

August 2, 2012

Fax No. 202-225-3303
Rep. Darrell Issa, Chairman
Oversight and Government Reform Committee
2157 Rayburn House Office Building,
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Congressman Issa,

I am calling upon you and your Oversight and Government Reform Committee for your assistance in seeking an independent congressional investigation into the Department of Justice. I have followed the hearings on your probe of Fast and Furious, your attempt to gain access to internal DOJ documents and who was responsible for Fast and Furious.

I have been stonewalled by the DOJ as well. I want answers and closure just as the family of Brian Terry. I am attaching relevant documents to prove the "white-washing" that goes on in the DOJ and those involved up the chain of command. The documented evidence is voluminous. I do not want to waste your time, nor mine. Should you consider my request for an independent investigation, I will forward all documents as you request. My original complaint was filed in February 2007 with the OIG, Glenn Fine, during the tenure of A.G. Alberto Gonzales, then Michael Mukasey.

The documents are self-explanatory:

Letter from OIG, Roger Williams, April 12, 2007
E-mails to Inspector General Glenn Fine, March 15, 2010; February 17, 2010

It is useless to continue my pursuit for justice within the DOJ as Mr. H. Marshall Jarrett was appointed to the Executive Office for U.S. Attorneys. A full independent investigation into this case is warranted.

Furthermore, on December 5, 2008 I attended a Judiciary Committee Field Hearing in St. Albans, VT, re: "Community-Based Solutions to Drug-Related Crime in Rural America" chaired by Senator Patrick Leahy. I submitted the above-mentioned documentation and a demand for a full investigation into drug related crimes and violations of law and was rebuffed by Senator Leahy. He never did respond to me.

Also **attached** is a Petition for Investigative Demand that I filed in the U.S. District Court, Portland, Maine. Magistrate Judge Margaret Kravchuk **denied** the petition and Judge George Singal rubber-stamped the denial. Denying the petition is one thing, having knowledge of felonies and RICO violations is another. The law mandates "Whoever, having knowledge of the actual commission of a felony cognizable by a court of the United States, conceals and does not as soon as possible make known the same to some judge or other person in civil or military authority under the United States,

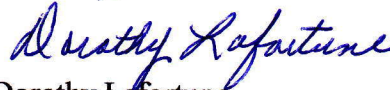
shall be fined under this title or imprisoned not more than three years, or both." 18 U.S.C. §4. I made this known to federal judges (and state judges) and their actions, or lack thereof, mandate that their conduct be investigated as well. My petition originated as a result of theft of my property. The theft of property through banks' foreclosures in this country is one thing, stealing property behind closed doors is another...although the result is the same. The lack of oversight of government officials/judges in this country has led to the demise of so many families and to our great country as well. Lack of oversight leads to lack of accountability. This demands full investigation and accountability.

As you sit on the Judiciary Committee, I want to bring an issue to your attention for your consideration. U.S. Reps. Mike Michaud and Chellie Pingree announced that they will forward the name of Justice Jon Levy (Maine Supreme Court justice) to President Barack Obama for consideration to fill the impending vacancy on the First Circuit Court of Appeals, Boston. Please take into consideration that all justices on Maine's Supreme Court have knowledge of the felonies committed in my Petition for Investigative Demand. They've covered this up also! If Justice Levy refuses/fails to meter out justice in Maine, he certainly is not qualified to do justice in the First Circuit Court of Appeals.

Therefore, I am calling upon you and your Oversight and Government Reform Committee for your assistance in seeking an independent congressional investigation into the Department of Justice. I have given you sufficient documentation to grant my request for investigative demand.

I will await your response and hope that it will be without further delay.

Sincerely,



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