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Dear Everyone,

I have a very serious problem that you all need to be made aware of. I have tried to deal with it privately; it's just not classy to put our internal problems up in the front window for all the world to see. But the consequences of not fixing this are too huge to not ask for help. So here it is.

Two of my volunteer people are causing irreparable damage to my efforts to get out of prison. They are: Richard Neff and Maria Rensel. Let me explain.

I got a tip from a key witness in my case that The Grand Jury never indicted me. If that's true, then my whole case is VOID and I walk out of here without even a felony on my record. So I FOIA requested the Rule 6 records that the law says must be kept by the government to prove I was properly indicted.

After two years of legal battles, I got the Washington D.C. headquarters for US Attorneys to admit in writing that they had no proof that I was indicted by a

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Grand Jury as the Law and constitution require. This was a major win for me. All I had to do next was file a little 3 page motion to let me out because I'm not indicted for a crime. But I wanted an attorney to file the motion so the judge couldn't pull any of the dirty tricks that they like to pull on pro se prisoners.

People had donated tons of money to me for my legal defense. Richard Neff and Maria Rensel were holding it for me. So I told them to send \$5,000 to an attorney I'd chosen to file the motion.

To my shock, Richard Neff and Maria Rensel refused. I told them they couldn't refuse because it wasn't their money. But they just did it illegally. So I had to go without an attorney while Richard and Maria held my funds hostage. And \$5,000 was a drop in the bucket compared to what people had donated.

Richard Neff and Maria Rensel's actions robbed me, defrauded the donors, and obstructed justice. Because of them, I got backed up to the filing deadline and had to write and file the motion myself. Which I'm fully capable of doing just as good or

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better than a lot of attorneys. But the motion still needs a lawyer on the outside to shepherd it through, even if I wrote it myself. But thanks to Richard Nett and Maria Rensel holding the money hostage, I had to go it alone. And I just found out yesterday, that EXACTLY what I was afraid of happening, happened.

When the Judge read my motion, he knew they were screwed. So rather than address the issue, he tried to avoid it and fool me with a half-truth. He refused to rule on the motion, pointing to a rule that says: "The filing of an appeal confers jurisdiction on the Appeals Court and divests the lower court of its control..." But the dot dot dot in the judge's decision hid the 2nd half of the sentence; which went on to say that the appeals court only has jurisdiction over those parts of the case that are put before it, and that the lower court still has jurisdiction over other issues - LIKE THE INDICTMENT. Which is what I was addressing.

So the lower court has to hear my motion and rule on it. IF he rules wrong, THEN, I can go to the Appeals court and have them fix it. But not before.

If I went right to the Appeals court

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and asked them to do something about me not being indicted, they'd say "we don't do stuff. We just review what the lower courts do, to see if it's right. So go back and get the lower court to do something with this. Then we'll check his walk."

So I filed a 2nd motion pointing out the rest of the sentence and citing the rules that say the lower court MUST do something with my motion. If he grants it, I'm OUT. If he does anything else, it gets me into the appeals court for a review. And they can let me out. As long as I could force them to address the facts, I'd win.

Here's where the dirty trick happened. The judge denied my motion - knowing he was wrong to do so and that the Appeals court would give me relief. But then he didn't serve his denial on me, so that the time limit to appeal would run out before I got notice of the denial. The judge couldn't have gotten away with this if I'd had an attorney on it. But I can't prevent it from prison.

So now I'm procedurally blocked from an issue that could have gotten me out right away. And it's the direct consequence of Richard Neff and Maria Rensel's refusals.

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There is no excuse for this. And that's all I get from Richard Neff and Maria Rensel: EXCUSES. They say they'll do what I ask. But then they don't do it. They say Maria has resigned. But then she keeps on doing what she's doing. They say they are helping me and that they are keeping the money "safe." But that's just not the case. Nothing they say is true. Nothing they promise pans out.

When I called them out on it, they just started dodging me. They won't accept my emails. When I send them letters they send them back with "refused for cause" written on them. When I call them, I hear them pick up, but then they want "press 5" to accept the call. And they're still refusing to account for my funds, let alone transfer them where I direct them to. This is wrong on every level, and it's got serious ramifications. I could spend 20 or 30 years in prison needlessly. All because of Richard Neff and Maria Rensel's disrespectful foolishness.

It's generally not fair to try to discern people's motives. But under the circumstances I'll venture a guess based on what I do know.

Richard Neff has poor self-control. This leaves him feeling out of control in life, which

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is uncomfortable. He tries to sooth this discomfort by controlling other people and situations. I've watched it for years and years. But since he's an old union prpfeitter who has no clue at all where to begin to fight a Federal appeal on a politically charged case, he's just messing everything all up. He's meeting his own emotional need to have control. But it's at my expense and it is blowing my chances of getting out.

Maria Rensel has put all her eggs in the common law basket and wants to unravel and reform the 150 yearold fraud that is the foundation of the whole birthcertificate-backed-national-debt and phony commercial courts run by the BAR association. I understand all that stuff ten times better than she does. If she wants to get to the bottom of that mess, more power to her. But she doesn't have .. permission to use my life and resources to fund her efforts. It would take decades and a civil war to undo what the bankers have done to us. I'm just trying to get myself out of prison before my children grow up. And since I'm out, I have some much smarter ways to help mankind than what Maria's in to.

Both Richard Neff and Maria Rensel are very stubborn. When I asked them to pass the ball to people who would listen to me and respect

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my wishes, they refused. After giving them way to many chances to do the right thing, I had no choice but to force them out. This is where the real twist came in.

When I took action to replace Richard Neff and Maria Rensel—who called themselves the "AFL Board"—the Counter Terrorism Unit "CTU" out of Martinsburg VA wrote me a disciplinary Incident Report for it and stopped me. (It's attached for you to read.)

There's nothing wrong or illegal about me replacing Richard Neff and Maria Rensel. There's no Prison Policy or rule being violated. This is just CTU jumping in to save the people who are disrupting my legal battle and blocking me from my much needed resources.

CTU was all fine with me raising money and fighting my appeals for the last 4 years, as long as AFL i.e. Richard Neff and Maria Rensel were involved and were keeping me stuck fighting everything by myself, using only the money people put on my commissary account, while I begged attorneys for free help. But as soon as I said I want Angela and Liz helping me—because they listen to me, take my calls, and actually get things done—that's when CTU stepped in to force me to

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leave Richard Neff and Maria Rensel in place, so I will keep losing battles. I could be easily winning. CTU put it in writing that they have a favorite.

So, either the Feds got to Richard Neff and Maria Rensel and bribed, bullied, or threatened them into working for the secret police;

OR,

Richard Neff and Maria Rensel are causing all this damage - with no prompting by the Feds - just out of their own natural incompetence. So much so, that the Gestapas at CTU decided to step in to stop me from stopping Richard and Maria.

If it's the first scenario, and they have betrayed a friend for the state, I'll give them the advice I always give: "Judas went out and hanged himself."

If it's the second scenario - which I hope and want to believe is the case - then they need all of you to force them to look at 6 facts:

1. They are causing permanent harm.
2. CTU is going to bat for them and is their biggest cheerleader.
3. I want them to pass the ball and get out.

4. I'm the only one who knows the facts of my case, the law as it relates to those facts, the procedure as it relates to the law, and the ins-and-outs of the corrupt appellate game as it relates to all of those. Richard Neff and Maria Rensel don't have a clue about any of those, let alone all of them.

5. Even if they mean well, even if they did know best, even if I was less capable than them, they STILL have no right to intervene without my consent.

6. No argument that Richard Neff and Maria Rensel could put forward can overcome the fact that the evil people at CTU who hate America and want to keep me silenced and in prison also want Richard and Maria involved in my affairs.

Richard Neff and Maria Rensel should realize that they are doing something horribly wrong if the enemies of justice at CTU are rooting for them. They aren't the ones who are paying for their wrong behavior. I am. The people who depend on me are. My children are paying for this.

Who's going to look my 9 year old boy and 6 year old girl in the eyes and tell them that daddy isn't coming home because Richard Neff and Maria Rensel were adult brats who took what wasn't theirs? I can't

do it. Political prisoners like me aren't allowed any outside human contact.

I need everyone who cares to call, write, email, and text Richard Neff and Maria Rensel and put pressure on them to stop with the lies, excuses, and promises they never keep. They need to look at the 6 facts I laid out. Then they need to just do the right thing by respecting me and my rights and my decisions.

I need Richard Neff and Maria Rensel to do exactly what I ask them to—without any argument bargaining or delay—so that I can move on without them. And I need everyone of you to convince them to do it. Text them everyday if you have to. You could save my life with four words in a text: "Give Cox what's his." or "stop blocking the way." or "CTU likes you guys?!?" or "You don't have consent." or "Don't cause more problems." or whatever's appropriate, polite, and constructive.

They really can not defend their conduct. So they'll have to change it. Thanks for your help.

Richard Neff

Maria Rensel

-Schaeffer Cox