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DEAR CLERK OF COURTS, ^{Sharon M. Meehan} APR 21, 2023
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I AM AN INMATE AT WESTVILLE CORR. FAC. IN THE SAME UNIT THAT RICHARD ALLEN IS BEING HOUSED IN AWAITING TRIAL.

RICHARD ALLEN IS BEING ABUSED AND MIS-TREATED ALONG WITH OTHER INMATES IN WESTVILLE CONTROL UNIT RESTRICTIVE HOUSING.

THERE ARE CORRUPT OFFICERS AND RANKING OFFICERS CALLING RICHARD ALLEN A KID KILLER, TEASING HIM THAT HE HAS A VISIT FROM HIS FAMILY, PHONE IS RINGING ON HIS GTL TABLET, INMATES IN CELLS A1-102 LOGAN OSBOURNE, A2-207 INMATE RILEY, INMATE CELL A2-204, AND A2-205 THREATENING TO KILL RICHARD ALLEN AND TELLING HIM TO KILL HIMSELF AND THESE INMATES HAVE MADE THESE COMMENTS IN FRONT OF WARDEN JOHN GALLIPEAU, RANKING OFFICERS, AND OFFICERS. THE STAFF HAS RECORDED ON CAMERA THESE INMATES MAKING THESE THREATS AND SUGGESTIONS TO KILL HIMSELF AND HAS DONE NOTHING TO STOP IT.

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I HAVE PROOF AND EVIDENCE OF ASSAULTS BY RANKING OFFICERS AND OFFICERS ON INMATES, ABUSE AND MISTREATMENT IN GRIEVANCE AND THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF OMBUDSMAN BUREAU THAT HAVE BEEN MISHANDLED AND COVERED-UP BECAUSE THE INDIANA DEPT. OF CORR. IS ALLOWED TO "POLICE" ITSELF WITH THEIR OFFICE OF INVESTIGATION & INTELLIGENCE.

I RECENTLY SENT LETTERS TO THE U.S. DEPT. OF JUSTICE FROM INDIANA STATE REPRESENTATIVE DR. VERNON G. SMITH AND FROM THE U.S. SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE CONCERNING THE D.O.J. AND F.B.I. MISHANDLING COMPLAINTS ON THE INDIANA DEPT. OF CORRECTION AND THEIR FACILITIES.

ON MARCH 21, 2023 WHILE IN THE SAME UNIT AS RICHARD ALLEN I ATTEMPTED SUICIDE AND SPENT THREE [3dys] IN THE HOSPITAL DUE TO STAFF AND OFFICER ABUSE AND MISTREATMENT. ON APRIL 9, 2022 I ATTEMPTED SUICIDE AND SPENT FOUR [4dys] IN HOSPITAL INTENSIVE CARE UNIT.

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The I. D. O. C. OR THEIR MENTAL HEALTH PROVIDER HAS PROVIDED ME "NO" MENTAL HEALTH HELP OR TREATMENT.

I CORRESPOND WITH A NEW YORK TIMES INVESTIGATIVE REPORTER AND HER TEAM AT THE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW AND HAVE MADE THEM AWARE OF THE ASSAULTS, ABUSE, AND MISTREATMENT GOING ON HERE AT WESTVILLE CORR. FAC. AND OTHER I.D.O.C. FACILITIES.

PLEASE FORWARD THIS LETTER TO THE JUDGE IN RICHARD ALLEN'S CASE AND TO HIS ATTORNEYS BECAUSE I HAVE WROTE TO THE ORGANIZATIONS MENTIONED TO EXPOSE THE ASSAULTS, ABUSE, AND MIS-TREATMENT.

Respectfully Submitted
& Sincerely,

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P.S. - RICHARD ALLEN'S ATTORNEYS JUST EXPOSED THE ABUSE & MISTREATMENT IN THE NEWS MEDIA AND FILED AN EMERGENCY PETITION IN THE COURT.

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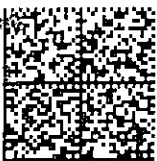
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