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Edgar County Watchdogs Attention: Mr. Kirk Allen

VIA E-MAIL at: kirk@illinoisleaks.com

RE:

Response letter to Krik Allen of Edgar County Watchdogs

Case No.: N/A at this time.

Dear Mr. Kirk:

Please be advised that this Office represents Mr. Mayer regarding the e-mail you had sent him at 10:33 a.m. Friday (December 14, 2018).

Regarding the quote from the court records you have in the referenced e-mail, in reviewing the Court record in its entirety instead of cherry picking one sentence in an unsubstantiated motion containing a false allegation of abuse, in which to my understanding no arrest was ever made nor a police report ever filed, this question would not even come up. You would, instead, have discovered that my client denied the allegations and that an evidentiary hearing on the Motion was held on or about August 19, 2015. If you had reviewed the Order denying the motion, or bothered to obtain a copy of the official court transcript, you would also know that, after hearing all of the evidence of the movant, the Judge presiding, denied the motion and, in so doing, specifically stated: "As to No. 2, coercion and No. 3, distress, I've received absolutely no evidence of either one of those to sustain a cause of action. So the motion for finding is sustained as to that."

Regarding the issue of child support, this issue remains contested and unresolved. There is no order stating that my client owes \$49,000.00 in child support, and it is my understanding from speaking with my client that the issue remains in court and again is not only being contested but my client is also seeking fees and costs due to this un-proven claim. Further, it should be noted my client has not in the past nor to present date has ever filed for bankruptcy protection.

Regarding the issue/questions about my client's employment with Call One, it is my understanding, that my client has already stated, in public, that neither he, his wife, nor his company have ever received any income from Call One related to DuPage Township. Any statement to the contrary is false.

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My client wants to be clear that he is protective of his reputation. You are put on notice that if you choose to spread information which is proven to be false, my client will take all available and appropriate legal action against same. Libel and/or Slander claims will be taken seriously by my client and he will not stand for false information to be spread about him. Please conduct yourself accordingly.

Sincerely,

The Law Office of John R. Carrozza P.C.

By: John R. Carrozza

cc: Mr. William Mayer