

From: Sergei Vadimovich Baranov

To: FBI Los Angeles Field Office
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Dear Sir or Madame,

My name is Sergei Vadimovich Baranov, I was granted political asylum in the USA on January 3, 2000. My case was based on the past persecution of my parents and myself on the territory of the former Soviet Union and later Russian Federation by the special services of the aforementioned states by means of covert use against us of chemical, biological poisoning substances, toxins, and other so called "special means". My parents were granted political asylum in the United Kingdom on the same grounds. Later the information about the methods of persecution, details about poisoning substances and methods of their clandestine application by the special services and social aspects of "victimization" have been published on our family's Web site www.Baranovfamily.org, which is being constantly updated with new materials.

During the past 2-3 years I have been experiencing a slow but gradual deterioration of physical well-being, which manifested itself first in lower performance in sports, then gradually transformed into general worsening of health, chronic fatigue. For the last 2-3 years I have suffered from multiple cases of flu illnesses and prolonged infectious diseases. Medical tests/check-ups taken in-between the illnesses, however, showed no deviation from norm of any body systems or organs. This causes my parents (my father is an experienced Medical Doctor) and myself to strongly suspect the artificial origin of the infectious and the worsening of physical well-being. We have a suspicion, that I am being subjected to continuous targeted application of biological and chemical poisoning substances instigated by the special services of the Russian Federation with the goal, through continuous incapacitation achieve my partial or complete disablement followed by physical elimination that should have an appearance of natural causes.

The reason for the suspected poisoning is getting rid of an independent carrier of sensitive information about unlawful practices by the special services of the Russian Federation, getting rid of the witness of those practices, revenge and shutting down the Internet publication of that information.