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VIA EMAIL

Gregg B. Wolfe
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Re: Megan Lampinski v. Eric H. Holder
Civil Action No.: 14-3838
United States District Court, EDPA

Dear Mr. Wolfe:

I have never written a letter like this before, but I have also never before worked with a court reporter so worthy of being singled out for exemplary performance. The work you did in the above-styled case was incredible. I feel compelled to ensure your efforts are recognized.

Your ability and skill was staggering. This was a fast-paced trial with dozens of witnesses and many hundred exhibits. You were able to keep up the entire time, even during my sometimes-speedy cross-examinations.

When I read the transcript at the end of each day, it was flawless, without so much as a typo or extra punctuation mark. This was true notwithstanding the copious jargon used by witnesses during their testimony. If you were able to create such a high quality work product in this trial, I have no doubt you can tackle any trial or deposition.

Your turnaround time was also incredible. My office is a 10-minute walk from the courthouse. Most days, the transcript was waiting in my email inbox by the time I got back from court. Having daily transcripts prepared so quickly had a substantial, positive impact on my trial presentation. Each evening I was able to

review the day's testimony and use it to shape my direct and cross examinations for the following day. This was a luxury I would not have had but for your ability to create the transcript so swiftly. I credit this as one of the many reasons the government prevailed in this trial.

In addition, seeing you in the courtroom made a long trial much more bearable. You were never without a kind word of encouragement or helpful piece of advice. It was reassuring knowing that you were there, and that with all the moving pieces of a trial—one thing I never had to worry about was the record. This has not been my experience in every trial. In this trial, however, I knew the appellate record would be preserved thanks to your accuracy and efficacy.

Thank you again for all your assistance. I hope we will work together soon. Please feel free to use me as a reference, I am happy to speak with anyone about how pleased I am with the service I received from Kaplan Leaman & Wolfe. I recommend you and the firm with no hesitation.

Sincerely,



Veronica J. Finkelstein
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