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Dear Mr Joseph

SHELL SMART CARD CONSORTIUM

Thank you for your letter dated 16 June 1998. I am grateful for the information provided.

I spent two hours at Bury St Edmunds Police Station on Monday afternoon. They have recorded details of the relevant events on a computer file. Inquiries made (via BT) have established that the telephone call originated from a payphone in London E1. The Police are not taking any further action pending the results of inquiries being made by Royds Treadwell and by the lawyers acting for The European.

It would be helpful if you were able to indicate whether or not you or your clients have knowledge that any investigations have been carried out in connection with the litigation. I raise this point because it is possible that someone has acted beyond the scope of instructions.

Yours sincerely

John Donovan
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