

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

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KIRSTIN BLAISE LOBATO,

Petitioner,

vs.

STATE OF NEVADA,

Respondents.

} Case No.: 58913

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EXHIBITS TO MOTION FOR LEAVE TO ADD AMICUS CURIAE



EXHIBIT 1

PROVING INNOCENCE
Freeing Those Wrongfully Convicted

Statement of Interest in Kirstin Blaise Lobato v. State of Nevada, No. 58913, Nevada Supreme Court


April 1, 2012

Proving Innocence works to free people who are wrongfully convicted and imprisoned for crimes they did not commit by providing proofs to support their claims of actual innocence. Proving Innocence compliments the nation's innocence projects by funding investigators, providing video documentaries of wrongful convictions, and supporting structural reform. Proving Innocence is an IRS approved 501(c)(3) non-profit organization that is incorporated as a non-profit corporation in the State of Michigan and operates from Detroit, Michigan.

Proving Innocence operates the website www.provinginnocence.org which provides information concerning wrongful convictions and the organization's current work with people who have evidence of their actual innocence. These people are in the process of seeking post-conviction relief.

Among the hallmarks in wrongful conviction cases are poor defense lawyering and the State's reliance on weak circumstantial evidence in the absence of direct physical, eyewitness or confession evidence supporting an Appellant's guilt. Proving Innocence has reviewed materials in Kirstin Blaise Lobato's case and believes these markers clearly exist. As a result, Proving Innocence has a substantial interest in providing assistance to the Nevada Supreme Court in its evaluation of legal issues in Ms. Lobato's Opening Brief.

Consequently, Proving Innocence seeks to be recognized as an amicus curiae in support of the MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE AMICUS CURIAE BRIEF, and the BRIEF OF AMICUS CURIAE THE JUSTICE INSTITUTE IN SUPPORT OF APPELLANT KIRSTIN BLAISE LOBATO AND REVERSAL OF THE DISTRICT COURT'S JUDGMENT.


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**Statement of Interest of the Worldwide Women's Criminal Justice Network in
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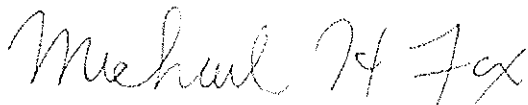
The Worldwide Women's Criminal Justice Network (WCJN) aids women in all stages of criminal trials who display strong claims of actual innocence. Based in Kakogawa city, a large industrial center with technical ties on all continents, the WCJN naturally follows criminal proceedings throughout the world, particularly the USA. Court decisions in the USA, particularly those of the Supreme Court are carefully watched and analyzed by both laypeople and jurists the world over.

WCJN reviews cases and performs its work on behalf of women with post-conviction claims of innocence by engaging with prosecutors, attorneys, activists, and other interested parties. WCJN's website, www.wcfn.org, provides information concerning the wrongful conviction of women, and its online database lists cases of women from Japan, the United States, Indonesia, Canada, Australia, and many other countries. These cases are carefully monitored and limited to those with credible claims of being wrongfully convicted.

WCJN has reviewed information related to the case of Kirstin Blaise Lobato. The evidence establishing her distance from the scene of the crime, the presence of semen in the rectum of the victim, and other significant factors all speak loudly of her wrongful conviction and prosecutorial malfeasance. She is thus listed in our database of wrongfully convicted women in the United States. Thus, the WCJN has a significant interest that the legal issues in Ms. Lobato's habeas corpus appeal are fully and fairly considered by the Nevada Supreme Court.

Due to this substantial interest in Ms. Lobato's case, we seek acceptance by the Nevada Supreme Court as an amicus curiae supporting the Motion For Leave To File Amicus Curiae Brief filed on March 12, 2012; and the Brief Of Amicus Curiae The Justice Institute In Support Of Appellant Kirstin Blaise Lobato And Reversal Of The District Court's Judgment.

Dated this 2nd day of April 2012.



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Director, Worldwide Women's Criminal Justice Network