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Hon. Douglas P. Woodlock
United States District Court
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Re Considerations re **US v. Jeffrey Clemens, #10-cr- 10124 - TAKE NOTICE**

Honorable Judge Woodlock,

We are writing to you concerning the approaching sentencing of our son and brother, Jeffrey Clemens. We hope to be there, but weather and health issues could prevent it from happening. There are certain facts that we feel should be considered.

Jeffrey (now with a college degree, etc. and working on his masters) was voted "most considerate" by his high school classmates and was called "theory", whereas his twin brother was labeled "highly principaled" by all who know him.

Jeffrey is part of a very close family (3 sisters – 2 of whom are nurses and 1 a math & science teacher) and a twin brother (electrical engineer with a solar business). His father is an engineer who worked 40 years for GM and his mother owned a travel business for many years. We have lived in the same house for 44 years (Huron, OH) during which time Jeffrey spent a lot of time with us. We were always so thankful as parents that drugs, excessive drinking and smoking were not part of our family.

The "theory" person proved the "creative" one (there are many paradoxical and complex characteristics of creative persons which can be misinterpreted by people) and Jeffrey carried out his creativeness into the 1980's and 90's when he wrote many screen plays, one of which was embroiled in his legal suit with MGM, etc.

Jeffrey has never physically harmed anyone. He continues to express himself with his writing, either legal or a funny note to all members of his family. Unfortunately, after 10 years in gnarled litigation, some of these expressions appear wishful and shocking (we do not condone it), but never with criminal

intent. During his 10 years of writing professional litigation, he has never had problems with opposing counsel, until this current matter starting in October 2009.

Jeffrey and his family have already paid a heavy price for his comments, etc., including a 6 year odyssey of prison beatings, injuries (broken ribs), sexual assaults, threats to family members and the great amount of prejudice which has been inflicted on him, as his 1997 exoneration was not documented in his criminal record seven years later, a situation exploited by pre-trial services in a related matter. Although court records seem to describe him as a criminal, we and his family and friends consider him a very talented, creative and considerate individual who does not deserve to be imprisoned or punished further.

We are hoping and praying as an Honorable Judge that you will include these factors in your sentencing decision and Jeffrey can return to a future fulfilling and productive life with family support. His ongoing association with the Harlequin's Theatre, American Philatelic Society, Sierra Club, and self-sustaining communities reflect the life Jeffrey wants.

Respectfully,

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p.s. We are enclosing a sample (2 pages) of future house and building plans that we receive with almost all his letters. Although they are made in very adverse conditions in a cell with poor lighting and limited instruments, they show remarkable quality, clarity, talent, and imagination.

Attachment (2 pages) re Drawings