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VS.

State of Maine, M.D.C., P.C.J. 150 RESPONDENT(S)

ON PETITION FOR A WRIT OF CERTIORARI TO

Maine Supreme Judicial Court
(NAME OF COURT THAT LAST RULED ON MERITS OF YOUR CASE)

PETITION FOR WRIT OF CERTIORARI

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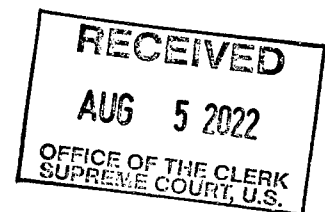
In the
Supreme Court of the United States
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Ryan T. Carleton
Petitioner

-against-
State of Maine et.al
Respondent

Petition for a Writ of Certiorari to
The United States Court of Appeals
For the 1st Circuit

Ryan T. Carleton M.D.O.C.#168492
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QUESTION(S) PRESENTED (2 Attached documents w/ 34 total questions)

- 1.) Does Carleton's public defender have a history of incompetence or misconduct of allegations of any such behaviors?
- 2.) Did Carleton's public defender communicate effectively with Carleton during his service? Specifically during Carleton's time in max. solitary confinement for the three months up to his trial? Then from the time after the sentencing up to when the appeal was submitted?
- 3.) Why was Carleton not allowed the necessary requested witnesses to refute the state's case? Nor was Carleton allowed access to the M.D.O.C. Standards + Practices manual. Why?
- 4.) With what intent was Carleton removed from his holding cell on January 25th, 2021 and leading up to the incident did Carleton ever resist or was he compliant?
- 5.) Did the C.O.s use excessive force on January 25th, 2021 in the incident that Carleton is now serving two-years for?
- 6.) Did Carleton react according to the so-called "fight or flight" response on January 25th, 2021, non-voluntarily and ^{not} premeditated in defense of his life?
- 7.) Was "reckless disregard" of action used by staff at P.C.J. on January 25th, 2021?
- 8.) Was "reasonable and necessary" action taken on January 25th, 2021?
- 9.) Was "negligent indifference" used in the January 25th, 2021 or any other incident against Carleton made reference to in this petition?
- 10.) Were Carleton's 4th, 6th, 8th Amendment rights violated?
- 11.) Was Carleton's "Due Process Clause" violated?
- 12.) Was Carleton punished "for past conduct and not to ensure safety" or in retaliation in any of incidents?
- 13.) Did Carleton or his former cellmate Gary Poirer, who was not allowed to testify (denied by public defender) mail the "therapy letter" to Carleton's mother without Carleton's consent?
- 14.) Did Carleton's mother ever voice to Carleton on Nov. 17th, 2020 he could not use her car?
- 15.) Did Carleton use appropriate force in defending himself from an animal inflicting great pain on him and that he deemed as sick and harmful to his health?
- 16.) Did the staff at P.C.J. knowingly or intentionally destroy Carleton's personal property/evidence?
- 17.) How did staff at P.C.J. evaluate the condition of Carleton's property? Was the staff then responsible for causing that condition through their actions of mechanically snaking Carleton's toilet?

Questions raised / Attachment w/18-29

- 6) Can the "jaw hold" as applied to Carleton restrict/cut-off airflow?
- 7) Might such a hold cause in the subject a biological and automatic so called "fight or flight response"?
- 8) Is there any evidence presented by the State that Carleton drove mother's car at all?
If so is there any evidence that Carleton knowingly or intentionally disregarded his mother's voiced opposition in using her car?
- 9) Does there exist a great possibility that an outdoor cat living in a very rural area that was never properly cared for with distemper, rabies, and all required measures against it may become infected and thusly become sick? Rabid animals act aggressively and unpredictably just as the animal in question did at the time Carleton reacted to its attack, therefore, why did the state not provide the Wildlife Biologist Carleton requested through his co-counsel and public defender?
- 22) Was Carleton targeted for being a white Muslim man?
- 23) Why was Carleton never informed about his property, i.e.: religious materials, legal and personal papers including some needed as evidence? Was there a "cover-up" after for to this day, despite a myriad of efforts by way of letters to the facility (finally told not to contact by letters to lawyer, to sheriff, to J.A., and E-mails from my case workers ~~the~~ Carleton has never been given a formal answer. Rather told third person from Lyn Boullier (DH5/PCSJ, Department of Human Services for State of Maine, also worked in some capacity for Piscataquis County Jail) via Sara Strasky (care worker at Maine Correctional Center) that said property was "discarded for being covered in urine and feces. Was there a conspiracy as Carleton alleges to destroy evidence against their facility?
- 24) Was the internal investigation done by Piscataquis County Sheriff's Office investigator Off. Jeremy Backliff done under a professional standard?
- 25) Was the solitary confinement of Carleton from May 8th all the way until August 4th done maliciously and for in retaliation? Also were those conditions of confinement, given one half hour every third day for hygiene otherwise locked in 24 hrs a day cruel and unusual?
- 26) During his solitary confinement was Carleton allowed regular use of telephone to remain in contact with his public defender?
- 27) On the day in which Carleton was allegedly returned from his half hour every third day of hygiene to a feces and urine covered cell was Carleton exposed to an "unsafe condition" and was that done maliciously, with "negligent indifference" by any of the staff?

Questions Raised / Attachment w/28-34

- 38.) Was a report done with pictures, by the P.C.S.O., of the conditions some two weeks later? ~~When~~
Did the two officers (Kane and Dow) take the two (3) pictures he told Carleton he would when he and Kane came to forcibly remove Carleton to cover-up by cleaning up, and did they do interviews of all staff there for the incident as they told Carleton they would do?
- 39.) Was Kyle Wilson, an officer for the Piscataquis County Sheriff's Office acting within the law or did he violate protocol by using excessive force against Carleton on November 22nd 2020, at the Country Time Variety store when Carleton was tased for not responding to his voice? By not waiting for back-up and by subsequently falsely charging Carleton with resisting arrest did he violate his oath?
- 40.) Did Mr. Christopher Almy, the A.D.A. (Assistant District Attorney) commit slander and/or defamation of character by transcribing the opinions of a psychologist for the state as fact in a presumptive assertion of Carleton "reason" for his actions?
- 31.) Did Dr. April O'Grady of the State Forensic Service conspire with the D.A. or A.D.A. or any member of law enforcement in an attempt to "coerce" evidence from Carleton by using as leverage the fact that she could have him placed in a psychiatric facility?
- 32.) Did the Jail Administrator Marie Landry "knowingly or intentionally" obstruct Carleton's access to his medical provider Ms. Demi Keith (M.D.)?
- 33.) Was "cruel and unusual" punishment or "excessive force" used by the staff at Maine Correctional Center in Windham, Maine on August 20th 2021 in relation to Carleton having been poked with a broomstick on multiple occasions and for having his right hand sprained/broken with lasting damage to said hand.
- 34.) Was malpractice exhibited by the medical staff at M.C.C. by disguising the nature of the injury? Radiologist for the state would report that said right hand had never healed correctly from a previous break when to Carleton knowledge he has never broken his hand. Thankfully there exists an X-ray of the same hand from just five ~~12~~ months previous. However despite repeated attempts to retrieve that X-ray (taken at P.C.S. in Dover-Foxcroft, ME at the hospital) Carleton has been put through lots of disinformation and as of yet still has no X-ray with which he could compare and contrast the image to find discrepancies.

LIST OF PARTIES

[] All parties appear in the caption of the case on the cover page.

[✓] All parties **do not** appear in the caption of the case on the cover page. A list of all parties to the proceeding in the court whose judgment is the subject of this petition is as follows:

Eric Beorce, Marie Landry, Robert Young, Randall Liberty, Piscataquis County, Dover-Foxcroft, Piscataquis County Jail and Sheriff's Office, Maine Department of Corrections, Maine State Prison, Maine Correctional Center, Department of Human Services (DHS) Aaron Frey, Dr. April O'Grady, Jeremy Rockliff, Allen Wintle, Robert Sawyer, Pat Bush, Deborah Flagg, Jennifer Sampson, Uoe Wyman, Garret Viera, Heather Lacroix, Christopher Almy, Guy Dow, Jamie Kane, Kyle Wilson, Rick Blodgett, Lyn Boullier, Calvin Gilbert, Gabrielle Huetner, Adam Viera, Cole Hill, Matt Poole, Pepin (C.O., M.C.C.) Black (C.O.M.C.C.) Robbins (C.O., M.C.C.)

RELATED CASES

Please let it be known by the reader here that I, Ryan T. Carleton, the petitioner in this case did attempt on at least three separate times to gather documents from the lower courts case and findings through letters to the D.A.'s office as well as the clerks office and eventually out of disgust wrote to the states Attorney General Mr. Aaron Frey a letter to inform him that since my former public defender never once sent me forward any such documents I was in need of them for future litigation. I have received not a single reply to these communique. Perhaps an order from a higher court would convince them.

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I'm at ~~a~~ a loss here. Sad but true. As I stated in my previous statement the staff is aware. I have used the grievance system, I apologize but now may you have better insight into the state of Mainer's corruptness. In a word its shocking. In another, blatant. I almost don't dare to send this petition out to be copied to the library, might it vanish.

STATUTES AND RULES

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JURISDICTION

☐ For cases from **federal courts**:

The date on which the United States Court of Appeals decided my case was _____

☐ No petition for rehearing was timely filed in my case.

☐ A timely petition for rehearing was denied by the United States Court of Appeals on the following date: _____, and a copy of the order denying rehearing appears at Appendix _____.

☐ An extension of time to file the petition for a writ of certiorari was granted to and including _____ (date) on _____ (date) in Application No. ____ A _____.

The jurisdiction of this Court is invoked under 28 U. S. C. § 1254(1).

☐ For cases from **state courts**:

The date on which the highest state court decided my case was April 26th, 2022
A copy of that decision appears at Appendix A.

☐ A timely petition for rehearing was thereafter denied on the following date: _____, and a copy of the order denying rehearing appears at Appendix _____.

☐ An extension of time to file the petition for a writ of certiorari was granted to and including _____ (date) on _____ (date) in Application No. ____ A _____.

The jurisdiction of this Court is invoked under 28 U. S. C. § 1257(a).

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Petitioner respectfully prays that a writ of certiorari issue to review the judgment below.

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The opinion of the United States court of appeals appears at Appendix _____ to the petition and is

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☐ For cases from **state courts**:

The opinion of the highest state court to review the merits appears at Appendix A to the petition and is

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CONSTITUTIONAL AND STATUTORY PROVISIONS INVOLVED

Please allow this writer/petitioner to make the reader aware that throughout the entire time I have been engaged in writing this, for over two weeks now I have been denied access to this facilities law library with their full knowledge and grieved in multiple attempts. I pray you forgive the lack of citations for I cannot quote that which I cannot see. It is rather fitting that it would culminate in yet another instance of negligent indifference on the states part for at least in my own experience it has been a recurring issue. I apologize to the reader. I've provided just rough outline heretofor;

RE; Assaulting an Officer; Due Process Clause, 4th and/or 8th Amendments
- Johnson v. Glick, Birdline v. Gray, Miller v. Lorette, Dean v. City of Worster, Randall v. Prince

RE; Incompetent assistance of counsel; Sixth 6th Amendments
- McCoy v. Louisiana

RE; Obstruction/Property rights/Retaliation; 17-A - MRS - §458
- Conditions of Confinement
- Hope v. Pelzer, Bell v. Wolfish, Toussaint v. McCarthy
Daniels v. Williams 474 U.S. 327
Hudson v. Palmer

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I, Ryan T. Carleton seek to exonerate my name from this very disturbing miscarriage of the state of Maine's judicial system. With the aid of a competent attorney this time and with all the essential expert testimonies needed to refute the states case and to make my own. Which my highly incompetent attorney denied me and in doing so did violate the structural integrity of my sixth amendment rights. By refusing to produce those crucial expert witnesses all of whom were requested in writing to both my public defender and the D.A / Clerk as well as denying me any input in the subsequent appeal, by his complete lack of communication, I was denied a fair outcome.

Said witnesses were critical to defending myself against the charges of;

1.) Assaulting an Officer. On January 25th 2021 (12:01 P.M. EST, as per video) in the booking room of Piscataquis County Jail the petitioner, Ryan T. Carleton, who was suffering from severe sciatic pain and vehemently requesting medical attention was taken from a bare holding cell. Carleton was then cuffed both hands and feet and forcibly placed into a "restraint chair" by five C.O.s while the J.A. watched. The video shows that Carleton did not resist. A sixth C.O. Eric Bearce came from his post in the dispatch room to be behind Carleton who was seated in chair to be strapped to it for what is unsure. C.O. Bearce placed his hands around Carletons neck and jaw and both squeezed and pulled. He would call this a "jaw pull" in his later statement saying it was taught in the academy. At trial Carleton did ask for the M.D.O.C. Standards and Practices revised 5th edition which was current as a training tool but was denied that access. The use of this extreme measure upon Carleton did immediately and completely cut off his air supply which caused Carleton to react in a manner of self-defense caused by the "fight or flight" response mechanism that is ingrained in the human biology. This was 100% a reactive (non-voluntary) response and could not be contained due to where the

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C.O.'s hands were placed as well as the restriction of his life sustaining oxygen. Carleton tried but could not voice his desperation.

As a result of his non-voluntary response Carleton's hands, still cuffed, automatically flailed upward to strike the party responsible for threatening his life. The result was that the shift supervisor Mr. Alan Wintle ordered for Carleton, still in leg and hand restraints, and strapped to "restraint chair" to be tased. After a matter of 5 or 6 seconds or more went by the C.O. Sawyer handed his taser to C.O. Bush who then tased Carleton without need or mercy.

Subsequently an internal investigation was allegedly done by the Piscataquis County Sheriffs Office who operate the jail. To Carleton's astonishment charges were levied and despite all the video evidence and witnesses Carleton was convicted and sentenced to his current two year sentence.

I, Ryan T. Carleton, the petitioner in this case believe and would like to make the following argument:

A videographer was badly needed and was requested by Carleton but refused by public defender. The witness could have enhanced and clarified the video evidence to show precisely where C.O. Bearce's hands were placed on Carleton's person. Additionally an M.D. and a self-defense expert were requested to provide the court with a thorough explanation of biology such as components of the neck and the airway and the resulting biological response/reaction by Carleton.

Carleton also requested on several levels up to the M.D.O.C. Commissioner Randall Liberty, as well as P.C.J., his lawyer, the D.A./Clerks office that he be given access to the fore mentioned M.D.O.C. Standards and Practices for the purpose of identifying the appropriate technique and procedure in its theory and application. Thus allowing Carleton the opportunity to find any sort of discrepancies in the C.O.'s application and necessity thereof. Also present on January 25th other than Wintle, Sawyer, and Bush were the Jail Administrator Marie Landry, and C.O.s Flagg and Sampson. Bearce was assigned to the "bubble" that day.

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2.) Concerning the Felony conviction of Violation of Conditions of release in which Carleton allegedly both wrote and sent a letter to his mother whom the police put under a no-contact order against her own and everyone's wishes. Carleton does freely admit to being the author of said letter for the common usage as a therapy tool. Carleton is pro-therapy. However Carleton alleges that the letter was sent not with his approval but by a cell mate and friend Mr. Gary Poirier, whom Carleton also requested to testify but was denied by his public defender. Carleton's mother testified that the letter itself was written in her sons hand but that the penmanship on the envelope itself was unknown to her. This confirms Carleton's explanation that Poirier sent without consent.

I, Ryan T. Carleton the petitioner in this case believe and would like to make the following argument:

A handwriting expert was badly needed and was requested by Carleton but refused by public defender. The witness was needed to give a professional opinion for other than the judges own discretion there is no evidence to support a felony conviction, and along with Poirier testimony would matter of factly established Carleton's innocence.

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3.) Concerning the Theft by unauthorized taking. Carletons mother, as shown in her statement, never once told Carleton he was not allowed to use the vehicle. In observing the documented actions of the defendant who according to the state stopped just 200 hundred feet down the road from his mothers residence (also his own residence) at his elderly neighbors house to ask if he could do anything for her while in town. Then stopping about a half mile further down the same country road for a social call with another neighbor. Carletons actions show that he was never under the impression that the vehicle was stolen. Intent does not exist, therefore Carleton is innocent as he was neither found in possession of vehicle.

4.) Concerning the charge of Cruelty to Animals. The charge having been dropped from a felony charge of Aggravated Cruelty to Animals to the lesser conviction of Cruelty to Animals. Carleton who has a long documented history of caring deeply for animal welfare, both adopting both cats and dogs from "no-kill shelters", raising Bloodhounds, and working in a Veterinarian ^{office} in Essex, Massachusetts in 2000 as a helper brushing, grooming, cleaning, walking, scooping in the service of our furry friends. Carleton also grew up in very rural Maine and his father ran a trapline for fur-bearing animals on which Carleton helped his father joyfully. Sadly, on occasion, domestic pets, got caught in these traps, sometimes they were ferule and sick with disease. Carleton believes from his extensive background that the animal in question which he admits to having to kill in defense as the cat was severely and abnormally aggressive, documented by the multiple deep wounds, now scars 18 months later, on Carletons right hand was suffering from a malady contracted due to the neglect of the owner, his father. Carleton did request the cat to be tested and for a Wildlife Biologist to be allowed to examine the animal for which he was also denied.

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5) Obstruction/Spoilage/Retaliation: On the day of August 4th, 2021 I Ryan T. Carleton, the petitioner in this case was awaiting transport from P.C.J. to the Maine Correctional Center after being wrongfully convicted of Assaulting an Officer while defending myself from a hyper-aggressive C.O. on January 25th, 2021. This I believe to be very relevant to what follows here.

In my cell I had a large stack of several hundred documents both personal and legal secured as always in Manilla folders including but not limited to; copies of grievances, internal communique from myself to the staff there, external communique from myself to/from M.D.O.C. and other government authorities, communique between myself and my public defender and other court/legal documents. Much of it evidence to be used in future litigation against P.C.J. such as this. Also in my cell were my religious items (Muslim since 1997) including 2 Qur'ans, my Kufi, and one very significant necklace, an heirloom. All of those items, most alarmingly my evidence have gone missing and were never delivered to my new facility.

I attempted by vigorously writing with no response at all. I then involved by new case worker Sara Stresky. Who via Email learned from a Lyn Boullier from D.H.S. and P.C.J. that my personal and legal affects were all "discarded" due to being "contaminated with feces and urine". That proves to be a very significant statement in another complaint in which I allege the staff at P.C.J. intentionally caused an unsafe condition in my cell.

6) On May 8th 2021 I Ryan T. Carleton, the petitioner in this case was placed in the only maximum solitary cell in P.C.J. where Carleton would be held without recreation and with just a half (1/2) hour every third day for hygiene up to and throughout his trial until he would be transported on August 4th 2021. During this time Carleton would be denied access to the telephone (even legal calls were for 2) as well as denied grievance forms and paper to write. As per the sheriffs orders Carleton would also

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be stripped of all items including clothes, T.P., blankets, and mattress. Just a man and concrete under constantly bright fluorescent lights to suffer. During one of his hygiene trips to the bathroom Carleton informed C.O. Alan Wittle, the shift supervisor that his toilet was clogged. Carleton was then locked in the bathroom while the C.O.s would, during shift change go about unclogging Carleton's toilet with a mechanical snake. This is a common occurrence throughout the jail.

C.O.s Wittle, Robert Sawyer, Garrett Vierra, Jennifer Simpson, Heather Lacroix, Gabrielle Huether, and Chloe Wyman were all witness to this occurrence.

Upon returning Carleton to his cell the outer day room floor was covered with a light brownish liquid that was coming from inside the max. solitary cell. An odor of feces and urine permeated the room. Carleton made reference to the liquid and while they came closer to the cell the amount and texture of the stuff change. Obvious large specks of brown feces were observable on all the walls, the table and stool, and the bed. Carleton asked why they didn't clean and sanitize the cell when they were done. As it was shift change there was much busyness. They appeared unconcerned and even entertained, while Carleton protested loudly he was locked in the unsanitized condition.

Carleton then decided that his civil and human rights had been violated and he requested that an outside authority be made available to come and to document the conditions. Carleton was now very distrustful of the P.C.S.O. after what had transpired on January 25th, 2021 and the internal investigator for the P.C.S.O. saw the video of the incident. Carleton was confident they would see that video and levy no charges because he knew he had been a victim that day and if the C.O. Beauce had not forcefully and unnecessarily put hands on his neck, restricting his breathing he would never voluntarily strike anyone, much less an officer of the law. However Carleton was charged so now, he had lost all trust and he had an ever growing thought that he was being targeted by the facility. His request was denied. However

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Carleton then told the staff he would stay in the cell until an outside agent, namely the Dover-Foxcroft P.D. (a letter was sent) and the Maine State Police (another letter was sent) be allowed to take photographs and to take statements. Carleton did stay in the cell for the next two weeks with his adamant conviction that he had been violated. All the while the same "negligent indifference" was exhibited by the staff.

Two mental health counselors did witness the conditions. Finally one day about two weeks in two big burly officers of the P.C.S.O. (not C.O.s, but cops) suddenly popped the door as Carleton slept, to remove him Carleton believes with the intent to "cover-up" any wrong doing.

Carleton still refused to leave until one officer agreed to take a couple (2) cell phone shots. Carleton was then removed without incident. Apparent conditions of confinement abuses occurred with full knowledge of the staff.

7) On the evening of November 22nd, 2020 at approximately 7:00 P.M. at the locale of Country Time Variety store in the town of Sanderville, ME in the county of Piscataquis I, Ryan T. Carleton, the petitioner in this case was ~~tased~~ tased without cause by Officer Kyle Wilson. Charges of resisting arrest were levied but the evidence found Carleton not guilty. This is an apparent case of excessive force.

8) On the dates subsequent to my arrest on Nov. 25th, 2020 the District Attorney and/or agents of that office did commit fervent and decisive slander by rendering as fact opinions of psychological professionals against me in a public display on both television and in print media. This was done to the significant detriment of my name with severe and perpetuating damage to my personal gain in pursuit of financial and emotional security in my very small rural region of Maine. Apparent slander and libel laws in violation.

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9.) On March 16th, 2021 while incarcerated at P.C.J. I, Ryan T. Carleton, the petitioner in this case did voluntarily and on the advice of my public defender agree to a mental health evaluation with my full faculties as sound as ever. However during the two day, over three hour process Carleton was, in an attempt to coerce a confession, subjected to blatant attempts to force said confession under the threat of "blue paper", that is permanently remanded into the custody of the Department of Human Services (DHS).

The petitioner believes that, by correct standards, he easily did establish his lucidity and clarity of thought and reasoning capability. As evident by the subsequent interview by a much more professional and ethical psychologist Dr. Kimball in which he was after complemented by the Dr. for being, "one of the most succinct and lucid interviewees" he'd ever had after only a half hour and then the conversation turned to fishing.

Dr. April O'Grady's opinion came under great suspicion when under the scrutiny of the staff at the Riverview Psychiatric Facility in Augusta, ME after less than a day their best and brightest Drs. were frankly confounded as to how such a specimen come to be in their care. The petitioner alleges grave misconduct in the courts attempt to conspire to remit Carleton to the mental health system.

10.) On May 7th, 2021 after recently returning from the Riverview Psychiatric Facility I, Ryan T. Carleton, the petitioner in this case was still patiently awaiting, for six months now, my yet unset trial date. On the day previous Carleton had spoken congenially with Dr. Demi Keith. The provider/counselor from his stay at Riverview whom had informed him to contact her anytime going forward

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for aftercare concerns. After informing C.O. Gilbert of the number and to whom it belonged Carleton was told that the number was now blocked by order of the J.A., Marie Landry. Carleton found this highly suspicious and non-sensical as just the day before he'd spoken to Keith. The conversation was pleasant despite the topic of dealing with the newly inflicted P.T.S.D. from the January 25th incident involving the use of force leaving Carleton traumatized and changing his life forever to his detriment.

Carleton next asked with a great conviction for the Sgt. that day, it was Off. Rick Blodgett who knew Carleton to be honest, to intervene by calling both the J.A. and the Dr. to determine the truth of the matter. To the J.A.'s audible displeasure she told the Sgt. to follow orders. However the Sgt. saw my conviction and his instinct and he called Dr. Keith who proceeded to tell him that she never asked for my calls to be blocked. The petitioner alleges wrongdoing by obstruction/retaliation. The next day on May 8th I would be placed into the maximum solitary cell for the rest of my stay there, and where more disturbing abuses would occur.

11) In late July, 2001 (specific day not known) I, Ryan T. Carleton, the petitioner in this case was removed from my max solitary cell for the purpose of my half hour hygiene session. Upon my return certain items I was allowed to have were removed from my cell. I then waited in the hallway with hands raised and in a seated position upon the floor awaiting an explanation and/or an order. The C.O. Wittle had drawn his taser and had made the command to return to my cell. As Carleton rose to his feet he took two steps toward his cell and then without any other command was tased.

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by Wittle. This instance was the 4th time in Carletons relatively short time at P.C.J. that he would be tased. In Carletons opinion 3 of those instances were unnecessary and/or excessive.

11) On August 20th, 2021 I, Ryan T. Carleton, the petitioner in this case was being held in the segregated housing unit at the Maine Correctional Center in Windham, ME after being put there as punishment for protesting the fact that his property from P.C.J. was criminally diverted to be disposed of without his consent and against his wishes, having contained evidence against his jailors and the state of Maine. In an agitated state of mind Carleton found himself at the mercy of the C.O.s appetites for sadism. At once Carleton had his right hand pulled through a closed and locked tray slot while three C.O.s together did pull on one end of a piece of clothing (pants) that Carletons hand was wrapped up in the other end. The result was the irreparable damage to said hand. On that same day Carleton was poked and/or prodded as an animal might be by same C.O.s with a broom handle on multiple occasions through the tray slot of the security door.

As a result four days later after suffering intense pain over those days Carleton was taken the 200 feet or so to have the hand X-rayed. On that same day just an hour later Carleton was being transported to a different facility. Upon arrival at his new facility, the Maine State Prison in Warren, ME within a half hour of his arrival Carleton found himself being thrown into a cement floor by Off. Spraul and off. ~~Rep~~ Therian for reaching into his pants. A very large "egg" was formed as a result.

Statement of Case

After waiting for the results of the X-ray of his right hand Carleton was finally presented with a summation, or a Dr.'s opinion. The radiologist determined that my right hand was suffering from an "old break" but no new break existed. In the meanwhile the medical staff (nurses) who delivered medications to Carleton in his cell would not take pictures of Carleton's ~~left~~ black eyes and the "egg" on his left forehead just over his eye and to the left. However they did take photos of his right hand at both facilities.

Incidentally just months earlier while at P.C.J. in March 2021 Carleton had the same right hand X-rayed. Carleton because of the severe level of pain occurring in the right hand when C.O.'s at M.C.C. pulled the hand through the tray slot is of the belief that the hand was broken on that occasion. Carleton did ask in writing three (3) times directly to P.C.J. for a copy of the March X-ray to compare and contrast with the August 24th X-ray to prove that the hand was not previously broken and that only upon the second trauma did it get irreparably damaged. I, Ryan T. Carleton, the petitioner in this case allege malpractice by the radiologist here as well as excessive force and other cruel and unusual punishment in this case.

Please if I may finish this summary by saying that never in my previous 44 years have I ever been involved with the criminal justice system other than driving offenses and one assault charge many years ago over a woman. Nor have I ever sued any other person or agency in any capacity. I, Ryan T. Carleton, believe I am innocent of all felony charges here and ask your help in proving it. Please forgive my spelling errors and my simple, rustic

REASONS FOR GRANTING THE PETITION

I, Ryan T. Carleton, the petitioner in this case, believe with everything I hold dear that this case is of national importance if for no other reason to clarify the "jaw pull" issue, for I had no choice of whether I did or did not react in the manner I did. Also for the correction and restoration of the record, so that justice may be served for posterity. A man's name is all he really has in this world and though he be poor his character and integrity are equal to that of any other man. A man should not have to have expensive counsel to clear his name but if cases like this one are not checked then what good is our system, these public defenders must be held to account and they must not allow the state to reign over the law. Where there exists such unethical behaviors as are exhibited here such as the "internal investigation" by the P.C.S.O. when such clear and contradictory video evidence exists like the January 25th video that is tantamount to suppression of rights and this type of "blue line" corruption by the police must be checked by our system of checks and balances when such men bent on retaliation or afraid the truth may hurt their reputations do their worst. For what truly hurts their reputations is the "cover-up" and just how deep it goes and what they are willing to do, how they compromise their professional oath and ethics is what will inevitably ruin the public's trust in their office if it is left unchecked. So when opportunities for change present themselves it is the responsibility of our "agents of change" to intervene to bring about the right kind of change, so that the next individual to seek justice will benefit from the gained knowledge of past experience.

Most importantly however for this petitioner is so that I may be exonerated and have the "no-contact" order against my father be lifted. He is 76 and his lung cancer returned just a month after I got put in jail, now 18 months ago. He is on chemo and I have no assurance he will still be with us by the time the no-contact is lifted another 18 months from now. I know he did not order it (the state did) and he does not want it for he has reached out several times but I cannot reach back. It is a cruel measure of callous disregard by the court to impose such an order against both the child's and the parent's well-being. These facts and circumstances

In conclusion please let me say that all my faith in humanity now lies in the hands of the men and women who are about to determine the outcome of this most enlightening, tragic, and horrific chapter of my life. I know in my heart firmly and lastingly of my incorruptable innocence on an felony charges. I'm simply not a felon. If you will look at my previous 44 years. There are nothing but driving offenses. The one assault, the man called me a pedophile for having an 18 year old girlfriend when I was 26. Anyway I kind of ruined this whole petition just now. Blah... I'm innocent!! Of the felonies that is!

CONCLUSION

The petition for a writ of certiorari should be granted.

Respectfully submitted,

Ryan Carlitan

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