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Greetings Mr. Miller:

The New Orleans Police Department would like to take this opportunity to thank you and your team for your assistance in the recovery of Douglas Schantz.

Mr. Schantz fell into the Mississippi River at the Toulouse Street Wharf, and it would have been very difficult to locate him in a timely manner without the use of your sophisticated sonar equipment given the Mississippi River's strong current.

Again, we thank you for your assistance and cooperation in bringing closure to the family of Mr. Schantz.

Sincerely,

Ronal W. Serpas Ph.D
Superintendent of Police

By:

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