

November 29, 2016

The Honorable Nikki R. Haley
Office of the Governor
1205 Pendleton Street
Columbia, SC 29201

Dearest Mrs. Haley,

I am a Native of South Carolina, born and raised. I am a 47 year old, single Mother of 2 children. I am writing to you pleading for your help! I have made a lot of stupid mistakes in my life (past) but I am taking a new path to getting my life back on track. I love my children with all my heart and have put them as my first priority other than God. He is first in my life. My Mother taught me right from wrong but desperate times made me make the wrong decisions. I suffer with Anxiety Disorder and severe Depression and attend counseling and am on medication. I am currently unemployed and do not qualify for disability due to my disorders. My son has a genetic chromosomal disorder called Tetrasomy 9p with Mosaicism as well as ADHD and ODD. He requires a lot of my time and attention when he is not in school which makes it hard for me to find a job that fits with this schedule. They say he does not qualify for SSI or Disability benefits which I am looking to find a Lawyer to help me fight this.

Before I had my children, I worked 14 years with the United States Department of Agriculture, Rural Development Agency as a Federal Loan Technician. When I got pregnant for the first time, I was placed on complete bed rest under my Doctor's care. My husband and childrens Father was successfully self employed and wanted me to quit work and be a stay at home Mother, so I resigned from my government job. We divorced and I have been struggling ever since trying to work and raise my children.

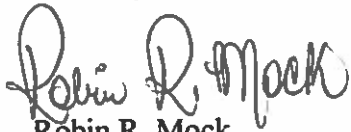
Almost 4 years ago around Christmas I made the mistake of shoplifting and got caught. First and last time I had ever done that. I regret that decision and have paid for it! Almost a year ago I thought I was helping "a friend" by doing them a favor and got caught with Simple Possession of Marijuana. I took a PTI on that charge and completed the program, however I have a record for that too. I do not use illegal drugs or alcohol and tested negative for it. This makes it hard for me to get a job. I do not have \$350.00 for each charge (total of \$700.00) to have them expunged from my record. I have never been in any type of trouble before in my life!

With that being said, I am asking, pleading, for your pardon Mrs. Haley. Can you please help me have these charges removed from my record? You see I have a dream of becoming a Nurse and want to take some courses. I was once a Certified Nurses Aid after

I graduated from high school. I took a different career path when I went to work for the government. I have gotten an application from Antioch Nursing Center here in Ridgeland to get recertified. They want to complete a back ground check and I really need to have a clean record. Can you please help me?

I want to make a difference in my life, my children's life and others by pursuing a career in Nursing. I would greatly appreciate your help and any advice you can give me. I would also like to thank you and congratulate you on all of your accomplishments as our Governor of South Carolina.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Robin R. Mock". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name and address.

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