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Governor John Bel Edwards  
Office of the Governor  
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Dear Governor Edwards:

Please accept this correspondence as a formal complaint to investigate the apparent acts of malfeasance of office and payroll fraud on the following employees employed by the Louisiana Department of Public Safety and Corrections, Office of State Police:

1. Major Derrell Williams, Internal Affairs Division
2. Lieutenant Rodney Hyatt
3. Senior Trooper Thurman Miller
4. Trooper Alexandr Nezhodinsky

La. R. S. 14:134 defines malfeasance in office is “committed when any public officer or public employee shall: (1) Intentionally refuse or fail to perform any duty lawfully required of him, as such officer or employee, or (2) Intentionally perform any such duty in an unlawful manner.” (3) Knowingly permit any other public officer or public employee, under his authority, to intentionally refuse or fail to perform any duty lawfully required of him, or to perform any such duty in an unlawful manner.”

La. R. S. 14:138 defines payroll fraud is committed when, “(1) Any person shall knowingly receive any payment or compensation, or knowingly permit his name to be carried on any employment list or payroll for any payment or compensation from the state, for services not actually rendered by himself, or for services grossly inadequate for the payment or compensation received or to be received according to such employment list or payroll.”

Please feel free to contact me at 337-774-3322.

Sincerely,

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cc: District Attorney Hillar Moore  
Stephen B. Street, Jr., Inspector General  
Attorney General Jeff Landry  
Lt. Colonel Paul - Bureau of Investigations, Office of State Police

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