

STATE OF INDIANA
COUNTY OF CARROLL
STATE OF INDIANA

VS.

RICHARD M. ALLEN

IN THE CARROLL
CIRCUIT COURT

CAUSE No.:

08C01-2210-MR-000001

LETTER TO COURT

I, ROBERT P. BASTON, 209210, A INMATE AT WESTVILLE'S RESTRICTIVE HOUSING UNIT WAS SUBPOENA TO APPEAR IN THE ABOVE CAUSE NUMBER ON THURSDAY, JUNE 15, 2023, AT 7:30 A.M. IN THE CARROLL CIRCUIT COURT, 101 WEST MAIN STREET, #206, DELPHI, IN, 46923.

DUE TO CORRUPTION AND RETALIATION BY WESTVILLE'S RESTRICTIVE HOUSING UNIT STAFF AND OFFICERS I HAD TO REFUSE TO APPEAR IN THE ABOVE MENTION COURT HEARING DUE TO MY SAFETY AND FEAR FOR MY LIFE.

I WAS HOUSED IN A CELL A2-206 JUST ABOVE RICHARD M. ALLEN'S CELL A1-107 DUE TO BEING A VOICE ON HOW RICHARD M. ALLEN WAS BEING ABUSE AND MISTREATED BY CORRUPT SERGEANTS AND OFFICERS AND ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF AND MENTAL HEALTH PROFESSIONALS IN WESTVILLE'S RESTRICTIVE HOUSING UNIT I WAS RETALIATED AGAINST AND MOVED BY ORDERS OF WARDEN JOHN GALLIPEDAU, CAPTAIN GARY LEWIS, AND RESTRICTIVE HOUSING UNIT MANAGER MRS. TRACY CORNETT.

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I WAS MOVED TO RESTRICTIVE HOUSING UNIT B-pod-CELL 201 AFTER REPORTING SERGEANT BRANDON WILLIAMS AND HIS OFFICERS TRAFFICKING CONTRABAND TO INMATES IN A-pod TO THE INDIANA DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION OFFICE OF INVESTIGATION & INTELLIGENCE [INTERNAL AFFAIRS] IN A RECORDED INTERVIEW ON APRIL 28, 2023. FIVE DAYS AFTER THE INTERVIEW ON WEDNESDAY MAY 3, 2023 AT APPROXIMATELY 7:00 AM. SERGEANT BRANDON WILLIAMS AND HIS OFFICERS WHILE I WAS IN "FULL RESTRAINTS AND LEG SHACKLES IN WESTVILLE'S RESTRICTIVE HOUSING UNIT RECEIVING AREA ON SECURITY CAMERAS WILL SHOW SERGEANT BRANDON WILLIAMS ORDERING A OFFICER TO PUT MY MATTRESS IN URINE IN A CELL THAT I WAS PLACED IN THE NIGHT BEFORE WITHOUT A TOILET AND RUNNING WATER IN THE CELL.

SECURITY CAMERAS WILL SHOW SERGEANT BRANDON WILLIAMS SLAMMING TO THE FLOOR AND VIOLENTLY BREAKING MY FOOT AND ANKLE AND THEN INTIMIDATING THE NURSE NOT TO TREAT MY INJURIES WHEN SERGEANT BRANDON WILLIAMS HAD A INK PEN IN THE STAB-VEST THAT HE WAS WEARING STAB ME IN THE ELBOW ALL THE WAY TO THE BONE.

I THEN WAS PLACED IN A CELL 201 IN B pod. THEN AT 10:45 AM. ON SAME DATE SERGEANT BRANDON WILLIAMS GAVE "NO" VERBAL COMMAND TO CUFF-UP AT MY CELL 201 - B pod

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AND DROPPED THE HANDCUFF PORT IN THE CELL DOOR AND SPRAYED O.C. PEPPER SPRAY IN THE CELL AND THEN LEFT ME IN THE CELL FOR TEN [10 mins.] MINUTES APHIXMATING FOR AIR.

I THEN WAS HANDCUFFED AND REMOVED FROM CELL OUT-OF-VIEW-OF SECURITY CAMERAS AND TAKEN OUT IN THE HALLWAY WHERE A OFFICER QUINTEN DAVIS WAS WAITING AND TOLD SERGEANT BRANDON WILLIAMS AND OFFICERS TO HOLD ME UP WHILE OFFICER QUINTEN DAVIS VIOLENTLY PUNCHED ME IN THE RIBS AND STOMACH WHILE A OFFICER MR. MOTTS KNEED ME IN THE FACE WHILE WARDEN JOHN GALLIPEAU, MENTAL HEALTH DOCTOR MONICA WALA, AND MS. BOURNE WERE WATCHING THE BEAT DOWN FROM OUTSIDE CAPTAIN GARY LEWIS'S OFFICE.

THE NURSE AGAIN WAS INTIMIDATED NOT TO TREAT MY INJURIES AND I WAS PLACED BACK INTO CELL 201-B pod.

I WAS PLACED ON STRIP-CELL AND MY PERSONAL PROPERTY WAS TAKEN. WHEN I ADVINUALLY RECEIVED MY PROPERTY BACK MY LEGAL DOCUMENTS WERE EITHER DESTROYED OR LOST OR TAKEN DUE TO INCRIMINATING RECORDED DATES AND TIMES. SOME OF THESE RECORDED DATES AND TIMES CONCERN HOW RICHARD M. ALLEN WAS BEING ABUSED AND MISTREATED BY STAFF AND OFFICERS.

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MY PERSONAL PROPERTY WAS LEFT OUT IN THE HALLWAY UNSECURED AND WESTVILLE RESTRICTIVE HOUSING UNIT GENERAL POPULATION WORKERS AND SUICIDE COMPANIONS WERE STEALING MY PROPERTY.

I RECENTLY RECEIVED FROM THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE INVESTIGATIVE REPORT NUMBERS: 237321 FWB, 247025 TFZ, [&] 264819 LHH, BUT RECENTLY THE U.S. DEPT. OF JUSTICE HAS BEEN IN THE NEWS FOR MISHANDLING COMPLAINTS.

THE INDIANA GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF OMBUDSMAN BUREAU HAS ALSO MISHANDLED COMPLAINTS ON THE INDIANA DEPT. OF CORRECTION AND THE CORRUPTION GOING ON IN I.D.O.C. FACILITIES.

THE INDIANA DEPT. OF CORRECTION OFFICE OF INVESTIGATION & INTELLIGENCE [INTERNAL AFFAIRS] IS ALLOWED TO POLICE ITSELF AND COVERS-UP EXCESSIVE USE OF FORCE ASSAULTS ON INMATES BY I.D.O.C. STAFF/OFFICERS.

I ALSO BEEN CORRESPONDING WITH A NEW YORK TIMES INVESTIGATIVE REPORTER AND HER TEAM AT THE YALE LAW SCHOOL THAT I HAVE BEEN SENDING DOCUMENTATION AND EVIDENCE TO BUT DUE TO THE CORRUPTION MY LEGAL MAIL HAS NOT MADE IT TO ITS' DESTINATION.

SO UNTIL THIS COURT CAN PROTECT ME AND OTHER INMATES AT WESTVILLE RESTRICTIVE HOUSING UNIT AND REPORT THE EXCESSIVE

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EXCESSIVE USE OF FORCE ASSAULTS, ABUSE, MISTREATMENT, TORTURE, AND RETALIATION FROM CORRUPT INDIANA DEPT. OF CORR. STAFF/OFFICERS THEN I do NOT FEEL SAFE TO TESTIFY IN CAUSE NO. 08CO1-2210-MR-000001 WHEN A PATTERN CAN BE SHOWN OF THE ABOVE MENTIONED ISSUES BY RESEARCHING THE NAMED INDIVIDUALS MENTIONED IN THIS COURT LETTER IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, NORTHERN DISTRICT OF INDIANA SEVENTH [7th] CIRCUIT THAT CLEARLY SHOWS A PATTERN OF EXCESSIVE USE OF FORCE ASSAULTS, TORTURE, ABUSE, MISTREATMENT, AND VERY POOR MENTAL HEALTH TREATMENT.

AGAIN, I HAVE WITNESSED RICHARD M. ALLEN BEING ABUSED AND MISTREATED BY WESTVILLE CORR. FAC. / WESTVILLE RESTRICTIVE HOUSING UNIT STAFF AND OFFICERS THAT HAS EFFECTED HIS HEALTH AND MENTAL HEALTH.

I ROBERT P. BASTON #209210 ASK THIS COURT TO REPORT THIS CORRUPTION TO THE PROPER AUTHORITIES TO INVESTIGATE.

Respectfully submitted
& SINCERELY,

Robert P. Baston

JUNE 25, 2023

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