

April 28, 2016

Dear Mr. _____:

Enclosed please find the Summons & Complaint along with an Acknowledgment of Service. Please sign and return this Acknowledgment of service within 7 days or notify our office that you are unwilling to accept service so that we may serve your client.

As you are aware, the statute of limitations is running in May so we do not have a lot of time. May this serve as a good faith attempt to enter into settlement negotiations before the Complaint is filed and we go further in the case.

It is clear that as a coach, Mr. ----- was grooming Ms. -----; flattering her both as a young woman and touting her skills as an Ultimate Frisbee player. All indications are that she had the talent to become a great player. The grooming and eventual sexual abuse of this young woman caused her to have significant psychological issues. The sexual acts that he had her perform damaged her psyche beyond repair.

Through counseling, Ms. ----- has done her best to grapple with the issues she has faced. As an advisor, coach, and leader, she had a trusted relationship with Mr. -----, which he took advantage of and caused her significant harm.

There are a number of examples of how he took advantage of trips where he had access to her and was in a position to groom her and physically gratify himself through the sexual exploitation of Ms. ----- . She was simply too young and vulnerable and will have to live with the psychological scars of this exploitation her whole life.

All indications are that she has a life expectancy of 50 years. The effect this will have upon her in future relationships, coping and dealing with trust issues, and the loss of interest in her love of sport activity, are damaging beyond measure. All indications are that

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juries are not happy with these sexual exploitations, and it is likely this case will be tried in front of a jury should it be litigated.

In a good faith attempt to get this settled, the plaintiff would accept \$225,000 as a full and final settlement and release of all claims if a deal can be worked out in the next couple weeks.

I look forward to hearing back from you.

Very truly yours,

Michael A. Bryant

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Enclosures