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Dr. Charles Humble
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Dear Dr. Humble:

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for everything the NITV and the CVSA have done for the Columbus Division of Fire, Fire and Bomb Investigations Unit. Since receiving our unit in January 2007, we have cleared more cases this year than any other year since our records have been kept. While the crime of Arson may be up in our city, we are still seeing a fantastic percentage of arrests and case closures which we can only attribute to the purchase of the CVSA.

Having the CVSA in our office makes it easy to rule people in and out of possible involvement in crimes as well as provide immediate results as to the guilt or innocence of the person being interviewed. Several times, the CVSA has not even had to be turned on, as just the presence of it is enough for most persons to realize they need to tell the truth about the incident.

Thanks again for your help and the help of your staff.

Sincerely,

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