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THREAT AGAINST U.S. SENATOR

Dmitry Dyatlov was charged today by indictment¹ with one count of interstate communication of a threat, announced United States Attorney Zane David Memeger. It is alleged that on or about August 1, 2011, Dyatlov stated an intention to shoot J.L., a United States Senator, in a posting on a blog that Dyatlov wrote on the internet.

INFORMATION REGARDING THE DEFENDANT

NAME	ADDRESS	AGE OR YEAR OF BIRTH
Dmitry Dyatlov	Philadelphia, PA	1987

If convicted the defendant faces a maximum possible sentence of five years imprisonment, a \$250,000 fine, one year supervised release, and a \$100 special assessment.

The case was investigated by the Federal Bureau of Investigation and is being prosecuted by Assistant United States Attorney Arlene Fisk.

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