

Council on American-Islamic Relations

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October 23, 2012

Ms. Laura M. Laughlin Special Agent in Charge, Seattle Division Federal Bureau of Investigations 1110 3rd Avenue Seattle, Washington 98101-2904

Via U.S. Mail and Email

Re: Complaint of Community Outreach Policies and Practice

Dear Ms. Laughlin:

We are writing to confirm that you received our complaint sent on October 8, 2012, regarding Ms. XXXX and her daughter, Ms. XXXX, who were contacted by two FBI agents at their home. We have not received a response to our complaint, or a confirmation of receipt.

On October 9, 2012, the day after we sent our complaint, Ms. XXXX reported that she received a phone call from Agent Albert Kelly at 1441 hours. Agent Kelly stated that he had been out of the office and was returning her call from a week and half prior. Ms. XXXX contacted CAIR-WA and stated that she did not intend to call Agent Kelly back. She is requesting that all future communication from the FBI is in writing and sent through CAIR-WA.

The trauma caused to the XXXX family by the FBI agent's unannounced, inappropriate, and deeply probing visit cannot be understated. Your response in writing is urgently and respectfully requested. We have enclosed a copy of our original October 8th complaint.

Please contact me with any questions at <u>civilrights@wa.cair.com</u> or by phone at 206.367.4081. We look forward to your prompt reply.

Respectfully,

Jennifer Gist Civil Rights Coordinator

Enclsoures: CAIR-WA's Complaint to the FBI dated October 8, 2012

cc: Director Robert S. Mueller, III, FBI Headquarters
Ms. Jenny Durkan, United States Attorney for the Western District of Washington
Mr. Bruce Miyake, Assistant United States Attorney for the Western District of Washington
Honorable Maria Cantwell, United States Senate
Honorable Patty Murray, United States Senate

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