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Date: 12/30/2008

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Contact: COS [REDACTED]

Approved By: [REDACTED]

Drafted By: [REDACTED]

Case ID #: 188A-SF-C143482 (Pending) *h*

Title: [REDACTED]
SUDANESE COMMUNITY

Synopsis: To document meeting with writer and SA [REDACTED]
with Sudanese community leader.

Details: On 12/22/2008 SA [REDACTED] and writer met with [REDACTED] Trans-Pacific Aviation Services, Inc., 60 98th Avenue #100, Oakland, CA 94621, telephone (510) 382-0200, email [REDACTED] to discuss the San Francisco Division's community outreach initiatives such as the Citizens' Academy, Adopt-A-School/Mentoring programs, and the National ID Program. [REDACTED] expressed interest in attending the spring 2009 Citizens' Academy as well as learning more about the National ID fingerprint kits for children. Writer also provided [REDACTED] with information on internship programs and employment opportunities within the FBI.

[REDACTED] advised that the current economic climate has hit the Sudanese community very hard. In particular, [REDACTED] business, Trans-Pacific Aviation Services, Inc., has been forced to cut 90% of its workforce through layoffs this past year. [REDACTED] was interested in learning more about employment opportunities within the professional support and linguist program and believed it would be of significant interest within the community. [REDACTED] offered to hold another meeting with board members from the Sudanese community to give SA [REDACTED] and writer another opportunity to speak more on the outreach initiatives within the Division. [REDACTED] also offered the

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opportunity for the FBI to participate in the Sudanese Cultural Festival in 2009. During the course of the conversation, [REDACTED] advised that there are approximately 500 Sudanese families within the Bay Area and the community is actively looking to purchase land in the East Bay for a future community center.

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