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Report to detail Lucas investigation

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The eyes of the nation will be on Waco Sunday night when CBS' "60 Minutes" airs an investigative report dealing with McLennan County District Attorney Vic Feazell and one-time confessed serial murderer Henry Lee Lucas.

"60 Minutes," a perennially successful prime time news magazine, is scheduled to present a report that will deal with the grand jury probe of Lucas that Feazell and State Attorney General Jim Mattox led in Waco last summer, and a federal investigation of Feazell that began about the same time.

"It will be exciting to see, just because it's a story about Waco . . . but it's a national story. Ninety murders once cleared by Lucas' confessions have now been reopened in 18 states including Texas," Feazell said from his home Saturday.

The report was prepared by veteran newsman Harry Reasoner, who made several trips to the Central Texas area for interviews.

"When you hear that "60 Minutes" is in town asking questions about you, it scares you just a little," Feazell said.

"I'm looking forward to seeing it. I want to see what they have to say. I feel if they went after it really honestly and were looking for the truth, I'll come out in a favorable light," he said.

"How much time they are going to dedicate to the retaliatory investigation, I don't know," Feazell said.