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Subject: DOES FBI STILL LIE?
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To: ANNE BOYD (YQHH41B)
From: RICK GOMBAS (CHHL71A)

Of course they screw up a lot. That's what happens when they play to the media instead of to justice. Used to be a law or accounting degree was enough for the FBI. Now the chief talent seems to be media savvy. They're just not capable of saying "NO" to the press, afraid of getting negative press if they did. The media, of course, knows this and delights in making the big, bad FBI jump through the hoops and roll over for the cameras. No wonder crime is so bad.

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I agree, the leaking is an outrage, but it is also par for the FBI course.

Used to be the FBI promoted itself as being head and shoulders above all other law enforcement agencies, the class of the Nation, the glittering standard to be copied (and envied) but now is up to its armpits in the slime along with all the other self-serving politicians.

The FBI long ago abdicated its responsibility to be above politics and immune from political pressure. For every leak they put out they lose a little more of the respect they need to be effective.

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Among items found in Kaczynski's home were sunglasses and a

hooded sweatshirt "similar" to the ones seen on the Unabomb suspect by the eyewitness in Salt Lake City.

SIMILAR is the word used by the FBI.

We have yet to see a full description of this item. The famous sketch of the suspect is in black and white, but one would reasonably believe that the witness who gave such a good physical description would have noticed the COLOR of the sweatshirt. Does that color match the color of the SIMILAR one? If not, it would seem that the FBI has embarked on yet another disinformation campaign.

If the FBI knows the color in the original description AND if the FBI knows the color of the SIMILAR one found in the cabin but they don't match, THEN we have caught the FBI in another blatant attempt to mislead the American Public.

Its easy to tell if an article has been dyed so if the colors don't match we have to ask "why the lie?" Is their case so weak they have to put out false information to create an impression of guilt in the minds of potential jurors? Or are they lying out of habit? Why does the FBI have this need to railroad a suspect in the media? Why won't they respect the intelligence of the American People?

Why do they have to shade and color everything for their own benefit, and why do we let them get away with it?

We deserve the unvarnished truth. I myself have SIMILAR items in my house, so maybe I'm the Unabomba.

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