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North Carolina General Assembly  
Raleigh, North Carolina 27601-1096

RE: Report on Use of Federally Forfeited Assets

Dear Members:

The State Bureau of Investigation (SBI) participates in the Equitable Sharing of Federally Forfeited Property Program with the U.S. Department of Justice and the U.S. Department of Treasury. In connection with our participation in this program, we will receive ownership of a 2007 SUV. I am reporting to you that the SBI proposes to use this federally forfeited asset in furtherance of our investigative and prosecutorial activities in the area of criminal enforcement.

The SBI is grateful for the availability of forfeiture funds and equipment to meet these needs as we use them to enhance our law enforcement capabilities. Your support of these efforts is appreciated.

Very truly yours,

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cc: Justice and Public Safety Subcommittee  
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