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Representative Dennis O'Brien and Thomas Caltagirone,

As you are aware it has been four years and six months since I have initially filed with the House of Representatives an impeachment petition against Judge Hiram Carpenter of the Blair County Common Pleas Court. In summary that petition accuses and or evidences that Mr. Carpenter has flagrantly violated the federal and state constitutions, state and federal statutory law, and the Code Of Judicial Conduct.

During the four years that my impeachment petition has rested in repose before the House Judiciary Committee I was led to believe by members of the news media and other disinterested persons that a federal investigation was indeed underway into the corrupt and felonious practices of judges Hiram Carpenter and Jolene Kopriva. Further I was advised that Mr. Carpenter's court reporter (Sally Zeek) who was complicit in altering my hearing transcripts was removed from her position in the court system, and was given immunity from prosecution in exchange for turning state's evidence.

As recently as six weeks ago I again contacted Attorney General Tom Corbett and requested his office assist in bringing the perpetrators of these horrific crimes to justice. Seven months ago I again filed a similar complaint with the Federal Bureau Of Investigation

To date I have not received any word or correspondence from these appropriate law enforcement agencies concerning my requests for investigation. Likewise, since it is now going on five years that I brought my complaints of crime and corruption to the House of Representatives for redress of grievances, perhaps you gentleman can offer some hope by bringing me up to date on the status of my petition and briefing me on the progress of the Judiciary Committee's investigation into this matter of egregious judicial corruption.

Like rubbing salt into a wound it pains me terribly to say that within the past week it has been brought to my attention that the Altoona Mirror ran a flowery and flattering interview of Judge Hiram Carpenter. From what I have been told Mr. Carpenter stated that he is a staunch believer in the American justice system and everyone is equally entitled to use the courts, be treated fairly, and given justice. Mr. O'Brien don't you think it is a little overdue for Mr. Carpenter to be brought to justice for his sadistic crimes against humanity and give Stephanie Jean Kearns closure and some justice?

By far, this matter I bring to your attention is not a victimless crime. There has been serious human injury and dire consequences as a result of the Blair County Court's

criminal activity. During custody hearings in the year 2000, Judge Hiram Carpenter callously uttered the words that the custody decision he will make is going to dramatically change the rest of Stephanie Kearns' life. In reinforcement of that statement, on April 10, 2000, Judge Carpenter illegally and recklessly quashed a mandated Children and Youth Services child abuse investigation against Stephanie's mother and half sister for severely beating her up in a bathtub on Easter Sunday. Without an earnest CYS inquiry Stephanie Kearns was left in the precarious predicament of having to live and survive with her abusers. To cover up for this long term physical and emotional abuse, Stephanie has been spuriously labeled and provided situational made-to-order, and adaptive fabricated symptoms of psychological disorders which have subsequently facilitated her being dangerously psychotropically drugged for an additional six years. All done and instigated by a mother, who herself, has blatantly displayed symptoms of Munchausen by Proxy. Stephanie has been unduly convinced during this time period that she is mentally ill. She has been subjected to constant brainwashing to make her believe that her father and paternal family abandoned her and wants no part of her life. Because of the judicial and psychological abuses, she has been placed in a Individualized Education Program in the Altoona Area High School and has been enrolled in an emotional support and an anger management program. Imagine being placed in emotional support program while the very conditions that cause the emotional problems are being side stepped, maintained, and exacerbated. Stephanie who was an above average student did not graduate high school this year for unspecified reasons, and has been most recently supplied a prognosis by a psychiatrist of the "mother's choosing" that she will be unable to provide for herself during the rest of her life without the care and constant involvement of a parent.

In essence, the painful reality is that Stephanie is being held a prisoner in a condition of Bedlam and false imprisonment in her own residence. Against her wishes she has been isolated from the entire paternal family for six years. She has been deprived of any telephone contact or written communications with her father and family. The mother had installed call blocking and call gate services on her telephone system to shut Stephanie off from making or receiving any outside world contacts that are not pre-approved. Stephanie's classmates reveal that she is not allowed to travel beyond the immediate vicinity of her residence without her mother or a member of the maternal family escorting her. She is not allowed to have no more than one friend in her life which is kept under close and constant monitoring by her mother. Stephanie has been forbidden to acquire a drivers license simply because she has told her mother that she will visit her father and family when she turns eighteen. All this endless cruelty, hurt, suffering, and destruction of human life because a malicious and vindictive judge (whose crimes have been enabled and shielded by the legal system) and apparently the state legislature deprived Stephanie for no legitimate reason all contact with the paternal family that she loved and was raised with.

The system severely broke Stephanie's childhood and now young adult life. For six years I anticipated that a fitting and proper investigation into these crimes would have released Stephanie from her hell on earth. Unless law enforcement authorities or the state legislature steps in and put an end to it, the emotional and psychological abuse will continue unabated for Stephanie for the rest of her life, or until her mother is dead. I am

asking the state legislature through the impeachment process to seek the release of Stephanie from her bondage and provide her substantial fairness and justice by bringing the perpetrators of these crimes to justice

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