

The Honorable
Judge Russel Canan
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Moultrie Courthouse
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Your Honor,

The German Embassy has been following the case of Albrecht Muth, who is charged with murder of his wife Viola Drath, closely and with particular interest since Mr. Muth is a German national and this Embassy has been providing consular assistance to him since his arrest in August 2011.

As you are aware, Mr. Muth's current condition is dire, he has been hospitalized since January 30, 2013 and continues his fasting which he started before he was admitted to the hospital. The Embassy is extremely concerned about Mr. Muth's state of health and the potential health consequences of his fasting.

The Embassy, therefore, respectfully inquires if Your Honor sees a possibility within your powers to ensure that Mr. Muth's health can be stabilized and his fasting does not leave him in grave danger.

We very much appreciate your efforts in this regard.

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Sincerely,

Knut Abraham Consul General

