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DATE April 11, 1966

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April 11, 1966 Mr. W. E. Corder Scout Executive PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL Valley Forge Council, No. 507 William James Thorpe Dear Bill: Thank you for your letter of April 5, and the enclosed newspaper clippings concerning William James Thorpe, Ecoutmaster of Troop 274. We have placed this information in our files and have taken steps to have his name deleted from the Troop raster. The information you provided will enable us to identify Mr. Thorps: should he ever again attempt to register in the Scouting program. I am sure you realize that this leaves Troop 274 without any registered unit leader. Undoubtedly, someone is taking over in this position. In order for the unit to continue to receive program inserts in Scouting Magazine, it will be necessary to advise this office of the name of the new unit leader. This should be done by filing with us an additional enrollment for this individual in his new position. Please do not file a separation notice as we have already dropped the current leader. Sincerely yours, PERSONNEL DIVISION Howard Boyd Directoroof Registration HB/clr

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April 5, 1966

Mr. Howard P. Boyd, Director Registration Service National Council - BSA New Brunswick, New Jersey

Dear Howard:

Enclosures

We wish to place William James Thorpe, 489 Collins Street, West Chester, Pennsylvania, on the Confidential file. On March 30, 1966 Thorpe was committed to the Broadmeadows Prison, Delaware, Co., Pennsylvania to serve a sentence of 2 to 10 years for raping a 12-year-old girl.

He is a graduate of West Chester State College and was a sixth-grade teacher in the Main Street Elementary School. He is marriedage 26 - no children. He is approximately 6 feet tall--170 lbs. - black hair--brown eyes. He is currently listed as Scoutmaster of Troop 274, sponsored by the Unland P.T.A., Upland, Pennsylvania. That charter expires November 1966. Attached are two newspaper clippings regarding Thorpe's actions.

If there is more information needed, please advise me.

Sincerely yours,

W. E. Corder Scout Executive

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