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March 17, 2008

The Park Terrace
Attn: Richard Wang
4608 West Burleigh Street
Milwaukee, WI 53210

RE: The Park Terrace
C.I. File No: 07-S-433

Dear Mr. Wang:


We have received your claim in the amount of \$2,000.00, relating to damage sustained to your property at 8738 West Appleton Avenue on December 9, 2007 when the Milwaukee Police Department (MPD) conducted a search of the premises.

Our investigation reveals that the MPD executed a Lawful Search Warrant which necessitated the use of forced entry. The use of force is authorized by Wis. Stat. §968.14. The MPD served the warrant at this location pursuant to alleged prostitution and exploitation of a child. The other alleged damage to your property was related to gathering evidence of this alleged activity. Since the use of force was authorized by state statutes and the MPD was acting within its sphere of responsibility, we are denying your claim.

If you wish to appeal this decision, you may do so by sending a letter within 21 days of the date of this letter to the Milwaukee City Clerk, 200 East Wells Street, Room 205, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202, requesting a hearing.

Very truly yours,


GRANT F. LANGLEY
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