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Dr. Robert Gordon
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**RE: Brendan Dassey
Case No. 06 CF 88 (Manitowoc County)**

Dear Dr. Gordon,

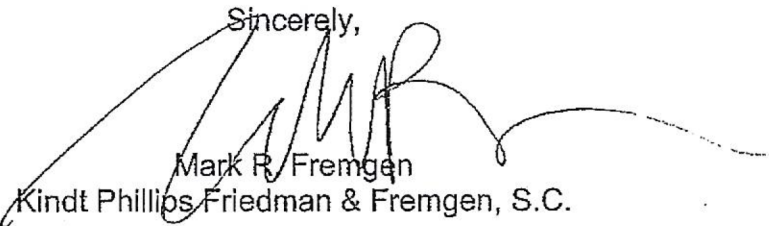
Please be advised that the State Public Defender's Office has approved 20 hours of expert time at a rate of \$150 per hour on the Brendan Dassey matter. I have enclosed for your review copies of the police transcript as to the statements in question as well as a DVD of the March 1, 2006 statement. Further, I am providing you with a copy of the transcript from the original motion hearing with the testimony from the school counselor regarding Brendan. As I noted to you previously, there is no other counseling records in regards to Mr. Dassey. As far as I am able to tell, based upon my conversations with Mr. Dassey as well as my conversation with his previous attorney, Mr. Dassey has never been formally treated by a psychologist or psychiatrist for any issue. Mr. Dassey was involved with the school district in regards to an IEP and had been diagnosed with an IQ at various ranges between 73 and 76.

As you meet with Mr. Dassey, I am sure you will become aware of his limitations and deficits. Brendan takes some time to answer questions. Though it may appear as if he is not answering your question, normally he is simply formulating an answer to the question. It does often take several seconds for Mr. Dassey to respond to a question (even a yes or no type of question).

As I noted to you previously, our goal is twofold in regards to the psychological evaluation of Mr. Dassey: First, we need to address whether or not Mr. Dassey has characteristics that make him more susceptible to suggestionable police interrogation techniques and whether or not based upon a review of the information including the confession as well as the a personal interview with Mr. Dassey that he in fact provided a questionable confession based upon improper police questioning as it would pertain to a pretrial motion; second, we are looking for similar evaluation purposes of testimony that would be relevant and admissible at trial (assuming the statements were not suppressed by the Court). I did meet with Mr. Dassey on October 9, 2006 in regards to your evaluation and explained your role. Mr. Dassey does appear to be willing to participate and will cooperate fully with all testing and questioning.

If I have any other information that you would like a copy of, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,



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