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Re: Timothy Murphy, Esq.
c/o Chief Judge Charles L. Brieant
101 East Post Road,
White Plains, New York 10601

Dear Mr. Casella,

la. The complaint against the above is for knowingly participating in "disguised nepotism" -- and much more.

- b. Since the charge has already been published in New York Newsday (see enclosed), a newspaper which is not generally distributed in Westchester County, I make this formal complaint in the event such publication has not received the attention of your office.
- c. In view of such media publication, and for other reasons, I do not consider this communication, or its contents, confidential.
- 2a. The most effective state participant in the massive larceny and plundering of the judicial trust assets of Puccini Clothes, Ltd., and other criminal conduct associated with same, is Presiding Justice Francis T. Murphy, whose executive secretary is the son of Chief Judge Charles L. Brieant of the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York.
- b. The most effective federal participant in the criminal racketeering adventure centered about Puccini trust assets in the Southern District of New York is Chief Judge Charles L. Brieant, who appointed the son of Presiding Justice Murphy as his law clerk, and which appointment was accepted him.

- c. Any ethical attorney, under the circumstances, would have not accepted such appointment -- but Murphy, the younger, did!
- 3. My extensively distributed publication of December 18, 1988 is also enclosed, which more fully sets forth the essential surrounding events, and is incorporated in this complaint, by reference.
- 4a. This criminal racketeering adventure could not have been accomplished, were in not for the complete cooperation of the state and federal judicial systems.
- b. This disguised nepotism, which serves criminal ends, is also destructive of our constitutional federal form of government.
- 5. Since a filed accounting for Puccini, mandated by law, would expose a criminal adventure involving members of the judiciary, including Presiding Justice Francis T. Murphy and Chief Judge Charles L. Brieant, none has been filed.
- 6. I need not advise you of the required sanction for criminal conduct, and particularly for the larceny of trust assets.
- 7. Equality of treatment by government is a fundamental constitutional concept, which I insist should be obeyed by you and your committee.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE SASSOWER

Cc: Timothy Murphy, Esq.
Leonard Levitt (N.Y. Newsday)
William Glaberson (N.Y. Times)

Jack Newfield (Daily News)