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March 31, 2015

Gerard Pierce  
1700 Alta Drive #1020  
Las Vegas, Nevada 89106

RE: Your Pro Bono Application

Dear Mr. Pierce:

This letter is to inform you that your matter was accepted for a pro bono consultation on March 11, 2015. Your application is now on our pro bono waiting list. Please understand that this is for a consultation only, as it will be up to the pro bono attorney in the exercise of his/her professional judgment whether to take the case and the extent of services---if more than a consultation---to provide. If we are able to place your matter for consultation with a pro bono attorney, we do not anticipate being able to do so until about April 10, 2015 though the process may take anywhere from 30 – 90 days. This estimate is based on the number of cases awaiting placement and our experience.

If we are able to place your case with an attorney, we will notify you and provide you with the name and telephone number of the attorney who has agreed to consult with you regarding your matter. It will then be your responsibility to contact the pro bono attorney to schedule your first appointment. If we are unable to place your matter within 90 days, we will notify you and we may need to close your matter.


***If you change your telephone number or address before your matter is placed, please notify this office immediately. If we are unable to contact you, we will be forced to close your matter and we will not be able to assist you with your legal problem. Additionally, you must notify us of any developments in your matter and provide us with copies of any new documents in your matter, as we cannot place your matter with a volunteer without complete information. Furthermore, if for some reason you decide you do not need our assistance, please let us know immediately so we can spend our time helping others who still need our services.***

Finally, if you are the victim of a crime, you may qualify for financial assistance for certain expenses you have incurred (such as medical expenses, lost wages, or dental bills, etc.) To determine if you qualify for this assistance, please call the Nevada Victims of Crime Program at: [702] 486-2740.

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We thank you for your patience.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'MLK', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Melanie L. Kushnir, Esq.  
Pro Bono Project Director

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