The Honorable Eric Washington Chief Judge, D.C. Court of Appeals Historic Courthouse 430 E Street, NW Washington, D.C. 20001



November 21, 2014

REF: Letter of November 3, 2014, Regarding the Possible Corruption of the D.C. Office of Bar Counsel

Dear Chief Judge Washington:

In our letter to you of November 3, 2014, we expressed concerns about the possible corruption of the Office of D.C. Bar Counsel and the failure of the D.C. Board on Professional Responsibility. A copy of our November 3, 2014, letter is attached for your reference. On November 17, 2014, we received a letter from the D.C. Board on Professional Responsibility. A copy of their letter and our response of November 21, 2014, is also attached for your reference.

In their letter of November 17, 2014, Mr. Bernius, Vice Chair of the DC Board on Professional Responsibility, advises that they have, yet again, delegated the handling of our complaints to the D.C. Office of Bar Counsel. Based on the past actions of the D.C. Office of Bar Counsel, we no longer have confidence that they are capable of conducting an objective review of our complaints.

In his letter of November 17, 2014, Mr. Bernius recommends that the report we sent to you and the accompanying evidentiary exhibits prepared at the behest of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) be provided directly to the D.C. Office of Bar Counsel since they will be reviewing the matter.

Before we provide this information to the D.C. Office of Bar Counsel we want to obtain your wise counsel on this matter. Under the circumstances, can we trust the D.C. Office of Bar Counsel to properly do their job? Should we provide them with a copy of the FBI report and exhibits? We request your guidance.

Most respectfully yours,

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cc w/attach's:

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