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States Attorney's Office GA 14 101 Lafayette St. Hartford, CT 06106

Re: State of Connecticut v. Lauren Haidon CR17-0690177 Docketed for today August 17, 2017

Victim Impact Statement for Court

Dear Madam/Sir

Again I am writing in regards to the above captioned matter. And again, I am asking that the State of Connecticut prosecute Ms. Haidon as charged.

While I believe in the concept of prosecutorial discretion and professionally have a tremendous amount of respect for the State's Attorney's Office in Hartford, just yesterday I had to file yet another motion in Family Court in the State of NY for the return of my minor child to Connecticut as yet again the child is being held in NY in violation of a Court order.

As a former prosecutor, I disliked the attempted use of the criminal justice system as leverage for family court proceedings or to address mental health issue. But, to be clear, my daughter was taken form the State of Connecticut in violation of a court order; hidden from me and when the police asked for the child to be returned the whereabouts of the child was concealed from them as well. To continue to conceal the child Ms. Haidon made up stories of domestic abuse, sexual abuse and emotional abuse allegedly perpetrated against her and my child. Further, when that didn't work Ms. Haidon enlisted the help of a blogger to write horribly racist, sexist and antiemetic post about me, the police officers involved as well as the judges and lawyers participating in this case accusing us all of participating in a "pedophile ring." But, setting all that aside, the real damage has been done to the true victim, my daughter as Ms. Haidon's continued inability to address her mental health issues while concealing my child has severely impacted my child's emotional and mental growth.

For me, the hardest part of being a prosecutor was first, coming to understand that a human being would purposefully and for no reason take another persons life and second,

50 Duncaster Rd. Bloomfield, CT 06002 860.879.8951 that someone would lie about physical abuse or a sexual assault. And again, while I firmly believe in the State exercising it's discretion this morning and respect the Office, the Court should know that standing before you today is a person trying to take away the functional lives of the people that attempted to protect my child by labeling us "niggers" and "pedophiles" and at the same time continues to create stories of physical and sexual abuse that she continues to attempt tries to embed into a child's memory. It must be put on record today, that the woman that appears before you today for her forth nolle, is indeed the personification of this former prosecutors and fathers greatest struggle; that is to understand how Ms. Haidon can continue to criminally harm others, her own daughter and care less.

Respectful

Matthew Couloute Jr. Est