

A personal letter from  
J. Edgar Hoover, to Edward L.  
Hanna, upon his retirement.

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PERSONAL

Mr. Edward L. Hanna  
United States Probation Officer  
United States District Court  
Western District of New York  
512 U. S. Courts Building  
Buffalo, New York

Dear Mr. Hanna:

As you conclude your long and dedicated career as United States Probation Officer, it is a pleasure to extend congratulations on the excellent manner in which you discharged the responsibilities of your office.

You can indeed take deep pride in your many contributions to your chosen profession, and your accomplishments will long stand as an inspiration to those who follow you. Your tenure has been characterized by ability and honor, and I can assure you that my associates join me in expressing best wishes for all good health and happiness in the future.

Sincerely yours,

*J. Edgar Hoover*