

July 23, 2005

The Honorable Judge Truman Hobbs
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Dear Honorable Judge Hobbs:

I desire to say thank you for being a fair and just Judge in the situation of Ms. Roberta Franklin. Allowing a person to be innocent until proven guilty is certainly a rarity in the Justice System of this day and age. Thank you for upholding the Constitution of the United States of American and The Bill of Rights. The numerous miscarriages of justice that are happening in our legal system today are out of control and more Judges need to take a stand as you have done in this circumstance. With our country so overburden with massive incarceration of the justified and the unjustified needs to be brought back under control instead of being used to control society. It appears that the people involved in the Justice System are fighting for that one BIG CASE to put their name in the history books at the expense of many citizens of this country instead of taking a stand for justice.

Mrs. Franklins leadership role of getting the March on Washington DC in August for the purpose of human rights and prison reform speaks volumes. The Prison Industrial Complex does not want reform because it is too profitable for the economy at the expense of enslaving citizens of this country for crimes they are not guilty of or for non violent crimes. The Prison Industrial Complex is bankrupting the Voting Taxpaying Citizens of this Country that provide the tax dollars to keep these prisons operating that were created for VIOLENT criminals, not for people that have diseases of

alcoholism and addictions that should be taken care of in hospital settings. Now the prison system is reaching down to 5 year old children. Children are children, no matter what they have done wrong, they think as children and not as adults. They need to be treated as children with someone to guide them as to what is right or wrong not through the injustice of the brutality of American's Prison Systems. The mentally disabled people need to be kept in the proper setting of the hospitals instead of being the prey of the torture of the America's Prison System. I plead with you to continue to turn the wrongs into rights as Ms. Franklin stated that you are honest and fair.

Respectfully yours,

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