

Dear Jim,

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You've been gone one day and I believe I must update you. Also ask you to do some thinking before you return.

When you phoned from NYC yesterday you had little time, you did not tell me if you spoke to the judge's clerk and I did not think to ask you. I therefore decided to write him. Moreover, if you did speak to him and ask for two weeks only, what you indicated, I'm sure that will not be enough.

After our first conversation I read those papers, with more care than I think you had time to. If you had time to do any reading I don't know where you found it.

If those letters had intended to play into the plans you know I had they could hardly have done it better. They have given us as propitious a situation as we could hope for in order to accomplish a number of objectives we have discussed. (I therefore also dropped Larry Ellsworth a letter.)

Once again I believe that literally there is perjury. There is wholesale misrepresentation, deception, lying and incompetence, in the legal sense, too. There is again the nasty personal aspersions.

In order to have as much as possible done for you I'm going to do much work. I've begun. I plan to take each seemingly significant allegation and work it over thoroughly. As I told you I'll separate them by subject and within each subject by sections. I'll explain with what I began with and later why I began with that.

This time the sworn-to defamations and deprecations, ~~is~~ none of which are legally competent and all of which are factually wrong, give us the ideal chance to take them on on my competence, experience, knowledge, etc. and to meet the test of exceptional conditions. In the course of doing this it is possible to make quite a record, under oath and ~~is~~ useful on many future occasions. So because I could do it without consultation with any files or records I decided to begin with a long statement of my prior professional experience where Sheaswears I have none, with greatest emphasis on my work with them. Including what I did when they could not and did not do.

Another reason I began with this is because for several days I have not been feeling as well. I have no reason to fear anything special or dangerous but it has made me uneasy. ~~It~~ began with my arches having sharp but not severe pain. I recalled the vascular man's advice to ear arches, which were more uncomfortable, so I tried various shoes and walked less. There have also been slight discomforts in the chest which contributed to the uneasiness. So it seemed wiser to move less, only the regular moving around for circulation. Especially with another pollution hazardous situation. I did phone the vascular man because it ~~is~~ is about the time he said to set up another appointment. His nurse told me he is vacationing soon for two weeks and made the appointment for 8/30 when he returns. I did tell her how I felt so ~~it~~ guess it means nothing.

Shea has made it necessary for us to accredit me. It is time, past time, to end all that garbage and he has set the stage with the need to confront him on it. I welcome it. It is also necessary, I believe, to meet the exceptional circumstances test of the law, following up on your affidavit. It provides a legitimate opportunity for getting much into the record. I've almost finished that. I've already remembered a few omissions to pick up.

I'll be doing this with each aspect of each of the affidavits. So it will be a large volume of words to read when you return. But I believe it is necessary to try to anticipate anything you may want or need. Especially if you agree that with this fine series of targets we should shoot at them all. We have an opportunity to really arm the judge and to make an inherent if not explicit case for her to do something about.

Dugan's dirtiness made him like a snake that has started to swallow. We did anticipate some of this in what you just files. But it was too late for him to stop. ~~we~~ had to file.

Because of his dirtiness I wrote him again. Both letters and that to the clerk enclosed. I'll not be surprised if he moves the time extension for us.

I zenked out last night, which may explain why I've felt as I have today. I fell asleep sitting up in my Jobst supports. I know of no injunction against that but it was a long time. I know I can't lie down in them. ~~Will~~ tried to wake ~~me~~ twice and didn't. I've told her to persist if it happens again, with cold water if necessary. I have no awareness of any of this but she says I talked to her. It last 4 1/2 hours, when I awakened and was unstead on me feet.

I do t ink we want to file a massive assault-destruction-documentation. Best,