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AIR MAIL

Honorable Edward L. Shaheen
United States Attorney
408 Post Office Building
Shreveport, Louisiana

Dear Mr. Shaheen:

Reference is made to the case of United States v. City of Shreveport, et al., C.A. No. 8843, presently scheduled for hearing on November 2, 1962. Please take the necessary action to cause subpoenas to be issued for the appearance of the following persons:

1. Dr. Merlin L. Reddix
1058 1/2 Texas Avenue
Shreveport, Louisiana
2. Reverend Harry Blake
2834 Abbie Street
Shreveport, Louisiana
3. Reverend Harold Bethune, II
1740 Oakdale Street
Shreveport, Louisiana
4. Hugh B. Wainsley
Station Manager, Trailways Bus Terminal
Shreveport, Louisiana
5. George F. Pratt
408 Fannin Street
Shreveport, Louisiana
6. Bessie L. Pratt
408 Fannin Street
Shreveport, Louisiana

cc: Records
Chrono
Marlin
Barrett
Trial File (Rm. 1140)

7. Gladys Gibbs
3239 DeSota Street
Shreveport, Louisiana
8. Clarence R. Beeson
c/o Continental Restaurant
409 Fannin Street
Shreveport, Louisiana
9. Ernestine Hammock
3000 West College Street
Shreveport, Louisiana
10. Valentine Gonzales
1713 Buckner Street
Shreveport, Louisiana

I am seeking to obtain the voluntary appearance of the following persons since they are beyond the 100 mile limit. However, I would like subpoenas issued for them so they can be served when they arrive in Shreveport.

1. Harold M. Bledsoe
1308 Broadway
Detroit, Michigan
2. Reverend W. B. Wood
409 - 24th Avenue, West
Cordele, Georgia
3. Reverend Pickens A. Patterson
603 West Victory Drive
Savannah, Georgia

Sincerely,

ST. JOHN BARRETT
Second Assistant
Civil Rights Division