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Dear Mr. Coleman:

RE: Commonwealth of Massachusetts
VS. Edward J. Sefranka
Supreme Judicial Court - No. P-2084

On Monday, December 15, 1980, the Supreme Judicial Court for the Commonwealth of Massachusetts handed down its decision in the above-entitled case. I am enclosing herewith a copy of that decision which you should find personally gratifying as attorney of record in Pryor vs. Municipal Court.

I would like to take this opportunity on behalf of Mr. Sefranka to thank you for your assistance in this regard. The decision was in no small way a direct result of the fine work of Attorney Andrea L. Davis at Palmer and Dodge in Boston who wrote the Amici Curiae Brief on behalf of the Civil Liberties Union of Massachusetts, Gay and Lesbian Advocates and Defenders, Inc., and the National Committee for Sexual Civil Liberties.

Keep up the good work!

Very truly yours,


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