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Hi Emory,

I need to give you a chance to respond to comments made in a letter by ATF Supervisory Agent Peter Forcelli about you. The letter says that Forcelli "practically begged" you for permission to arrest Jean Baptiste Kingery but that you denied him.

The letter says that "Forcelli was horrified with the thought of releasing this individual, who, in his opinion, was engaged in terrorist-like activity," according to the letter.

The Aug. 31 letter was written to the U.S. Senate Committee on the Judiciary and the House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, and was sent by the attorney for the Federal Law Enforcement Officers Association.

The story is running today, so if you'd like to get your side in it, you'll need to contact me soon.

Thank you for your time,

Amanda

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