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TO: ALL RECEPTIONISTS,  
OFFICE OF THE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY,  
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FROM: MR. RODRIGUEZ, AUSA

DATE: MAY 19, 1995

RE: PRESS CALLS AND INQUIRIES CONCERNING  
AUSA RODRIGUEZ' DUTIES AS ASSOCIATE  
INDEPENDENT COUNSEL

In accordance with my routine refusal to communicate with members of the press, please consider this memorandum a formal request that all press inquiries made to AUSA Rodriguez concerning the Office of Independent Counsel's investigation -- to wit: In Re Madison Guarantee Savings and Loan -- be referred to the Office of Independent Counsel located in Little Rock, Arkansas. The telephone number in Little Rock, Arkansas is (501) 221-8700.

Referral is to be made to all agents of the press identifying themselves as such and who are calling in order to speak to AUSA Rodriguez concerning In Re Madison Guarantee Savings and Loan. Agents of the press that are appropriate for referral may be identified as persons seeking information concerning "Whitewater" or former Deputy Legal Counsel Vincent W. Foster.

cc: Office of the U.S. Attorney:  
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