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**Testimony:**

RE: BARBARA FAIR FOR CORRECTION OMBUDSPERSON.

TO THE CORRECTION ADVISORY COMMITTEE:

I'm writing this letter because I want you to act now to appoint Barbara Fair to the important position of Correction Ombudsperson. We need someone in that position who is willing to be a strong advocate for incarcerated people, and Ms. Fair has demonstrated herself to be that person by her work on our behalf in her leadership role with Stop Solitary CT.

I myself am an inmate and experience(d) many wrongs committed by CT. Correction.

Example (s): Despite my status as indigent and many written requests I have not had a set of new site T-shirts nor boxers in more than 4 years I have several hundred dollars in my inmate trust account and DOC refuses to let me spend any of it on the claim that I owe money to the US DISTRICT COURT for 1983 civil PRLA actions, despite the fact that I have provided actual evidence in the form of documentation from said US District Court proving that I do not owe said money and that even if I did DOC overpaid multiple accounts by as much as 330.00 plus.

In addition DOC used my money to pay for cases/ accounts that I had already paid for and others that I never even filed with said Court to begin with. DOC staff has literally stolen properties (law books, legal documents that are material to pending Tort/ civil actions against DOC staff, etc.) from me and stated, in writing, that said properties were contraband and therefore taken and given to other inmates.... if they were contraband then why were they given to other inmates and no ticket was made to penalize me?

DOC has claimed, in writing, that I didn't mail anything out to the IRS, FBI, SECRETARY OF STATE, etc. despite my preserving actual video of me doing so.

I also missed my PETITION FOR WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS Trial because DOC STAFF, whose boss was the defendant in the case, refused to let my attorney visit me nor speak to me via phone for more than 12 days in a row which forced me to have to represent myself and lose my trial, after having rescheduled the date and doing it alone. Court transcripts prove my claims as the attorneys admitted to it themselves. just to name a few.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED

JOSE RAMOS