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CERTIFIED MAIL/RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Social Security Administration
Room 1-A-07 Federal Building
819 Taylor Street
Ft Worth, TX 76102

Social Security Administration
Mid-America Program Service Center
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Kansas City, MO 64106-2859

Re: JACQUELINE A. MILLER
Street
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YOUR NUMBER --- -- ----

Dear Sir or Madam:

During the months of April 2007 through December 2007, the Social Security Administration removed \$126.90 from my social security monthly benefit check, or 15% under the Treasury Offset Program (TOP). This left me the grand sum of \$719.10 a month to try to live on. The total amount removed from my monthly checks for those nine months was \$1,142.10, all of which was subsequently sent to the IRS.

The Social Security Administration 2008 notice of revised monthly benefit was recently received. This notice states that the new revised monthly amount for my 2008 social security checks is to be at \$866.00. If the Social Security Administration continues to remove the 15% from my monthly checks, or \$129.90 month, the amount I receive monthly will only be \$736.10. For the 2008 year this totals \$1,558.80 deducted from my meager monthly checks, all of which will be subsequently sent to the IRS.

The continuation of these monthly deductions from my social security checks presents an extreme hardship for me. This monthly check is all I have to live on. I do not have any other income or monies and do not anticipate any at this time.

My health is and has been failing, and I have not been able to acquire the medical help that I need much less be able to afford a safe, decent place to live and proper food to eat. It is nearly impossible to provide oneself with a place to stay, food to eat and any possible financial means to obtain medical help on less far less than \$2,000 month.

I hereby make a formal request that the 15% offset be waived and/or *removed* due to hardship. The monthly social security check is all I have to provide for my monthly living expenses.

Sincerely,

Jacqueline A. Miller

JM:CD

Enclosures: copies of Social Security Administration benefit notification letters
Dated: December 2006 and December 2007