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**RE: STATE V. CHARLES RODRICK, BRENT OESTERBLAD AND SARAH SHEA
CASE NO. 88 SGJ 33
VICTIM IMPACT STATEMENT**

Dear Ms. Shaker,

I am President of the Florida Action Committee, Inc. (FAC). FAC is a 2000+ member non-profit organization that advocates for public safety and laws based on empirical research. Among our members are persons required to register as sexual offenders or sexual predators in Florida and across the United States.

For years, the Defendants in the above-referenced case engaged in a scheme to terrorize and extort persons required to register as sex offenders and their family members. Their criminal enterprise was not limited to Arizona, but reached thousands of victims across the United States.

As set forth in their indictment, the Defendants scraped information from government sites and published that information across a series of websites they operated, which were indexed in search engines such that a search of the individual's name would produce pages of results showcasing the individual's offense. They would then demand money from these individuals to remove the disparaging information.

If that were not bad enough, once they identified a victim willing to pay their "removal fees", they would simply place the information on another of their network of sites and demand money to remove that profile. If a victim would pay to have his information removed from SexOffenderrecord.com, the Defendants would simply promote the victim on Offendex.com. Once they paid to be removed from there, they were promoted on SORArchives.com, and so on.

The Defendants would continue retargeting the same victim and if they ever refused, they would ratchet up the harassment by including additional information on their target, sending personal threats, and even publishing their family member's information online.

If that were not bad enough, they would include personal information on people who were never, in fact, required to register as sex offenders or who were removed from the requirement to register. Anyone who didn't acquiesce to the Defendants' demands would become the victim of their harassment, including a former attorney, Daniel R. Warner.

For years, hundreds of our members were terrorized by the Defendants. Aside from the money lost, victims and spouses lost jobs because of the online shaming. Those targeted and their family members suffered unimaginable stress, anxiety, and depression. Unfortunately, because the victims are members of an unsympathetic group, we found that law enforcement was disinterested.

The reason for my letter is to sincerely thank the Attorney General's Office for prosecuting this important case. Also, on behalf of our members who were victimized by these Defendants, we wish to bring to the Court's attention the fact that in addition to the victims identified in the charging documents, there are thousands, if not hundreds of thousands, of others out there who, for years, were tormented by the cruel behavior of these defendants.

It is our hope that your prosecution of these individuals is as unyielding as they were in harassing their victims.

Sincerely,
/s/ Gail Colletta
Gail Colletta, President