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Mr. Leon A. Cannizzaro, Jr.
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Dear Mr. Cannizzaro:

My office represents Ms.

and her daughter who you have alleged is a victim of child molestation and child pornography in case Number 523930 presently pending in Orleans Parish Criminal District Court "J". I have followed the case on the online Docket Master and it appears that trial is set for September 26, 2016.

Please be advised that I have instructed my clients not to talk to any law enforcement agency, including you, about any matter without an attorney from my office being present.

A review of the Louisiana Statutes and Constitution shows a defined right to privacy in addition to the Federal Constitutional Right to Privacy. In addition, the Louisiana Constitution also provides a state right to Due Process. Also Louisiana Constitution, Article I, Section 25, specifically assures that alleged crime victims will be treated with dignity and respect. Although it seems this is a poorly drafted Section as it does not truly provide for *all* rights of alleged victims, it does form a basis to protect my clients.

In light of the above I expect my clients' rights will be respected and that you treat them with the dignity and respect as well as give great regard to their desires, which is that you, your offices, any investigators or any law enforcement agencies refrain from contacting them in any manner concerning the alleged offenses. **Please honor their right to privacy, their right to be left alone.** They do not want to be badgered, bothered or harassed by anyone from law enforcement in any way.

If you have any questions, please direct them to me. Any efforts to the contrary will be considered a violation of my clients' constitutional rights for which we will seek appropriate relief. Please make sure that this information is communicated to all pertinent personnel.

Very Truly Yours. Louisa Densanti

Louisa B. Pensanti Attorney at Law