

Tuesday October 20th 2020

I Joshua PARKER am writing the Court of Appeals to inform the courts as to why ive asked for an appeal. My paid attorney did not properly defend me and ease to there full ability.

- ① Not informing me of penalties of my charges being a non ~~parole~~ parole eligible charge
- ② Having me ~~believe~~ believe that the Judge was gonna give me either the minimum sentence of 5 years, or the 7 years the solicitors offered. These statements between me and my attorney are in emails on smartjailmail communications.
- ③ My mom and I both have asked for a copy of the contract where she was retained for ~~counsel~~ counsel. The amount that's been paid and never replied to me. She all together avoided the question and My wife states in email that she quoted her \$7000 with a \$1500 retainer fee and weekly payments of \$150. My wife states in email she has paid Melisa GAY over \$1500. All this is in emails to prove. Melisa ~~stated~~ told me that Jennifer PARKER only paid her \$150 "she thought" My mom has made 1 payment of \$150 a week before court.
- ④ She (Melisa GAY) also told me I would ^{not} get credited for time I spent in County jail before court a total of 365 days which was not true I did get the jail time credited.

I believe theres more then enough to prove her incompentence and her being ineffective counsel in my case. She failed to represent to the best of her ability. I have a right to have affective counsel to inform me to all pro's and con's that come with my charges. I would be satisfied if the courts would allow me the 7 years which was solicitors offer, which I was gonna take until told different. Or the minimum mandatory 5 years plus the time credited 365 days.

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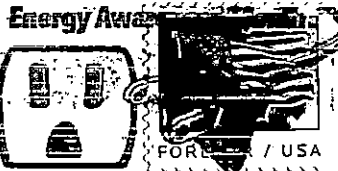
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