for Dr. Gajdusek's guilty plea and upon successful completion of his sentence as outlined herein, the government agrees that it will not charge Dr. Gajdusek with any federal criminal offenses arising out of his sexual abuse of minors, including the interstate transportation of minors in violation of 18 U.S.C. §2423, of which the government is currently aware. Furthermore, the government agrees that it will not charge the defendant with theft of government property, and making false statements arising out of his use of frequent flyer miles, his acceptance of honoraria and his completion of financial disclosure forms during the course of his employment at the National Institutes of Health and of which the government is currently aware. Finally, the government agrees that it will not charge the defendant with any violations of the Immigration laws based on the transportation of minor children into the United States, keeping those minors in the United States and providing financial assistance in relation to the transportation of minors in to the United States and in relation to their support while residing in the United States and of which the government is currently aware. The government also agrees that it will not charge Dr. Gajdusek with any criminal offenses of which the Federal Bureau of Investigation, the Immigration and Naturalization Service or the Office of the Inspector General for the Department of Health and Human Services are currently aware or based upon information currently in their possession. The undersigned has been in contact with each of these agencies and has confirmed that there are no current criminal investigations not encompassed by this agreement. This agreement does not preclude the government or any agencies from seeking administrative and/or civil remedies against Dr. Gajdusek.

5. As this agreement contemplates travel by Dr. Gajdusek outside of the United States, his passport shall be returned to his attorney upon commencement of his sentence.


6. This letter sets forth the full and complete agreement between your client and the government. There are no other

understandings or agreements. If your client fails to comply with the terms of the agreement, including the sentence as outlined herein, the government will be released from its obligations and will be free to pursue the federal charges including those outlined in paragraph 3 of this agreement.


If your client fully accepts each and every term and condition of this letter, please sign and have your client sign the original and return it to me promptly. The enclosed copy is for your file.

Very truly yours,


Lynne A. Battaglia
United States Attorney

By: 
Deborah A. Johnston
Assistant United States Attorney

I have read this agreement and carefully reviewed every part of it with my attorney. I understand it, and I voluntarily agree to it.

2/18/97 
Date Dr. Carlton Gajdusek

I am Dr. Carlton Gajdusek's attorney. I have carefully reviewed every part of this agreement with him. To my knowledge, his decision to enter into this agreement is an informed and voluntary one.

2/19/97 
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JUSTIN GILLIS, reporter for the Washington Post, has
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A biography was recently written on Dr. Daniel Carleton Gajdusek. Source advised that in the 4/14/97 edition of "The New Yorker" the biography was reviewed.

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On 4/30/97, Frederick County Circuit Court Judge Dwyer sentenced Dr. Daniel Carleton Gajdusek to 18 months imprisonment in the Frederick County Detention Center commencing at 12:00 pm 4/30/97. This sentence was pursuant to a plea agreement signed by Dr. Gajdusek and his attorney, Mark Hulkower, on 2/18/97.

In addition to the 18 months imprisonment, Judge Dwyer ordered Dr. Gajdusek on supervised probation for 5 years after completion of at least 50% (9 months) of his imprisonment.

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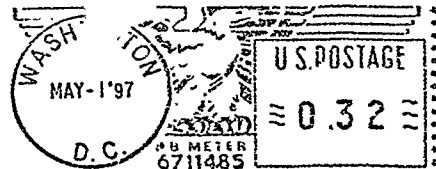
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Nobel Laureate Is Sent to Jail Tape Helped Decide Fate in Sex Abuse Case

By Justin Gillis
Washington Post Staff Writer

FREDERICK, Md., April 29

The conversation was drifting toward sensitive matters, specifically the subject of sex with minors. The Nobel Prize-winning scientist put his caller on hold to switch to a more secure line at his government office.

"I hope I'm on a private line,"

Daniel Carleton Gajdusek said into the phone. "I hope it's not being tapped."

It was. The tape became the strongest piece of evidence in a case that sent Gajdusek to jail for a day for child abuse.

The caller that day was a young

man who grew up in Gajdusek's household, one of 56 youths whom the National Institutes of Health scientist had brought to live with him in the United States from distant lands. The young man, who had heard from investigators, wanted to talk about the past. That much Gajdusek knew that morning at 11:16 a.m. March 15, 1996.

What he didn't know was that the young man was sitting in the company of an FBI agent, Patricia L. Ferrante, and that her tape recorder was rolling.

"You did some stuff to me," the young man said.

"Well, forget it," Gajdusek replied.

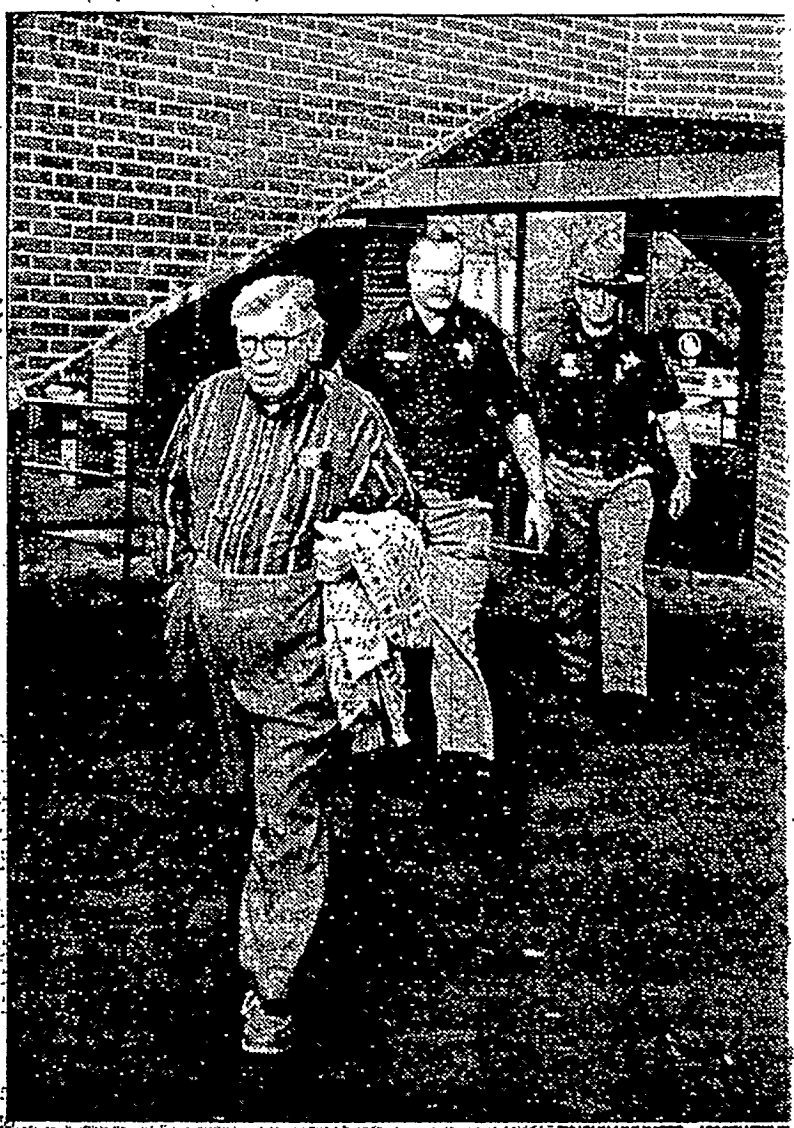
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Daniel Carleton Gajdusek will spend nine months to a year in jail.

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Daniel Carleton Gajdusek leaves the courthouse and heads to jail.

Audiotape Helped Case Against Nobel Winner

GAJDUSEK, From A1

Caller: "So you want, you want me to, like, lie to them?"
Gajdusek: "Yes. Absolutely."
No details of the case against Gajdusek were brought up in court, but evidence from the files of the Frederick County state's attorney was made available afterward to The Washington Post.

The recording played today for The Post is of a long conversation, in which one of the most esteemed men in American science admitted to his adoptive son that he was a pedophile. He admitted having sex

abuse. His journals, scrutinized closely after his arrest, described moments of intimacy with boys over the course of decades, but they did not answer the central question: Was he having sex with them?

The full truth came to light only after his sentencing today. Most compelling was the tape recording: "Do you remember what you said to me?" the young man asked Gajdusek as the FBI listened in.

"Yeah."
"What is it?"
"Well, I hardly remember. I mean I just remember that we were just lying together and I played with y

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with the young man. He alternately apologized for and tried to justify having sex with youngsters in his care. He repeatedly implored the young man to deceive the authorities. He named several boys with whom he had had sex, including one still living in his household that day. He said he had gone "to the ends of the earth" to find underage partners. "I did it with younger kids in cultures in which they're doing it all the time with adults anyway," he said.

Today, his eyes rimmed with tears, enveloped in the warmth of his extended network of friends and family, Carleton Gajdusek said his goodbyes at the Frederick County courthouse and reported to jail.

He will spend nine months to a year there on two counts of child abuse involving sexual acts with his adopted son. That outcome was a foregone conclusion under a plea agreement Gajdusek reached this year. When he gets out, he will spend 14 more years on probation. He is 73.

It was a sad denouement to a remarkable career, one that took Gajdusek from childhood in an immigrant neighborhood in Yonkers, N.Y., to the pinnacle of world science.

As a young man, he trekked through the wilds of New Guinea to document the existence of kuru, a degenerative neurological disease that turned the brain into a spongy mess. He returned to New Guinea and to other islands of the Pacific repeatedly over a lifetime to pursue his scientific studies. He rose to become head of his own NIH laboratory. He popularized the idea that viruses could cause human disease slowly, setting the stage many years later for understanding a new ailment called AIDS. Gajdusek won the Nobel Prize in 1975 for studies representing "an extraordinarily fundamental advance in human neurology and in mammalian biology and microbiology."

As he was building a resume that takes six pages of fine type, Gajdusek was keeping an unusual household.

In his journals, he wrote that he fled women yet developed extraordinary attachments to children in the islands. He wrote with interest of tribes in New Guinea, where sexual contact with adult men was a rite of passage for boys. He brought dozens of boys and a few girls home to live with him over the years, spending most of his money to put them through college.

When Gajdusek was arrested last year, his friends throughout the world were shocked and outraged. They said he was a loving man who could not possibly be guilty of child

abuse. "I probably touched your penis with my lips or something," Gajdusek replied.

once or twice. We jerked off together. That's about all I remember." The young man repeatedly accused Gajdusek of lying—of minimizing the amount of sex the two of them had together and the amount Gajdusek was having with other minors in the household. "You know you did oral sex," the young man said.

"I probably touched your penis with my lips or something," Gajdusek replied.

As the conversation unfolded, a reluctant Gajdusek admitted more and more, all the while pleading with the young man to keep things quiet. At one point, as the young man pressed him for victims' names, Gajdusek found it easier to name the boys he hadn't had sex with. He warned that the whole unorthodox Gajdusek household might be shut down if the young man talked. "You're gonna collapse our scheme," Gajdusek said. "I'm gonna be in real trouble."

Several times, Gajdusek described himself as a gay man and spoke in the same breath of his attraction to minors. The young man, a college student at the time, grew impatient. He told Gajdusek it "doesn't bother me if you are gay and you are having sex with someone . . . the same age or someone outside the family." But he said he was troubled by the idea that children in the household were suffering abuse.

Gajdusek said on the tape that he had had sex with another youngster in the household. Investigators said the boy confirmed it. But Frederick County State's Attorney Scott Rolle said Gajdusek's allies spirited the boy out of the country before he could testify. Rolle said a Gajdusek associate showed up at one point with plane tickets for the college student, too, and threatened trouble if he didn't leave. Rolle said that investigators chased the Gajdusek associate around town with a warrant for his arrest on a charge of obstructing justice but that he got away. Plans to prosecute that man were eventually dropped, Rolle said.

In the taped telephone call, Gajdusek pleaded with the college student for understanding. He said he wasn't happy about being attracted to minors. He said he thought the young man, having grown to adulthood, might understand and sympathize.

"But Carleton, that's the problem," the young man said. "I'm an adult, and I'm able to reason now that what you did is wrong."

FOR MORE INFORMATION

To read a Post series about Gajdusek and the lives of the children he brought to the United States, click on the above symbol on the front page of The Post's Web site at www.washingtonpost.com

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Nobel laureate charged with sexual abuse

Washington. Daniel Carleton Gadjusek, a Nobel prizewinner for his work on infectious diseases and a prominent researcher at the National Institutes of Health (NIH), has been charged with sexually abusing a fifteen-year-old boy whom he had brought to the United States from one of his many anthropological research missions to the South Pacific.

Gadjusek, 72, who was arrested on 4 April after an investigation by the Federal Bureau of Investigations, denies the charges. He has brought up to fifty young people back to the United States from New Guinea and Micronesia, caring for them in his home outside Washington DC, and paying for their education.

Several colleagues of Gadjusek expressed shock and disbelief at the charges, and some are said to have helped raise the \$350,000 bail on which

he was released from custody on 6 April.

Gadjusek, who heads a central nervous system laboratory at NIH, won the Nobel prize for medicine in 1976 for his research on mechanisms concerning the origin and dissemination of infectious diseases, including kuru, which afflicts islanders in New Guinea. Much of his work is anthropological, and he has published descriptions of sexual relations between adults and children in primitive societies.

It is understood that these descriptions attracted the interest of the US authorities, who had previously investigated Gadjusek's relationship with the children he had brought back. But charges were filed only with the cooperation of a Micronesian man, now aged 23 and a college student, who claims to have been abused in 1987. **C.M.**

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Source also stated that a book was recently published titled "Deadly Feasts" written by Richard Rhodes about the mad cow disease and Dr. Gajdusek. Source did not read the book but a review of the book was in the 3/23/97 edition of the "Washington Post."

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The source also provided copies of two articles from Science and Nature Magazine concerning the Gajdusek case and [redacted]

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Nobelist Charged With Child Sex Abuse

Daniel Carleton Gajdusek, 72, a National Institutes of Health (NIH) researcher who shared the 1976 Nobel Prize in physiology or medicine, was arrested on 4 April at his home in Middletown, Maryland. State authorities have charged the scientist with "child abuse" and "unnatural and perverted sexual practice," alleging that he sexually abused a teenaged boy he had brought to the United States from Micronesia. Gajdusek was booked into Frederick County jail in Maryland and, as of 5 April, bail was set at \$1 million.

Gajdusek has been chief of the Laboratory of Central Nervous System Studies of the NIH's National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke since 1970. He has also traveled frequently to New Guinea and Micronesia in connection with his research on neurological diseases, including the spongiform encephalopathies—one of which is currently in the news in the form of "mad cow disease"—work that garnered him the Nobel Prize. According to a statement by Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) agent Patricia Ferrante, Gajdusek has, over the years, brought 56 children from Micronesia and New Guinea to live with him, with four of them currently in residence.

Authorities have had their eyes on Gajdusek for some time. In August 1989, according to Ferrante, he was investigated by the Pedophile Section of the Montgomery County police, but the investigation was dropped for lack of evidence. Larry Foust of the FBI office in Baltimore says the agency developed an interest in Gajdusek in the course of an investigation of child pornography on the Internet. According to court papers, the FBI subsequently obtained an interview with one of the Micronesian children Gajdusek had sponsored, now a 23-year-old college student, who recounted episodes of sexual molestation which continued until about 2 years ago. On 15 March the student is said to have had a telephone conversation with Gajdusek in which the latter acknowledged being a "pedophile." Gajdusek left the country immediately afterward, and was arrested on his return.

A scientist who knows Gajdusek but prefers to remain anonymous says "everyone who knew him knew" that he sponsored many children. But the scientist says he is "stunned" by the charges.

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NEWS

Nobel prize winner Gajdusek admits child abuse

Daniel Carleton Gajdusek, who won the Nobel prize in 1976 for his pioneering research into human slow-virus infections, is free on US\$350 000 bail after admitting on Feb 18 in a County Circuit Court in Frederick, Maryland, USA, that he had sexually abused one of the dozens of Micronesian boys he has brought to live with him in the USA over the past four decades.

Gajdusek is perhaps best known for his research into kuru. This infectious brain disease affected the Fore tribe of New Guinea, a people who practised ritual cannibalism and contracted the infection by eating the brains of tribal members who had died of the disease.

The renowned 73-year-old scientist was chief of the Laboratory of Central Nervous System Studies at the US National Institutes of Health when he was arrested last April on charges of child abuse and perverted sexual practices. His admission of guilt on the charges of child abuse only was part of a plea bargain agreement. Under the terms of the agreement, Gajdusek will face up to a year in prison.

Gajdusek, who had trained as a paediatrician and virologist, was on a research expedition in New Guinea in the late 1950s when he learned of a fatal neurological disease that was endemic among the members of a tribe living in a remote area of New

Guinea's eastern highlands. He spent months living with the tribe, studying its culture and collecting tissue samples from people with kuru. Eventually, Gajdusek, working with Clarence J Gibbs, demonstrated that kuru could be transmitted to chimpanzees by injecting them with brain tissue from affected people. They later showed that another fatal human neurodegenerative disorder, Creutzfeldt-Jakob disease, was also due to an infectious agent.

The US Federal Bureau of Investigation began to investigate Gajdusek after authorities learned about material in journals he had kept during his many expeditions to New Guinea and other islands of the western South Pacific. The journals, which he published and which are openly available in US university libraries, are peppered with details about the promiscuous sexual practices of some tribes. These accounts often focus on homosexual activities involving young boys, including flirtatious encounters Gajdusek himself experienced.

In an entry from an expedition to the South Pacific in 1967, for example, Gajdusek wrote, "The boy, Ai'e-anji, flirted with his eyes, signalled

surreptitiously his interest in me and various boys, and used all of the flashing eye signals and brow furrowing of upraised eyes to indicate sensual interest . . .". Another entry from a 1969 expedition to New Guinea reads, "Whenever I respond to the overtures of one of the young boys by letting them cling to me, by hugging them or walking with them hand in hand, their relatives, often their fathers, knowingly smile and without ambiguity indicate that I should let the boys play sexually with me".



Gajdusek (centre)

In other sections of his journals, he rails against the inhibitions of conventional Western sexual mores, writing in 1961, for example, "How much there is to gain if the fun and joy of childish play can be left uninhibited in adult life, without semantic twists into categories of bawdiness, perversion, lewdness, sensuality, eroticism, unnaturalness, masochism and sadism". However, although Gajdusek writes of sleeping with boys on these expeditions, he never says he had sex with them.

When FBI agents learned that Gajdusek had brought scores of young boys from the Pacific islands to live with him over the years, they set out to contact and interview as many of them as they could, eventually finding a college student who said he had been sexually assaulted by Gajdusek when he was underage. The FBI persuaded the young man to place a call to Gajdusek which the FBI taped. According to the FBI, Gajdusek acknowledges on that tape that he had sexually assaulted the student who was a minor at the time of the incident.

Sentencing of Gajdusek is scheduled for April 29.

Mike McCarthy

Gajdusek's life and career

Sept 9, 1923: Born in Yonkers, New York

1943: BS *summa cum laude*, University of Rochester

1946: MD, Harvard Medical School

1958: Made director of Program for the Study of Child Growth and Development and Disease Patterns in Primitive Cultures, and Laboratory of Slow Latent and Temperate Virus Infections, National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke, Bethesda.

1970: Appointed chief of Laboratory of Central Nervous System Studies, NINDS.

1976: Joint winner of the Nobel Prize for Physiology or Medicine. Over a career spanning more than five decades, Gajdusek won many prizes and wrote over 750 papers in learned journals.

April 1996: Arrested on sexual abuse charges, went on leave from NIH.

Feb 18, 1997: Pleaded guilty to charges of child abuse, retired from NIH Feb 17.

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Baltimore, Maryland 21207
May 12, 1997

The Honorable Scott L. Rolle
State's Attorney for Frederick County
Office of the State's Attorney
P. O. Box 210
Frederick, Maryland 21705-0210

Dear Mr. Rolle:


I have your letter of May 2, 1997, in which you
comment so favorably concerning the work of Special Agent
[redacted] in connection with the case of State of
Maryland vs. Daniel Carleton Gajdusek.

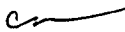
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[redacted] joins me in thanking you for your generous
comments and thoughtfulness in writing. You may be interested
to know that your letter will be made part of her personnel file.

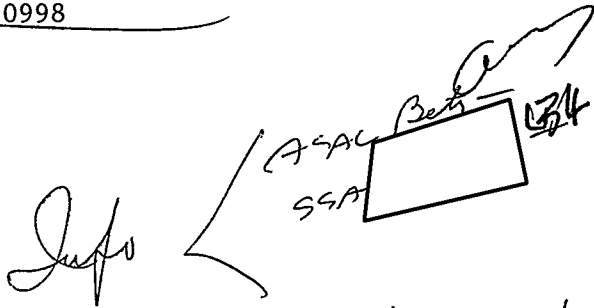
Letters such as yours are extremely encouraging to us,
and it is our earnest hope that our efforts continue to merit
your approval and support.

Sincerely,

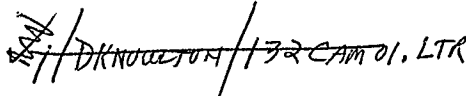

David R. Knowlton
Special Agent in Charge

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May 2, 1997

SAC David R. Knowlton
7142 Ambassador Road
Baltimore, Maryland 21244

Dear SAC Knowlton:

I am writing to you to express my appreciation for the assistance provided to the Frederick County State's Attorney's Office by Special Agent [redacted] in the case of State of Maryland vs. Daniel Carleton Gajdusek.

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Special Agent [redacted] was the lead investigator in the case which ultimately led to a conviction and an eighteen (18) month jail sentence for the Defendant who was charged with child sexual abuse.

Special Agent [redacted] investigation was one of the most thorough and professional I have ever encountered. She willingly and promptly carried out the tasks necessary to bring this case to its successful conclusion. Her performance was top-notch despite the fact that the investigation was conducted in the fishbowl atmosphere brought about by the national and international media attention the case received.

It was a pleasure to work with Special Agent [redacted] and her partner [redacted]. Please pass on to her my sincere thanks on behalf of the Frederick County State's Attorney's Office and the citizens of Frederick County for a job well done.

Sincerely,

[Handwritten Signature]
Scott L. Rolle
State's Attorney for
Frederick County

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Accomplishment Report

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FD-515 (Rev. 10-1-96)

Squad supervisor approval (please initial)

Accomplishment involves: (check all that apply)
Drugs
A Fugitive
Bankruptcy Fraud
Computer Fraud/Abuse
Corruption of Public Officials
Forfeiture Assets
Sub Invest Asst by FO (s)

File Number
145C-BA-80998E1281

Stat Agent Soc. Sec. No.

Stat Agent Name

RA Squad

Assisting Agents Soc. Sec. No. X

Name

Name

Name

Investigative Assistance or Technique Used
Table with columns: Rate, FO, IAT, and various assistance types like Fin. Analyst, Aircraft Asst., Computer, etc.

Asst. FO(s) A, B, C, D

Task Force MARCET

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A. Complaint / Information / Indictment
Federal Local International
Complaint Date
Check if Civil Rico Complaint
Information Date
Indictment Date

D. Hostage(s) Released Date
Released by: Terrorist Other
Number of Hostages:
Child Located Date

F. Civil Rico Matters Date
Also Complete Section I
or
Other Civil Matters Date
Judgment
Judicial Outcome X
Amount: \$
Suspension: Years Months

B. Locate/ Arrest
Federal Local International
Subject Priority: A B C
Locate Date
Arrest Date
Subject Resisted Arrest
Subject Arrested was Armed

E. Recovery / Restitution / PELP X
Federal Local International
Recovery Date
Code Amount
Restitution Date
Court Ordered
Pretrial Diversion
Code Amount
PELP Date
Code Amount

G. Administrative Sanctions Date
Subject Description Code
Type: Length:
Suspension Permanent
Debarment Years Months
Injunction

C. Summons
Federal Local
Summons Date

H. Conviction
Federal Local International
Conviction Date: 2/18/97
Subject Description Code: 8A
For 6F, G, H--Include Agency Code
Felony Or Misdemeanor
Plea Or Trial
State: MD Judicial District: Frederick County

I. U.S. Code Violations
Required for Sections A, B, F, and H (Federal only)
Table with columns: Title, Section, # of Counts

J. Sentence Date:
Sentence type:
In-Jail Years Months
Suspended Years Months
Probation Years Months
Fines: \$

K. Acquittal / Dismissal / Pretrial Diversion
Acquittal Date
Dismissal Date
Pretrial Diversion Date

L. Subject Information (Required for all Sections excluding Section D and E (Recovery/PELP))

Name: Dr. Daniel Carleton Gajdusek
Race: W Sex: M Date of Birth: 9/9/23
Social Security No. (if available)

For Indictments/Convictions only:
Subject related to an LCN, Asian Organized Crime (AOC), Italian Organized Crime (IOC) Group-Complete FD-515a, Side 1
Subject related to an OC/Drug Organization or a VC/MO Program relating to street gangs involved in drugs-Complete FD-515a, Side 2

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***** CONVICTION *****
SENSITIVE / UNCLASSIFIED

Case Number: 145C-BA-80998-E1281
Serial No.:

Stat Agent Name: [Redacted]
Stat Agent SOC.: [Redacted]

Report Date: 06/18/1997
Accom Date.: 02/18/1997

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Does Accomplishment Involve	Assisting Joint Agencies	Assisting Agents SOC	Subject Name
Drugs : N		[Redacted]	GAJDUSEK, DANIEL, CARLTON
A Fugitive. : N			
Bankruptcy Fraud. : N			
Computer Fraud/Abuse. : Y			RA Squad Task Force
Corruption of Public Officials: N			-----
Forfeiture Assets : N			MMOC 19

Sub. Invest. Asst by Other FOs: 1 = Used, but did not help
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 4 = Absolutely Essential

Investigative Assistance or Technique Used

FINAN ANALYST	LAB DIV EXAMS	UCO-GROUP I	FT. MON-NRCSC
AIRCRAFT ASST	LAB FIELD SUP	UCO-GROUP II	FOR. LANG ASST
COMPUTER ASST	PEN REGISTERS	UCO-OTHER	NON FBI LAB EX
4 CONSEN MONITR	PHOTO COVERGE	NCAVC/VI-CAP	
ELSUR/FISC	POLYGRAPH	CRIM INTEL AST	
ELSUR/III	3 SRCH WAR EXEC	CRIS NEG-FED	
ENG FIELD SUP	SHOW MONEY	CRIS NEG-LOC	
ENG TAPE EXAM	SOG ASST	ERT ASST	
LEGATS ASST.	SWAT TEAM	BUTTE-ITC	
EVIDNCE PURCH	TECH AG/EQUIP	SAVANNAH-ITC	
3 INFORMANT/CW	TEL TOLL RECS	POC-WRCSC	

Date of Conviction (MM/DD/YYYY) : 02/18/1997
 Date of Sentencing (MM/DD/YYYY) :
 Subject Description Code. : 8A
 Federal, Local, or International (F/L/I) : L
 Felony or Misdemeanor (F/M) : F
 Plea or Trial (P/T) : P
 Judicial State. : MD
 Judicial District :
 Type of Sentence :

	Year	Month	U. S. Code Violation(s)		
			Title	Section	Counts
Time in Jail. . .	----	----	-----	-----	-----
Time Suspended.:					
Probation Time.:					
Total Fines. . .					

Form FD-515a Side 2:
 Investigative Efforts = N/A OR NONE
 Subject's Role = N/A OR NONE
 Scope = N/A OR NONE

Accomplishment Narrative

ON 2/18/97, DR. DANIEL GAJDUSEK APPEARED BEFORE FREDERICK CO. JUDGE DWIRE,
 CIRCUIT COURT, FRED. MD AND ENTERED A GUILTY PLEA TO TWO COUNTS OF CHILD
 ABUSE
ENTERED UPON REC/515 WAS MISSING US CODE VIOLATION
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On 2/18/97, Dr. Daniel Carleton Gajdusek appeared before Frederick County Judge Dwire, Circuit Court, Frederick, Maryland and entered a guilty plea to two counts of child abuse.

Accomplishment Report

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Bankruptcy Fraud
Computer Fraud/Abuse
Corruption of Public Officials
Forfeiture Assets
Sub Invest Asst by FO (s)

File Number
145C-BA-80998 E1251

Stat Agent Soc. Sec. No.

Stat Agent Name

RA Squad
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Assisting Agents Soc. Sec. No. x

Name

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Investigative Assistance or Technique Used
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2 -Helped, minimally
3 - Helped, substantially
4 - Absolutely essential
For Sub. Invest. Assist. by other FO (s) indicate A,B,C,D for corresponding FO

Table with columns: Rate, FO, IAT, Rate, FO, IAT, Rate, FO, IAT, Rate, FO, IAT. Rows include: Fin. Analyst, Lab. Div. Exam, UCO - Group I, Ft. Mon.- NRCSC, Aircraft Asst., Lab. Field Sup, UCO - Group II, For. Lang Asst., Computer, Pen Registers, UCO - Nat. Back, Non FBI Lab Ex, Consen Mon., Photo Cover., NCAVC / VI - CAP, Elsur / FISC, Polygraph, Crim Intel Asst, Elsur / T. III, Search Warrant, Crisis Neg. - Fed., Eng. Field Spt., Show Money, Crisis Neg. - Local, Eng. Tape Ex, SOG Asst., ERT Asst., Legats Asst., Swat Team, Butte - ITC, Evid Purchase, Tech. Ag/Equip, Sav - ITC, Int/CW Info, Phone Toll Rec, Poc - WRCSC

Asst. FO(s) A, B, C, D

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Assisting Agencies x
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A. Complaint / Information / Indictment
Federal Local International
Complaint Date
Check if Civil Rico Complaint
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B. Locate/ Arrest
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State: Judicial District:

D. Hostage(s) Released Date
Released by: Terrorist Other
Number of Hostages:
Child Located Date

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Federal Local International
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Other Civil Matters Date
Judgment
Judicial Outcome X
Amount: \$
Suspension: Years Months

G. Administrative Sanctions Date
Subject Description Code
Type: Length:
Suspension Permanent
Debarment Years Months
Injunction

J. Sentence Date: 4/29/97
Sentence type: JS, PB
Table with columns: In-Jail Years Months, Suspended Years Months, Probation Years Months
Fines: \$

K. Acquittal / Dismissal / Pretrial Diversion
Acquittal Date
Dismissal Date
Pretrial Diversion Date

L. Subject Information (Required for all Sections excluding Section D and E (Recovery/PELP))

Table with columns: Name, Race, Sex, Date of Birth, Social Security No. (if available)
Dr. Daniel Carleton Bajdusek, W, M, 9/9/23

For Indictments/Convictions only:
Subject related to an LCN, Asian Organized Crime (AOC), Italian Organized Crime (IOC) Group-Complete FD-515a, Side 1
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On 4/29/97, Daniel Carleton Goodusek was sentenced to ten years on each count (2 counts child abuse) to run consecutively, all suspended except for the first 18 months.

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***** SENTENCING *****

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Case Number: 145C-BA-80998-E1281
Serial No.:

Stat Agent Name: [Redacted]
Stat Agent SOC.: [Redacted]

Report Date: 06/18/1997
Accom Date.: 04/29/1997

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Does Accomplishment Involve	Assisting Joint Agencies	Assisting Agents SOC	Subject Name		
Drugs : N		[Redacted]	GAJDUSEK, DANIEL, CARLTON		
A Fugitive. : N			RA	Squad	Task Force
Bankruptcy Fraud. : N			---	---	-----
Computer Fraud/Abuse. : Y			MMOC	19	
Corruption of Public Officials: N					
Forfeiture Assets : N					

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EVIDNCE PURCH	TECH AG/EQUIP	SAVANNAH-ITC	
3 INFORMANT/CW	TEL TOLL RECS	POC-WRCSC	

Type of Sentence . . . : JS PB SJ
 Date of Sentencing . . . : 04/29/1997
 Federal, Local, or International (F/L/I): L

	Year	Month
Time in Jail. . .	20	
Time Suspended.:	18	6
Probation Time.:	5	
Total Fines. . .:	\$	

Accomplishment Narrative

ON 4/29/97, DR. GAJDUSEK WAS SENTENCED TO 10 YEARS ON EACH COUNT (2 COUNTS CHILD ABUSE) TO RUN CONSECUTIVELY, ALL SUSPENDED EXCEPT FOR THE FIRST 18 MONTHS

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Subj: Victim Sues Jailed Nobel Scientist
Date: 2/4/98 11:13:58 AM Eastern Standard Time
From: AOL News
BCC: [redacted]

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Victim Sues Jailed Nobel Scientist

.c The Associated Press

FREDERICK, Md. (AP) - A Nobel-Prize winning scientist who is in jail for child sexual abuse has been sued for \$2.2 million by a victim.

The suit against Daniel Carleton Gajdusek, 74, was filed in Frederick County Circuit Court by John Clayton Harongsemal, 25, of Frederick.

Harongsemal was one of the two boys in Gajdusek's care that he admitted sexually abusing at his home in Middletown while they were under the age of 18. Harongsemal came at age 16 from Micronesia to live with Gajdusek.

Gajdusek, pronounced GUY-da-shek, brought home 56 children, mostly boys, from research trips to the Pacific islands beginning in the 1960s. He said he brought them to be educated.

Gajdusek was convicted in April of sexual abuse. As part of a plea bargain, the judge suspended all but 18 months of a 30-year sentence.

Gajdusek won the 1976 Nobel Prize in medicine for his work on "slow viruses" that lie dormant before attacking the body. These include the virus implicated in mad-cow disease.

Last February, Gajdusek retired from the National Institutes of Health in Bethesda, where he had been chief of the Laboratory for Central Nervous System Studies.

Harongsemal's lawsuit seeks compensatory and punitive damages. He is claiming breach of contract, as well as battery, negligent misrepresentation and emotional distress.

The suit claims Gajdusek agreed to pay Harongsemal's educational and living expenses, and that financial support was cut off in early 1996.

In March 1996, according to court records, Harongsemal allowed the FBI to tape a conversation with Gajdusek in which he admitted abusing Harongsemal. He also admitted he was a pedophile and asked Harongsemal to lie if questioned by authorities.

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DATE: 09-16-2009
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Date: 08/28/1998

To: Baltimore

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From: Information Resources
Field Information Support Section
Contact: [redacted] ext. 4892

Approved By: [redacted]

Drafted By: [redacted] bg

Case ID #: 145C-BA-80998 - 3842

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Title: CARLETON GAJDUSEK
ALSO KNOWN AS: DANIEL GAJDUSEK

(S) [redacted]
NAME CHECK REQUEST

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(S) **Synopsis:** The Bureau is in receipt of a name check request form the [redacted] concerning Carleton Gajdusek, also known as Daniel Gajdusek, born September 9, 1923, in, the USA.

Reference: 145C-BA-80998 Serials 4, 5, 35, 51, 63, 78, 119, 120
145C-BA-80998-515 serial 18
145C-BA-80998-R serial 21

Administrative: We are authorized to conduct name checks for federal executive branch agencies under MAOP, Part 2, Section 9, 9-2.4.

(S) **Enclosures:** Copy of [redacted] name check.

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Details: Baltimore is directed to its file 145C-BA-80998 captioned "Innocent Images; ITOM," wherein Gajdusek is mentioned in the above referenced serials. It appears that Gajdusek involvement in this matter has been resolved.

As this investigation is pending, contact the U.S. Attorney for dissemination guidance from a prosecutive standpoint concerning Gajdusek.

(S) Baltimore is to submit an EC and LHM suitable for dissemination to [redacted] setting forth pertinent details of the investigation (do not include Grand Jury 6E material of Bureau techniques in this LHM) and the final prosecutive action, (if any) to the attention of [redacted] Executive Agencies Dissemination Subunit, Room 4965, FBIHQ.

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To: Baltimore From: Information Resources
Re: 145C-BA-80998, 08/28/1998

LEAD (s):

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AT BALTIMORE, MARYLAND

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Baltimore is requested to review the referenced
serials in its file and provide an LHM suitable for dissemination
to [redacted] Please provide a response as soon as possible as [redacted]
has now advised that the request has become urgent.

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U.S. Department of Justice



Federal Bureau of Investigation

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

Baltimore, MD 21244

August 28, 1998

INNOCENT IMAGES
MAJOR CASE #110
INTERSTATE TRANSPORTATION
OF OBSCENE MATERIAL -
SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF CHILDREN

Daniel Carleton Gajdusek, a white male, date of birth September 9, 1923, is a medical doctor who, before his arrest, was employed by the National Institutes of Health (NIH) in Bethesda, Maryland as a scientist since 1958. Dr. Gajdusek was the Chief of Laboratory of Central Nervous Systems (LCNS), National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke (NINDS) of the NIH. According to public literature, his medical background included pediatrics, child growth and development, infectious diseases and neurology. Dr. Gajdusek won the Nobel Prize in 1976 for his work in physiology/medicine. At the time of his arrest, Dr. Gajdusek resided in Frederick, County, Maryland.

During November 1995, a criminal investigation was initiated by the FBI into the activities of Dr. Daniel Gajdusek focusing on his importation of children into the United States from Micronesia and New Guinea. According to biographical literature, Dr. Gajdusek brought approximately 56 children to this country and assumed responsibility for their care and education. He had traveled extensively to the South Pacific Islands of Micronesia and New Guinea. A review of published research journals revealed repeated references to the sexual behavior and practices of certain native people, mainly focusing on boys. In certain passages, Dr. Gajdusek alludes to his having sexual contact with boys encountered on his travels.

Investigation established that Dr. Gajdusek was the subject of three investigations by the Frederick County Protective Services, one in 1993 and two in 1995. One concerned child neglect, while the other two focused on suspected sexual abuse. The investigations were closed with no action taken against Dr. Gajdusek. Follow-up investigation by the FBI identified one victim who disclosed that Dr. Gajdusek began to have sexual contact with the victim [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] This activity occurred numerous

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times and continued until approximately 1994, with the last incident occurring at the Gajdusek home in New York.

Subsequently, Dr. Gajdusek was arrested on April 4, 1996, by members of the FBI, Montgomery County Department of Police and Frederick County Sheriff's Office. Gajdusek was charged with violations of Maryland statutes for child abuse and unnatural/perverted sex practice.

On April 26, 1996, Dr. Gajdusek was indicted under Maryland State Code, Article 27, 35A(2) and Article 27, 554(2).

On February 18, 1997, Dr. Gajdusek entered into a guilty plea to two counts of child abuse, in the Frederick County Circuit Court.

On April 29, 1997, Dr. Daniel Carleton Gajdusek was sentenced to 20 years in jail, 18 years and 6 months suspended, and 5 years probation.

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Precedence: IMMEDIATE

Date: 08/28/1998

To: Information Resources Attn: [redacted]
Field Information Support Section Ext. 4892

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From: Baltimore
Squad 19/MMOC
Contact: IRS [redacted] (301) 586-4498

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Approved By: [redacted]

Drafted By: [redacted]

Case ID #: 145C-BA-80998-E1281 (Pending)

Title: INNOCENT IMAGES
MAJOR CASE 110
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(S) Synopsis: Results of name check request form from the [redacted]
[redacted]

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Reference: 145C-BA-80998 Serial 3842

Enclosures: Enclosed for the Information Resources Field Information Support Section are two copies of LHM suitable for dissemination regarding pertinent details of the Daniel Carleton Gajdusek investigation.

(S) Details: The purpose of this communication is to enclose an LHM suitable for dissemination to the [redacted] [redacted] regarding details of the Daniel Carleton Gajdusek investigation as requested in referenced EC.

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