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Judge Sam C. Pointer, Jr.

United States District Court

1729 5<sup>th</sup> Ave. North

Birmingham, Ala. 35203

RE: PERPLEXED

Civil Action No: 96-P-2823-S

Dear Judge Pointer:

I received your order today, in which you question my signature and the listed motions. Said that it was improperly presented to the court - thus could not be considered - but had it been properly submitted, you would have denied all motions anyway.

I'm assuming that you were referring to my digitized signature. It was my opinion, that if the court allowed a digitized signature via fax - that such signatures would be allowed. My wife could have faxed the exact documents as presented by U.S. mail.

I would have thought that had any of my proceedings been deemed improper to the court, that being compelled to proceed pro-se, that the court would have returned the pleadings with proper instructions. Since this has not happened, I truthfully feel that I'm being held to the higher standards as an attorney - completely versed in law, and absent any and all retaliation of state officials - to me, this appears to be a great injustice.

To be completely Truthful, of all the issues raised by this  
PROSE PETITIONER, ALL THE QUESTIONS OF LAW OF CONSTITUTIONAL  
ABUSES, THE ONLY QUESTION ADDRESSED WAS PROCEDURES. I WAS TAUGHT  
ALL OF MY LIFE THAT THE PURPOSE OF THE COURTS WAS TO SEARCH FOR TRUTH -  
MEANING ISSUES AND "FACTS". OBVIOUSLY, THAT IS NOT TRUE.

SIR, WITH ALL DUE RESPECT AND BEING A LAYMAN, I WAS NOT AT ALL  
SURPRISED BY YOUR RULING - OR LACK OF RULING. I MENTALLY PUT MYSELF  
INTO THE POSITION OF THE COLONIES PRIOR TO 1776, AND THEY WOULD HAVE  
EXPECTED THE VERY SAME FROM THE COURTS OF KING GEORGE III.

WITH GREAT SADNESS, I'M COMPELLED TO DECLARE - HISTORY SHALL REPEAT --  
IT'S INEVITABLE! I SO WONDER HOW HISTORY WILL REMEMBER US?

FROM THE VERY BEGINNING, I CLAIM TO BE A POLITICAL PRISONER WHEN THE  
NATIONAL POLICE DEFENSE FOUNDATION COMMITTED THEMSELVES TO HELPING IN  
SECURING JUSTICE FOR MYSELF, THEY ASK ME NOT TO USE THE TERM:  
POLITICAL PRISONER - AS IT WAS OFFENSIVE TO THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS  
WHICH THEY RECEIVED FUNDING TO CONTINUE THEIR HELP. AFTER REVIEWING  
ALL THE "FACTS" AND "DOCUMENTS" IN MY CASE, THEY GAVE ME PERMISSION  
TO STATE THAT MY PROSECUTION AND CONVICTION WAS POLITICALLY  
MOTIVATED - A PLEASANT WORD, BUT I CERTAINLY KNOW EXACTLY WHAT  
A POLITICAL PRISONER'S LIFE IS ALL ABOUT AND THAT OF A POLITICAL  
DISSIDENT. AND THE HARSHNESS OF A MOST OPPRESSIVE GOVERNMENT

SIR, MY WORDS MAY INFLAME YOU TO THE POINT OF WHICH YOUR COLLEAGUE  
CHOSE TO TAKE. CHIEF JUDGE BUTLER HAD ME LOCKED IN SOLITARY CONFINEMENT  
IN A 5FT X 8FT OPEN WITH FULL KNOWLEDGE THAT I HAVE SUFFERED  
THREE HEART ATTACKS, SURELY FROM INFLAMMATION SPINAL PATHOLOGY AND  
EMPHYSEMA SHOULD YOU CHOOSE TO ABUSE YOUR POWER LIKE YOUR  
COLLEAGUE - SO BE IT! THAT IS THE WAY POLITICAL PRISONERS

ARE SUPPOSE TO BE TREATED. WE FULLY UNDERSTAND ABUSE OF POWER,  
IT'S A WAY OF LIFE FOR US.

I MUST ALSO CONFESS, THAT I HOLD NO ANIMOSITY IN MY HEART TOWARDS YOU,  
JUDGE BUTLER, THE STATE ATTORNEY GENERAL OR EVEN THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY  
THAT PERSECUTED ME - OR ANY WHO CHOOSE TO PERSECUTE. I SERIOUSLY  
DOUBT THAT I CAN PHYSICALLY SURVIVE THE HARSHNESS OF THIS PERSECUTION  
MUCH LONGER, BUT I SHALL VIEW THIS AS A VICTORY OVER EVIL. FOR WHOM  
I SHALL GO IN DEATH - ONLY TRUTH AND JUSTICE SHALL PREVAIL. I SHALL  
"FINALLY" BE COMPLETELY FREE FROM THE PERSECUTIONS.

I SHALL CONTINUE TO REMEMBER YOU IN MY THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS  
AND THOSE WHO YOU CHOOSE TO ALIGN YOURSELF WITH, OR THOSE WHO  
CHOOSE TO PERSECUTE - - - - YET, I SHALL FEAR NO EVIL.

FOR: "LIKE SEEDS DREAMING BENEATH THE SNOW, MY HEART DREAMS OF SPRING"

MAY GOD BLESS,

Patrick Swiney

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Alabama Attorney General

Mrs. Patrick Swiney

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