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RE: CRCL Complaint Number 11-06-CBP-0150
Friday, April 01, 2011 12:25:42 PM

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The below information has been reviewed and is returned for whatever administrative action or inquiry

you consider appropriate. Should any administrative or personnel action result from your response to

this information, you are requested to report the final result of that action within 30 business days of its
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Compliance Branch

Incident Dater
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incident or condition, list
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January 2010 Time of Incident:

Summary of On March 24, 2011, CRCL received fax mail correspondence from Council on
Allegation(s): American-Islamic Relations (CAIR), Michigan on behalf of Mr. (b) (6)
alleging that on January 2010, after attending the Reviving the Spirit in Is am
Conference, he was asked inappropriate questioning that pertains to religion and
religious practices.

Allegedly, after an hour, a plain clothed officer asked him, are you Muslim; do
you pray five times a day; in the mosque; are there any extremists in our mosques; have you lived outside the U.S.; and do you know any extremists? Then, her
states that an hour later, two FBI agents arrived and questioned him because the
"underwear guy from Nigeria had just tried to blow up a plane." Allegedly, the
FBI agents asked him all of the questions listed above and about Mr. Harper's stay
in Saudi Arabia and if that was where he converted to Islam. He states he was
subject to similar questions in Miami in April 2010.
Compliance COMMENTS: On [DATE], Jeffrey Blumberg, Director, Compliance Branch,
Director's directed that this matter be opened as a complaint, and recommended that it be
Recommendation: handled as a [referred, retained, short form] Complaint assigned to [NAME].

Allegation Details

Primary Issue: Discrimination/Profiling Primary Basis: Religion/Ethnicity
Secondary Issue: Treatment Secondary Basis:

Select additional Secondary Issues and Secondary Bases if necessary. Add additional rows to the table above.

Categories from which to Select Allegation Issues and Bases
Allegation Issue Categories:
Abuse of Authority/Color of Law
Conditions of Detention
Discrimination

Due Processing/Administrative Processing
Profiling
Treatment

Unaccompanied Minors

Allegation Basis Categories:
Age
Citizenship (specify)
Color (specify whether whether dark, medium or light complexion)
Detainee

Disability (mental)
Disability (physical)
Harassment

Inappropriate touching
Limited English Proficiency
National Origin (specO)
Non-Detainee

Race (specify race)
Racial Harassment

Referral to secondary
Religion (specify religion) religion)

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Retaliation
Rude, unprofessional conduct
Sex (specify whether whether male or female)
Sexual Harassment

Ethnicity (specify ethnicity. ethnicity. "Hispanic/Latino" is a selection in this
category.)
Other (please specify)

the complaint involves an Unaccompanied Minor as a complainant/victim, the Primary Issues is Unaccompanied Minors]

Involved Parties

Component Selection List: DHS HQ, DHS, CBP, FEMA, FLETC, ICE, TSA, USCG, USCIS, USSS

Component(s)
Referenced (If
complaint involves
multiple components, list
DHS):

CBP

Component(s)
Involved (list all that
apply, based on the above
checldist):

CBP

Individual(s)
(list name, title/position,
and employment location.
State if the individual is a
subject of the complaint.):

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Location(s) of Lacident(s)
Incident Location Type (check all that apply):

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Airport
Airplane
BCIS Facility
Border and Fixed Checkpoint
Government Building
Seaport
Ship

❑ Street Stop
El Place of Business

El Residence

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If the alleged incident occurred outside the U.S., identib) the city and county where it occurred.

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