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Hon. John W. Sedwick United States District Court Judge 222 W. 7th Avenue Anchorage, Alaska 99513

Dear Sir,

I am writing on behalf of William Bobrick. The case number is 3:07-cr-00062-JWS. I have known Bill for 20 years. We met through political activity in 1986 and expanded our relationship to include serving on community boards together, as well as sharing many social events. I have been and continue to be friends with Bill and his wife, Jessica.

I believe that Bill Bobrick knows that his actions were wrong and that he is full of remorse about the choices he made. I have talked with him several times since the charges were filed. He wept with me in describing his regret. He knows he broke trust with his clients, and with the community as a whole. He said he had, "lost his way", that he has changed, and that he is prepared to accept whatever punishment the court deems appropriate. He is also looking for ways to become an instrument of change in the addressing ethics reform after he has fulfilled his obligation to the court. He plans to live here and to make Alaska a better place.

I am writing to encourage you to be lenient in your sentencing for several reasons:

- 1. Mr. Bobrick pled guilty to the charges
- 2. Mr. Bobrick cooperated with authorities to prosecuting other members of the conspiracy.
- 3. Bill Bobrick is a man who has served the community in the past, and is committed to doing so in the future.

Please allow me to share some experiences I have had with Bill to demonstrate that he is a man imbued with a generous nature and solid character. In 1993 I was the Chair of the Alaska Women's Political Caucus, which advocates the election of women to public office. We had invited Texas Governor Ann Richards to Alaska to give presentations and preside at a training workshop. As a typical grass roots, non-profit organization, volunteers coordinated all aspects of her 4 day visit. She was the most important speaker we had ever brought to Alaska. I trusted Bill Bobrick to be her chauffer, her guide and the person who took care of her logistical needs while she was here. I could trust Bill to not only pick her up and drive her to many venues, but also to talk with her, to tell her about Alaska, particularly about the conditions of Alaska women. Bill was a member of the Alaska Women's Political Caucus. He has been a tireless advocate to enhance the status of women as long as I have known him.

For example, Bill recruited me to serve on the Board of the Rape Crisis Center, STAR, with him in 1995. He was the Chairman and led the organization through a challenging economic period by successfully heading up a critical fund raising effort. Additionally, under Bill's leadership, both state and local laws were strengthened to support women who had been the victim of sexual or domestic violence. His leadership style is inclusive and he is a very good listener. He served on the STAR Board for 9 years and the State Council on Domestic Violence for 3 years. He didn't make any money worrying about battered women. Instead, he contributed his time, his talents and a lot of his own money to the cause of strengthening the law and services for victims of domestic and sexual assault. I admire him for his work in this area.

In closing, I believe he is very sorry about his unlawful actions. I trust that he will never falter in an ethical matter in the future. I also know he has re-committed himself to our community. (He now serves dinner at the Brother Francis Shelter every Wednesday night) I encourage you to take all of this into consideration in making your decision about his sentence. I believe you can trust him to fulfill any obligation the court would see fit to impose on him. He has been a man of his word in the past, and I am confident he will also be in the future. It may be more useful to the wronged citizens of the United States if you put his talents to work in community service, rather than incarceration.

I am prepared to support Bill in any way I can to put his life back together and to reconnect to the Anchorage community. Feel free to call upon me to expand or explain any aspect of this letter.

Sincerely,

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