

# Estimated Innocence paper Form

If you represent someone without access to the online spreadsheet form, send this to the incarcerated claimant you represent. Have them fill it out and return it to you. It is up to you to transcribe it into the spreadsheet form. Thank you for your support.

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The remainder of this document is addressed specifically to the incarcerated claimant.

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## How it works (instructions to incarcerated claimant)

**Section A** starts by asking for your basic information, and your proxy's information. Your proxy is someone who is not incarcerated that you assign to speak on your behalf. Typically, this will be the person who sent you this form.

Your answers to **section B** establish your base score. This score rises the more accessible your case documents. If you have not yet arranged for PDFs of your case documents to be readily accessible online, contact your proxy to see how your case documents can be most easily available to others trying to back up your innocence claim. Your score improves greatly when you can provide a URL for others to locate your case documents as PDFs online. Overestimating the availability of your case documents, or exaggerating how well they can support your claim, risks jeopardizing your opportunity for exoneration.

Until these documents independently verify your claims in the following sections, your adjusted score remains the same as this base score. Your raw score continues to climb as you fill out **section C**. Calculations of your innocence are based on the checkbox lists, and not on any of the text you write down. **Sections D** and **E** help to identify you affected needs. **Section F** gives you opportunity to share your story directly.

### Sharing your information

By signing this form, you grant permission to share your case information with us as you present it. Work with your proxy for any needed edits. The public will need to agree to respect your rights before viewing your case details. They can freely view information below you provide in **section F**.

- Your provided self-portrait
- Your first name
- One-liner
- If DNA case or not
- Custody status
- State in which convicted
- Year of conviction
- Raw score

Name	One-liner	Case Details	Likely Innocence
Justin	Victim recants misidentification and alibis were never investigated	non-DNA, prison, Illinois 2001	84%
Lakista	Boyfriend died from a rare medical condition, mislabeled as homicide.	non-DNA, prison, Florida 2018	96%
Shandra	Witness lied to protect the actual perpetrator	untested DNA, prison, Ohio 2014	85%
Nathan	2nd autopsy shows signs of suicide but jury never saw it	untested DNA, prison, Virginia 1998	83%
Maria	Drugs were planted by landlord who couldn't legally evict me	non-DNA, prob., Oklahoma 2019	90%
Rick	Codefendant lied after coerced with threats of a life sentence	non-DNA, parole, Arkansas 2011	87%

< 1 2 **3** 4 5 6 7 8 ... 100 > See more >

When clicking the **VIEW** button, site visitors see your profile page. It includes other information from **section F**: your highlights, synopsis and summary. On this profile page, site visitors see three levels of options to support you: 1) Follow you, 2) Support you, 3) Sponsor you. Clicking any of these options requires registration to the site, and agreement to our terms of use.

These three options remain under construction. As a pioneering new platform, this service continues to be shaped to fit your needs, and the needs of other innocence claimants. Curb your expectations as we build something awesome to address your needs. We're on a learning curve together.

### Investing in your innocence

It’s ethically questionable to charge you for all the costs to eventually exonerate you. If recklessly hit by a government vehicle and seriously injured, you wouldn’t ethically pay out of pocket the costs for hospitalization. Nor should you have to pay for what the government did to you here. This process presumes the state bears the burden of costs. Until then, we count each time you cover costs upfront as an investment for which you should ultimately be compensated.

Track those costs as they occur. Keep track how much time it takes for you to fill out this form. Regard your time and focus as an investment not only in your exoneration, but helping to redress the currently hidden problem of wrongful convictions. If signing up for our guiding help, we may use these documented costs in our negotiations with district attorneys and elected officials.

We don’t think the fully innocent should have to pay for the mistakes they suffer from the state. That includes all the time it will take for you to fill out this form. That also includes the emotional labor required to answer these questions. They may dig up some awfully painful stuff.

One of the visions for our guiding service is to hold authorities accountable for imposing hidden costs. If and when the time is right, and the opportunity presents itself, we may submit an invoice for the costs you incurred because of their harmful error. That includes the time and emotional labor to fill out this extensively long form. Not to mention the costs of postage, envelopes, paper and ink for the proxy to print this form for you, and all the time and energy to transcribe it. Your worth it. Let’s remind the authorities how much you and your efforts are actually worth.

### Pace yourself

We don’t expect you to complete this form in one sitting. Try filling out a section at a time, and then take a breather. If you find yourself emotionally exhausted, step away for a moment. Inhale and exhale a few times. Get refocused. Keep your eyes on the prize. Keep hope alive. Be loved.

The Innocence Projects and Conviction Integrity Units utilize much shorter forms. They ask only what they need to screen your innocence claim for legal review. Those shorter forms risk taking shortcuts with your life. This longer form openly engages much more of your impacted life.

	<b>IP/CIU form</b>	<b>EIF form</b>
Length	less than ten pages	forty pages
Vetting of claims	screens out most claims	accepts all innocence claims
Processing of claims	kept hidden from the public	kept transparent to the public
Focus of remedy	focused on interpreted law	focused on underserved needs
Divisive verdicts	accepts binary verdicts	transcends binary verdicts
Review outcome	generalizes as good or bad	identifies degree of quality
Claimant trauma	trauma not addressed	trauma addressed

### Speak innocence to power

This service does not promise it will help you achieve exoneration. But it promises to challenge the legitimacy of prosecutors who refuse to face verifiable data. Together, we raise the standard of justice by quantifying your likely innocence. Prosecutors ignore this reality at their own risk. This shifts the onus of culpability to a failed criminal judicial system, one that repeatedly wrongly convicts innocent folks like you. As you fill out this form, know you are blazing a new trail of *deeper justice*. Welcome aboard.

START TIME:

FINISH TIME:

TOTAL TIME ON SECTION:

**A. Case Information**

**Claimant name**

First	Middle	Last
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Claimant email address (optional)	date of birth (year-month-day)

<b>gender</b>	<b>primary language</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> male <input type="checkbox"/> female <input type="checkbox"/> other: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> English <input type="checkbox"/> Spanish <input type="checkbox"/> other: _____

<b>preferred pronoun</b>	<b>race</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> he/him/his <input type="checkbox"/> she/her/hers <input type="checkbox"/> they/them/their <input type="checkbox"/> other: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> primarily white <input type="checkbox"/> primarily black <input type="checkbox"/> nonwhite Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> other: _____

**Anything to add to these answers?**

**Proxy name**

First	Last
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Proxy email address	phone # where can be reached

<b>relation to claimant</b>	<b>how long knowing claimant</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> female trusted family member <input type="checkbox"/> trusted friend <input type="checkbox"/> trusted colleague <input type="checkbox"/> defense lawyer at trial <input type="checkbox"/> defense lawyer after trial <input type="checkbox"/> appellate lawyer <input type="checkbox"/> investigative journalist <input type="checkbox"/> activist <input type="checkbox"/> Innocence Project staff/volunteer <input type="checkbox"/> criminal justice system victim advocate <input type="checkbox"/> other: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> since claimant's childhood <input type="checkbox"/> since before conviction <input type="checkbox"/> since incarceration <input type="checkbox"/> since release from incarceration

<b>preferred pronoun</b>	<b>race</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> he/him/his <input type="checkbox"/> she/her/hers <input type="checkbox"/> they/them/their <input type="checkbox"/> other: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> primarily white <input type="checkbox"/> primarily black <input type="checkbox"/> nonwhite Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> other: _____

**Innocence claim**

What is your specific claim of innocence?

- I am fully innocent of any criminal conviction
- I am fully innocent of current criminal conviction(s)
- I am innocent of the most serious conviction(s)
- I am innocent of one of the convictions
- I should not have been found guilty based on law
- I should be found innocent by reason of insanity
- I should not have been sentenced for what I did

**Which for you feels worse? Being wrongly convicted or being falsely incarcerated?**

- Being wrongly convicted feels worse than being falsely incarcerated.
- Being falsely incarcerated feels worse than being wrongly convicted.

**Indictment (official accusation) – use numbers instead of checkmarks**

<p><b>Initial charge(s)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> homicide</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> attempted homicide</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> sexual assault/rape</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> sexual assault of minor</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> burglary</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> robbery</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> arson</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> other: _____</li> </ul> <p><b>Alleged involvement level</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> principal</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> aiding &amp; abetting</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> accessory after the fact</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> lowered in plea deal</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> accomplice</li> </ul>	<p><b>Actual involvement level</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> the alleged crime never occurred</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> not present during alleged incident nor played any role</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> present after alleged incident but played no role in any criminal act</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> present prior to alleged incident but played no role in any criminal act</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> present during alleged incident but never witnessed any criminal act</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> present during alleged incident but played no role in any criminal act</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> present during alleged incident as another but unidentified victim</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> played a minimal role in situation in a way not explicitly criminal</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> involved with complainant but played no role in alleged criminal act</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> entrapped by police or informant to act in way not explicitly criminal</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> other (of actual innocence)</li> </ul>
<p><b>Describe any added or altered charges</b></p>  	
<p><b>Describe any dropped charges</b></p>  	

### Plea

<p><b>Did you plead guilty? (If yes, explain why at right)</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> yes, I willingly pled guilty</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> yes, I pled guilty under duress</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> no, I pled not guilty</p>	<p><b>Did you try withdrawing your plea? (If not, why not?)</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> no, I did not try to withdraw it</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> yes, I tried withdrawing plea</p>
<p><b>Describe duress (if pled guilty under duress):</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> deceived with false information about codefendant ("prisoner dilemma")</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> deceived with false information about a witness</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> deceived with false information about forensic evidence</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> deceived with false information by another interrogator (good-cop/bad-cop game)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> deceived with false information about victim(s)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> deceived with false information about severity of crime</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> deceived with false information about applicable law</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> deceived with dubious promise of ending interrogation if saying what they want to hear</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> deceived with dubious promise of lighter charges or lighter sentencing</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> threatened with greater charges if not cooperating</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> exploited developmental disability</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> exploited mental health deficit(s)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> exploited economic desperation</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> exploited grieving the loss of victim who was family/friend</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> threatened loss of kids</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> coerced into signing a document</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> other (explain below)</p>	
<p><b>Offered a plea deal?</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> never open to any plea deal</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> coerced into a plea deal with threats</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> tricked into a plea deal with lies</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> accepted plea deal to save others</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> willingly plea-bargained to lesser charge</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> other (explain at right)</p>	
<p><b>How long insisting you're completely innocent?</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> always</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> always, even knowing it could cost me parole</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> always, even knowing it could be stuck in prison</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> since recanting coerced confession</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> since released from prison</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> never claimed innocence before</p>	<p><b>Offense date:</b> MM/DD/YYYY</p> <hr/> <p><b>Arrest date:</b> MM/DD/YYYY</p> <hr/> <p><b>Indictment date:</b> MM/DD/YYYY</p>

### Conviction

<p><b>What is the conviction based upon?</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> admission of guilt to initial charge</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> plea bargain</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> bench trial</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> jury trial</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> jury retrial after mistrial</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> other (explain in box at right)</p>		<p><b>Prelim hearing:</b></p>	<p>MM/DD/YYYY</p>
		<p><b>Jury selection:</b></p>	<p>MM/DD/YYYY</p>
		<p><b>Verdict date:</b></p>	<p>MM/DD/YYYY</p>
<p><b>Anything else about the conviction you can add?</b></p>			

**Jurisdiction of conviction**

State (or fed):	County (AK Burrough, LA Parish):	City:
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**District Court**

Case docket #	Preliminary prosecutor	Preliminary judge
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**Circuit Court**

Docket # (if different)	Trial prosecutor	Trial judge
Defense counsel	Full name	<input type="checkbox"/> court appointed <input type="checkbox"/> hired <input type="checkbox"/> neither (or not applicable)
Satisfaction level	<input type="checkbox"/> fully satisfied with representation <input type="checkbox"/> mostly satisfied with representation <input type="checkbox"/> neither satisfied nor dissatisfied <input type="checkbox"/> mostly dissatisfied with representation <input type="checkbox"/> fully dissatisfied with representation	<input type="checkbox"/> would hire again <input type="checkbox"/> would hire again with reservation <input type="checkbox"/> would hire again with changes <input type="checkbox"/> would not hire again <input type="checkbox"/> prefer if disciplined by peers <input type="checkbox"/> prefer if disbarred

How many defendants?

4

If any codefendants, provide info for the first six listed in indictment paperwork

**Codefendant(s) information**

Name of codefendant 1:	
Name of codefendant 2:	
Name of codefendant 3:	
Name of codefendant 4:	
Name of codefendant 5:	
Name of codefendant 6:	

Write the number of each defendant where best fits in the items below

<b>charged as?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> principal <input type="checkbox"/> aiding & abetting <input type="checkbox"/> accessory after the fact	<b>how adjudicated?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> same trial, same jury <input type="checkbox"/> same trial, different juries <input type="checkbox"/> separate trial <input type="checkbox"/> took plea deal	<b>relation?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> partner <input type="checkbox"/> family <input type="checkbox"/> close friend <input type="checkbox"/> casual friend <input type="checkbox"/> acquaintance <input type="checkbox"/> stranger	<b>convicted as?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> principal <input type="checkbox"/> aiding & abetting <input type="checkbox"/> accessory after the fact
<b>verdict?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> not guilty <input type="checkbox"/> guilty as charged <input type="checkbox"/> guilty of lesser crime	<b>knows crime's location?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no	<b>knows real culprit?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no	<b>also claims innocence?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> not sure <input type="checkbox"/> no

If more than six codefendants, add in space below. Add any helpful context.

<b>Sentencing date:</b>	<b>Start date of sentence:</b>	<b>If multiple sentences:</b>
		<input type="checkbox"/> concurrent <input type="checkbox"/> consecutive

<b>Date appeal filed</b>	<b>Appeal decision date:</b>	<b>Appeal decision:</b>
		<input type="checkbox"/> affirmed all convictions and sentences <input type="checkbox"/> affirmed all convictions, threw out sentence <input type="checkbox"/> affirmed convictions in part, and threw out part <input type="checkbox"/> threw out all convictions <input type="checkbox"/> other (explain in space at left)
<b>Appeal status (e.g., Habeas Corpus)</b>		

**Current custody status (still in prison?):**

<input type="checkbox"/> out on bond <input type="checkbox"/> detained for parole violation <input type="checkbox"/> incarcerated, no appeal <input type="checkbox"/> incarcerated, preparing appeal <input type="checkbox"/> incarcerated in prison, on appeal <input type="checkbox"/> incarcerated, post-appeal <input type="checkbox"/> incarcerated, exhausted state remedies <input type="checkbox"/> incarcerated, appealing at federal level <input type="checkbox"/> continuance from earliest release date <input type="checkbox"/> involuntary commitment <input type="checkbox"/> sentence suspended	<input type="checkbox"/> on probation <input type="checkbox"/> on parole <input type="checkbox"/> released from prison <input type="checkbox"/> released from probation <input type="checkbox"/> discharged from parole <input type="checkbox"/> out but must register <input type="checkbox"/> waiting in prison for community placement <input type="checkbox"/> facing re-imprisonment <input type="checkbox"/> facing new charges <input type="checkbox"/> arrested on new charges <input type="checkbox"/> other (explain below)	
<b>Inmate #</b>	<b>Current correctional facility</b>	<b>City, ST zip code</b>

**Incarceration**

<b>Date started prison sentence:</b>	MM/DD/YYYY	<b>Date released from parole (if applicable):</b>	MM/DD/YYYY		
<b>Earliest release date (if applicable):</b>	MM/DD/YYYY	<b>Date released from probation (if applicable):</b>	MM/DD/YYYY		
<p><b>Sentence severity</b></p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td> <input type="checkbox"/> death row  <input type="checkbox"/> life sentence without chance for parole  <input type="checkbox"/> life sentence with possibility of parole  <input type="checkbox"/> lengthy "trial penalty" sentence  <input type="checkbox"/> set date for release                 </td> <td> <input type="checkbox"/> indeterminant sentence with no set outdate  <input type="checkbox"/> due to start next sentence after this one  <input type="checkbox"/> facing risk of civil commitment  <input type="checkbox"/> facing risk of deportation  <input type="checkbox"/> other: _____                 </td> </tr> </table>				<input type="checkbox"/> death row <input type="checkbox"/> life sentence without chance for parole <input type="checkbox"/> life sentence with possibility of parole <input type="checkbox"/> lengthy "trial penalty" sentence <input type="checkbox"/> set date for release	<input type="checkbox"/> indeterminant sentence with no set outdate <input type="checkbox"/> due to start next sentence after this one <input type="checkbox"/> facing risk of civil commitment <input type="checkbox"/> facing risk of deportation <input type="checkbox"/> other: _____
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<b>Refused rehab from maintaining innocence?</b>					
<input type="checkbox"/> Refused required rehab & accepted consequences	<input type="checkbox"/> Participated in rehab and admitted some complicity				
<input type="checkbox"/> Declined recommended rehab & took consequences	<input type="checkbox"/> Participated in rehab and admitted full complicity				
<input type="checkbox"/> Intent on refusing rehab when offered	<input type="checkbox"/> Rehab never offered				
<input type="checkbox"/> Participated in rehab but maintained innocence	<input type="checkbox"/> Other or not applicable				
<b>How many major misconducts while incarcerated?</b>	<b>How many parole denials for maintaining innocence?</b>	<b>Expect to serve full sentence due to innocence claim?</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> yes		
			<input type="checkbox"/> no		
<b>Sex offender registry:</b>					
<input type="checkbox"/> not applicable		<input type="checkbox"/> on registry until official release			
<input type="checkbox"/> already removed from registry		<input type="checkbox"/> on registry for life			
<b>If exonerated, expect to seek compensation?</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> yes	<input type="checkbox"/> no	<input type="checkbox"/> not sure	<input type="checkbox"/> not offered by my state, may sue instead	
<b>Do you think such compensation could make up for the wrongful conviction experience?</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> yes, very much	<input type="checkbox"/> I don't know	<input type="checkbox"/> I probably will not bother		
	<input type="checkbox"/> yes, somewhat	<input type="checkbox"/> no, not at all			

**Conviction Integrity Unit or similarly named entity of DA office?**

<b>Any CIU involvement?</b>	<b>Heard from the CIU near you?</b>	<b>Any favorable news from the CIU?</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> yes	<input type="checkbox"/> yes	<input type="checkbox"/> yes
<input type="checkbox"/> not yet	<input type="checkbox"/> not yet	<input type="checkbox"/> not yet
<input type="checkbox"/> not that I'm aware of	<input type="checkbox"/> not that I'm aware of	<input type="checkbox"/> not that I'm aware of
<input type="checkbox"/> no	<input type="checkbox"/> no	<input type="checkbox"/> no

**Innocence Project?**

<b>How often requesting help from an innocence project?</b>	<b>What was the response? Explain further at left.</b>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Never received a reply. <input type="checkbox"/> Stated my case did not merit their review. <input type="checkbox"/> My case did not fall within their scope. <input type="checkbox"/> Affirmed my case merited review, but had to prioritize their resources for others whose liberty was more in jeopardy. <input type="checkbox"/> other (explain in box below)

**Criminal history**

<input type="checkbox"/> no prior criminal history or since <input type="checkbox"/> no prior criminal history, misdemeanor(s) since <input type="checkbox"/> prior misdemeanor(s), but none since <input type="checkbox"/> no prior criminal history, lesser felony since <input type="checkbox"/> prior lesser felony, but none or only misdemeanor since <input type="checkbox"/> no prior criminal history, equal or worse offense since <input type="checkbox"/> equal or worse prior felony, but none or lesser offense since <input type="checkbox"/> prior criminal history, equal or worse offense since <input type="checkbox"/> equal or worse prior felony, but none or lesser offense since <input type="checkbox"/> equal or worse offense prior, equal or worse offense since	<p><b>Criminal history contributors</b></p> <input type="checkbox"/> repeatedly targeted by law enforcement <input type="checkbox"/> in need of mental health services <input type="checkbox"/> survival crime <input type="checkbox"/> family member incarcerated <input type="checkbox"/> can't explain why <input type="checkbox"/> other (state in space below)
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**Any prior or subsequent convictions challenged? If so, explain in box below.**

**Anything unique to your wrongful situation we didn't think to ask?**

Before you spill too much here, scan the questions below. Especially in section C. There you receive ample opportunity to demonstrate your overlooked innocence.

**What is the worst feature of the case against you (if any) that has at least some merit? How would you account for it, without sounding like you're making excuses?**

TRANSCRIBE START: \_\_\_\_\_ TRANSCRIBE FINISH: \_\_\_\_\_ TOTAL TIME ON SECTION: \_\_\_\_\_

Thanks for answering all those questions. They understandably bring up a lot of pain. Together, let's give your pain some purpose by bringing this injustice to an end. You may feel some pain along the way, like feeling frustrated if you cannot locate essential case documents.

This can be some heavy stuff. Looking back on this nightmare can be emotionally exhausting. Give yourself a break before filling out the next session. Inhale and hold your breath for a few seconds. Relax your body. Exhale slowly. Do this again, and again. Feel the tension slip away.

Remember, you endured incredible pain so far. You may need to face more pain on this journey to get back to the land of freedom. You're almost there. You can do this. Somewhere, someone loves you. You are worth it. You need this. Be loved, and prepare yourself to be free. Soak in this vision of freedom that is yours by right. It's drawing closer every day, even now. One more inhale and exhale. Ready? Okay, let's continue.

Next, we'll take an inventory of your case documents to back up your innocence claim. Your score could remain disappointingly low if you cannot locate your case documents and make them easily available online. Work with your proxy to find how to make your case documents available online as PDFs.

START TIME:

FINISH TIME:

TOTAL TIME ON SECTION:

**B. Documentation for verification**

These 14 items improve the claim with any documentation to verify the claim elements. Half the score is based on the availability of documents that can independently verify innocence.

**1. Trial transcripts**

If relevant, can claimant provide a copy of trial transcripts? If yes, select how from list below.

- By URL below, searchable text (best)
- By URL below, audio/visual recording (great)
- By URL below, image only (good)
- By email below (fair)
- Not at this time (poor)
- Not applicable (okay)

URL or email address:

Add any relevant info in box below to help us help you with your trial transcripts.

**2. Discovery documents**

If relevant, provide a copy of the discovery motion and a copy of discovery documents.

- By URL below, searchable text (best)
- By URL below, audio/visual recording (great)
- By URL below, image only (good)
- By email below (fair)
- Not at this time (poor)
- Not applicable (okay)

URL or email address: same as above?

Add any relevant info in box below to help us help you with your discovery documents.

**3. Other trial related documents**

If relevant, provide other trial related documents, like a motion to quash, to sever, to show cause.

- By URL below, searchable text (best)
- By URL below, audio/visual recording (great)
- By URL below, image only (good)
- By email below (fair)
- Not at this time (poor)
- Not applicable (okay)

URL or email address: same as above?

Add any relevant info in box below to help us help you with your other documents.

<b>4. Police interrogation</b> If relevant, provide any transcript of any interrogation(s).	
<input type="checkbox"/> By URL below, searchable text (best) <input type="checkbox"/> By URL below, audio/visual recording (great) <input type="checkbox"/> By URL below, image only (good)	<input type="checkbox"/> By email below (fair) <input type="checkbox"/> Not at this time (poor) <input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable (okay)
<b>URL or email address:</b> same as above?	
Add any relevant info in box below to help us help you with your interrogation transcripts.	
<b>5. Any motion for a new trial</b> If relevant, a copy of any motion for a new trial.	
<input type="checkbox"/> By URL below, searchable text (best) <input type="checkbox"/> By URL below, audio/visual recording (great) <input type="checkbox"/> By URL below, image only (good)	<input type="checkbox"/> By email below (fair) <input type="checkbox"/> Not at this time (poor) <input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable (okay)
<b>URL or email address:</b> same as above?	
Add any relevant info in box below to help us help you with your trial motion documents.	
<b>6. Presentence Investigation Report</b> If relevant, a copy of the presentence investigation report used to prepare sentencing.	
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<b>URL or email address:</b> same as above?	
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<b>7. Appellate brief</b>	
If relevant, a copy of any appellate brief to exhaust state and federal remedies.	
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If relevant, a copy of the appellate panel’s published or unpublished decision.	
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If relevant, a copy of your habeas corpus or 1983 motion or other post-appellate appeals.	
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<b>URL or email address:</b> same as above?	
Add any relevant info in box below to help us help you with your other remedy documents.	

**10. Innocence project communication**  
 If relevant, a copy of any correspondence with innocence projects or with others in the innocence movement.

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**11. Professional supporters**  
 Any exchange with pro bono lawyers, faith leaders, elected officials.

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**12. Media interest and coverage**  
 Any exchange with online activists, journalists, and their coverage.

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Add any relevant info in box below about any correspondence with the media.

<b>13. Other documentation</b>	
If relevant, a copy of any other documents relating to your case.	
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Add any relevant info in box below to help us help you with your other documents.	
<b>14. Other supportive material (e.g., alibi affidavit)</b>	
Provide any additional information to help best review your particular case.	
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<b>URL or email address:</b> same as above?	
Add any relevant info in box below to help us help you with your other supportive materials.	
<b>Verification progress</b>	
Indicate how far along you are in enabling your claim to be verified.	
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## C. Calculating factors in wrongful convictions

### C.1 Common factors in wrongful convictions

The Innocence Project has identified these six factors as common in wrongful convictions

#### 15. Eyewitness Misidentification:

Do you claim you were misidentified during a criminal investigation? Do you claim eyewitnesses made critical mistakes that resulted in your wrongful conviction? If yes, describe below.

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#### 16. False Confessions or Admissions:

Do you claim you were coerced into admitting guilt for something you now insist you did not do? Were you subjected to the **Reid Technique**? Were you given the option to take a plea deal to avoid the risk of a much harsher sentence? If yes to any of these, describe below.

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#### 17. Government Misconduct:

Do you claim law enforcement or judicial officials or any other government employee's committed fraud or neglect, or any other misconduct that led to your wrongful conviction? For example, was there any indication of a **Brady violation**? If yes, describe below.

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**18. Unvalidated or Improper Forensic Science:**  
 Do you claim your wrongful convictions was based, at least in part, on questionable forensic evidence? For example, was the conviction based upon contaminated evidence? Or did a state lab expert provide damaging testimony at trial without presenting the scientific reliability of the findings? If yes to any of these, describe below.

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**19. Informants:**  
 Do you claim your wrongful conviction resulted, at least in part, to a jail snitch or other informant with an apparent conflict of interest? Do you if such an informant was given any incentives to testify against you? If yes to any of these, describe below.

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**20. Inadequate Defense:**  
 Do you claim your defense attorney failed to provide an adequate defense to the charges? For example, did your court appointed lawyer invest only a minimal amount of time and energy to help you mount a defense? If yes to any of these, describe below.

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**C.2 Evidentiary factors**

These six items increase a likelihood of wrongful conviction

**21. Evidence yet to be DNA tested**

Does claimant know of potentially exculpatory evidence has yet to be DNA tested?

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**22. Non-DNA evidence yet to be considered**

Does claimant assert non-biological evidence was overlooked? Or new evidence surfaced?

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**23. Exculpatory evidence exists**

Does claimant assert exculpatory evidence exists? If so, does claimant assert a Brady violation?

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<b>24. Conviction not corroborated by evidence</b> Does claimant assert conviction not corroborated by any empirical evidence?	
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<b>25. Conviction based on irrational theory of guilt</b> Does claimant assert the conviction's theory of guilt makes little if any sense?	
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<b>26. No actual crime</b> Does claimant assert no crime actually happened? Does lack of evidence suggest the alleged incident never occurred? Was claimant acting solely in self-defense, or insist sex was fully consensual?	
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**C.3 Investigative factors**

These six items increase a likelihood of wrongful conviction

**27. Law enforcement tunnel vision**

Does claimant cite confirmation bias distorting the criminal investigation, leading investigators to ignore actual alternatives?

- no, not a factor
- only a remote factor
- yes, a moderate factor
- yes, a significant factor

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**28. Law enforcement ‘noble cause corruption’**

Does claimant note any occasion where law enforcement bends the rules to obtain what they view as just ends?

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- only a remote factor
- yes, a moderate factor
- yes, a significant factor

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**29. Complainant retraction**

Has complainant expressed doubt or retraction of the initiating accusation? Does complainant realize misidentifying perpetrator(s)? Does complainant now support wrongly accused while worried actual perpetrator remains free?

- no, not a factor
- only a remote factor
- yes, a moderate factor
- yes, a significant factor

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<b>30. Confession from actual perpetrator</b> Has another person confessed to the crime? Does that person exclude any claimant involvement?	
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<b>31. Another person implicated in the crime</b> Was another suspect or person of interest under investigation but not charged? Does evidence exist that points to another likely culprit?	
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<b>32. Conviction based upon outmoded law/beliefs</b> Does claimant assert conviction was based on law no longer in effect? Does claimant point to debunked beliefs that contributed to the guilty verdict?	
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**C.4 Complicating factors**

These six items tend to compound other factors, increasing likelihood of a wrongful conviction.

**33. Presenting conflict of interest**

Does claimant cite any government official presenting a conflict of interest, such as a prosecutor needing to win the case for reelection?

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**34. Perjured testimony or false accusation**

Does claimant assert the supposed victim or accomplices made errant claims under oath, whether or not they knew them to be false?

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**35. Moral panic**

Was accusation made in context of a moral panic, such as the child sex abuse hysteria of the 80s and 90s?

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<b>36. Disparate impact</b> Is claimant a member of a population that has been disproportionately targeted by law enforcement, such as dark-skinned minorities, immigrants, religious minorities, the mentally ill or LGBTQ persons?	
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<b>37. Law enforcement prejudice</b> Does claimant report any specific prior prejudicial hostile contact from any law enforcement official? Or hostile bias from law enforcement against claimant's group identity?	
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<b>38. Trial by media</b> Does claimant assert press coverage influenced the judicial process or outcome?	
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**C.5 Claimant’s demonstratable innocence**

These seven items contrast claimant’s behavior against those with actual guilt.

**39. Pled not guilty**

Did claimant plead not guilty? Did claimant challenge some or all the charges at trial? Was claimant informed of the trial penalty risk if found guilty and sentenced?

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**40. Alford plea**

After being confronted with the state’s evidence, did claimant take an Alford plea?

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**41. Duration of innocence claim**

Has claimant always maintained innocence? Or persisted in claiming innocence after promptly claiming a coerced confession?

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**42. Respect for crime victim(s)**

Does claimant present sympathy or empathy for victims of crime? Is there any evidence of the claimant being hostile to the complainant(s) prior or after the alleged incident?



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**43. Positive institutional record**  
 If imprisoned, does claimant assert they were a model prisoner?

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**44. No criminal history**  
 Was the instant offense the only criminal charge to the claimant?

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**45. Parole denial from maintaining innocence**  
 Was claimant denied parole because of a "lack of remorse" in parole hearing while insisting innocence?

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**C.6 Claimant’s innocence recognized by others**

These seven items provide independent recognition of claimant’s actual innocence.

**46. Any relief on appeal:**

Did the appellate panel provide any relief from the conviction or sentence?

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**47. Supporters**

Can claimant provide a list of supporters who believe in claimant’s innocence?

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**48. Affidavits**

Can claimant provide any affidavits attesting to the facts in the case, such as an alibi?

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**49. Judge support**

Has any judge come out in support of claimant’s innocence?

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	<input type="checkbox"/> Verifiable by the URL I provided

<b>50. Prosecutor support</b> Has any prosecutor come out in support of claimant's innocence?	
<input type="checkbox"/> no, not a factor <input type="checkbox"/> only a remote factor <input type="checkbox"/> yes, a moderate factor <input type="checkbox"/> yes, a significant factor	<input type="checkbox"/> I know of no way to verify this claim <input type="checkbox"/> Should be verifiable but not sure how <input type="checkbox"/> Verifiable by inaccessible documentation <input type="checkbox"/> Verifiable by information requiring paid access <input type="checkbox"/> Verifiable by information provided upon request <input type="checkbox"/> Verifiable by the URL I provided
<b>51. Defense counsel support</b> Does defense counsel continue to support claimant's claim to innocence?	
<input type="checkbox"/> no, not a factor <input type="checkbox"/> only a remote factor <input type="checkbox"/> yes, a moderate factor <input type="checkbox"/> yes, a significant factor	<input type="checkbox"/> I know of no way to verify this claim <input type="checkbox"/> Should be verifiable but not sure how <input type="checkbox"/> Verifiable by inaccessible documentation <input type="checkbox"/> Verifiable by information requiring paid access <input type="checkbox"/> Verifiable by information provided upon request <input type="checkbox"/> Verifiable by the URL I provided
<b>52. Influential support</b> Has any political or cultural leader come out in support of claimant's innocence?	
<input type="checkbox"/> no, not a factor <input type="checkbox"/> only a remote factor <input type="checkbox"/> yes, a moderate factor <input type="checkbox"/> yes, a significant factor	<input type="checkbox"/> I know of no way to verify this claim <input type="checkbox"/> Should be verifiable but not sure how <input type="checkbox"/> Verifiable by inaccessible documentation <input type="checkbox"/> Verifiable by information requiring paid access <input type="checkbox"/> Verifiable by information provided upon request <input type="checkbox"/> Verifiable by the URL I provided

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**C.7 Other**

This item provides space to account for anything not asked above.

**53. Any other relevant items**

Were any charges dropped prior to being indicted? Were any charges dropped, or added, after indictment, and when? Did changes reveal a possible weak case?

- no, not a factor
- only a remote factor
- yes, a moderate factor
- yes, a significant factor

- I know of no way to verify this claim
- Should be verifiable but not sure how
- Verifiable by inaccessible documentation
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**C.8 Process**

These five process items may improve our estimation of a likely wrongful conviction.

**54. Indictment changed**

Were there any changes to the original indictment by the time of the preliminary hearing or trial?

<input type="checkbox"/> no, not a factor <input type="checkbox"/> only a remote factor <input type="checkbox"/> yes, a moderate factor <input type="checkbox"/> yes, a significant factor	<input type="checkbox"/> I know of no way to verify this claim <input type="checkbox"/> Should be verifiable but not sure how <input type="checkbox"/> Verifiable by inaccessible documentation <input type="checkbox"/> Verifiable by information requiring paid access <input type="checkbox"/> Verifiable by information provided upon request <input type="checkbox"/> Verifiable by the URL I provided
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**55. Plea deal turned down**

Was there a plea offer that was turned down?

<input type="checkbox"/> no, not a factor <input type="checkbox"/> only a remote factor <input type="checkbox"/> yes, a moderate factor <input type="checkbox"/> yes, a significant factor	<input type="checkbox"/> I know of no way to verify this claim <input type="checkbox"/> Should be verifiable but not sure how <input type="checkbox"/> Verifiable by inaccessible documentation <input type="checkbox"/> Verifiable by information requiring paid access <input type="checkbox"/> Verifiable by information provided upon request <input type="checkbox"/> Verifiable by the URL I provided
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**56. Asserted right to trial**

Did claimant contest the indictment in full and challenge all charges at trial?

<input type="checkbox"/> no, not a factor <input type="checkbox"/> only a remote factor <input type="checkbox"/> yes, a moderate factor <input type="checkbox"/> yes, a significant factor	<input type="checkbox"/> I know of no way to verify this claim <input type="checkbox"/> Should be verifiable but not sure how <input type="checkbox"/> Verifiable by inaccessible documentation <input type="checkbox"/> Verifiable by information requiring paid access <input type="checkbox"/> Verifiable by information provided upon request <input type="checkbox"/> Verifiable by the URL I provided
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<b>57. Discovery with exculpatory evidence</b>	
Could any documentation provided by the prosecution be viewed as exculpatory?	
<input type="checkbox"/> no, not a factor <input type="checkbox"/> only a remote factor <input type="checkbox"/> yes, a moderate factor <input type="checkbox"/> yes, a significant factor	<input type="checkbox"/> I know of no way to verify this claim <input type="checkbox"/> Should be verifiable but not sure how <input type="checkbox"/> Verifiable by inaccessible documentation <input type="checkbox"/> Verifiable by information requiring paid access <input type="checkbox"/> Verifiable by information provided upon request <input type="checkbox"/> Verifiable by the URL I provided
<b>58. Exculpatory evidence not provided in discovery</b>	
Claimant aware of exculpatory evidence not revealed in discovery (i.e., possible Brady violation)?	
<input type="checkbox"/> no, not a factor <input type="checkbox"/> only a remote factor <input type="checkbox"/> yes, a moderate factor <input type="checkbox"/> yes, a significant factor	<input type="checkbox"/> I know of no way to verify this claim <input type="checkbox"/> Should be verifiable but not sure how <input type="checkbox"/> Verifiable by inaccessible documentation <input type="checkbox"/> Verifiable by information requiring paid access <input type="checkbox"/> Verifiable by information provided upon request <input type="checkbox"/> Verifiable by the URL I provided

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This concludes the factors scoring your innocence viability. Sections D and E help us improve available resources to address your compelling innocence claim. Section F gives you opportunity to tell your story in your own words, which we post online for the world to see. Others can only see the details of your case after registering to the platform, and agreeing to donate or invest in your compelling claim of innocence.

The spreadsheet form continues with others sections unrelated to your scoring. After your proxy transcribes this form into the spreadsheet form, you can have your proxy print out the spreadsheet form and send it to you, so you can see the end product.

After taking a break, you will be on the home stretch. You're almost there.

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**D. Request and responses for exoneration help**

Provide names (and email addresses if available) for attempts to get legal assistance.

**59. Innocence project(s)**

Contacted your state's innocence project? If yes, rate your level of satisfaction.

<p><b>Satisfaction level</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> very satisfied with their responsiveness to my innocence claim</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> somewhat satisfied with their responsiveness to my innocence claim</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> neither satisfied nor dissatisfied with their responsiveness to my claim</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> somewhat dissatisfied with their responsiveness to my innocence claim</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> very dissatisfied with their responsiveness to my innocence claim</li> </ul>	<p><b>Trust level</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> I continue to trust their legal-judicial process for official exoneration</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> I'd start trusting them less if I knew of a popular alternative</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> I'd lose trust if seeing an alternative work for other claimants</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> I'm discouraged and ready to try something radically different</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> I totally distrust their dismissive approach &amp; now seeking a better option</li> </ul>
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**60. District attorney/local or state Conviction Integrity Unit**

Contacted your local CIU or DA? If yes, rate your level of satisfaction.

<p><b>Satisfaction level</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> very satisfied with their responsiveness to my innocence claim</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> somewhat satisfied with their responsiveness to my innocence claim</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> neither satisfied nor dissatisfied with their responsiveness to my claim</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> somewhat dissatisfied with their responsiveness to my innocence claim</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> very dissatisfied with their responsiveness to my innocence claim</li> </ul>	<p><b>Trust level</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> I continue to trust their legal-judicial process for official exoneration</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> I'd start trusting them less if I knew of a popular alternative</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> I'd lose trust if seeing an alternative work for other claimants</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> I'm discouraged and ready to try something radically different</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> I totally distrust their dismissive approach &amp; now seeking a better option</li> </ul>
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**61. Other sources of legal assistance**

Pro bono or hired lawyer, investigative journalists, law school students or others who might help?

<p><b>Satisfaction level</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> very satisfied with their responsiveness to my innocence claim</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> somewhat satisfied with their responsiveness to my innocence claim</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> neither satisfied nor dissatisfied with their responsiveness to my claim</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> somewhat dissatisfied with their responsiveness to my innocence claim</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> very dissatisfied with their responsiveness to my innocence claim</li> </ul>	<p><b>Trust level</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> I continue to trust their legal-judicial process for official exoneration</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> I'd start trusting them less if I knew of a popular alternative</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> I'd lose trust if seeing an alternative work for other claimants</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> I'm discouraged and ready to try something radically different</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> I totally distrust their dismissive approach &amp; now seeking a better option</li> </ul>
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<p><b>62. Innocence movement</b>                  With demand for services exceeding the supply, rate the innocence movement as it stands right now.</p>	
<p><b>Satisfaction level</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> grateful for the efforts to serve innocence claimants</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> content with level of service to innocence claimants</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> discontent but understanding of limited service to claimants</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> discouraged with the limited level of service to claimants</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> disgusted with the limited level of service to claimants</li> </ul>	<p><b>Trust level</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> I only can trust the legal-judicial process to regain my freedom</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> I'd likely try an alternative once it catches on as a popular option</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> I'm open to an alternative if I see it working for other claimants</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> I'll try this pioneering alternative when I can make the time</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> I'm eager to try this alternative now, even if it doesn't work</li> </ul>
<p>What do you specifically need from the innocence movement? Rate each item's level of importance to you right now. Help the innocence movement prioritize resources to meet your needs.</p>	
<p><b>exoneration</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> not important at all right now</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> low priority right now</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> important but can wait for it</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> must have it as soon as possible</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> increasingly consuming my focus</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> can't go on any further without it</li> </ul>	<p><b>financial support for legal costs</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> not important at all right now</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> low priority right now</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> important but can wait for it</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> must have it as soon as possible</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> increasingly consuming my focus</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> can't go on any further without it</li> </ul>
<p><b>expunged record</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> not important at all right now</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> low priority right now</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> important but can wait for it</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> must have it as soon as possible</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> increasingly consuming my focus</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> can't go on any further without it</li> </ul>	<p><b>remove all collateral consequences</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> not important at all right now</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> low priority right now</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> important but can wait for it</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> must have it as soon as possible</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> increasingly consuming my focus</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> can't go on any further without it</li> </ul>
<p><b>compensation</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> not important at all right now</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> low priority right now</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> important but can wait for it</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> must have it as soon as possible</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> increasingly consuming my focus</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> can't go on any further without it</li> </ul>	<p><b>apology</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> not important at all right now</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> low priority right now</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> important but can wait for it</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> must have it as soon as possible</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> increasingly consuming my focus</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> can't go on any further without it</li> </ul>
<p><b>other:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> not important at all right now</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> low priority right now</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> important but can wait for it</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> must have it as soon as possible</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> increasingly consuming my focus</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> can't go on any further without it</li> </ul>	



<p><b>63. Impact on claimant (legitimacy of exclusionary legal-judicial process)</b>                  What are some specific impacts on the claimant after trusting the adversarial judicial process?</p>	
<p><b>reason for being denied review in the past</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> never heard back from them</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> not convinced of your innocence</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> case lacks adequate documents</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> do not handle this type of case</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> prioritizing assistance to others</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> other</li> </ul>	<p><b>revisiting case risks retraumatization</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> no trauma or risk of trauma</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> risks losing some focus</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> risks reliving the nightmare</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> risks shutting down entirely</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> risks complicating the damage</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> risks lethal damage, suicide</li> </ul>
<p><b>depression level from legal-jud. process as only option</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> none linked to legal-judicial process</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> moderate level linkable to it</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> often feel de-energized by it</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> routinely immobilized by it</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> constantly incapacitated by it</li> </ul>	<p><b>anxiety from relying on same process creating error</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> no anxiety trusting court process</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> slightly wary of trusting courts</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> worried process will go poorly</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> afraid courts cannot face its errors</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> terrified having to rely on courts</li> </ul>
<p><b>anxiety from slowness of legal-judicial process</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> not worried it may take years</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> concerned it may take many years</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> worried it may take decades</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> afraid justice will come too late</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> terrified justice will never come</li> </ul>	<p><b>anxiety from prosecutor's power to reinforce error</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> not worried at all about it</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> slightly concerned by it</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> worried about innocence deniers</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> afraid of their conflicts of interest</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> fear judiciary opposes full justice</li> </ul>
<p><b>anxiety from having little to no control over process</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> no anxiety being out of the loop</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> feel some vulnerability to process</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> feel manipulated by the process</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> feel controlled by the process</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> feel paralyzed by the process</li> </ul>	<p><b>disillusionment with legal-judicial process</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> not at all and eager to try again</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> somewhat but hanging on to hope</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> generally disappointed</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> tempted to give up trying</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> fully disillusioned, gave up hope</li> </ul>
<p>Poor outcomes and impacts from the adversarial legal-judicial system help account for the estimated high volume of unexonerated innocent. This tool exists independent of the judiciary and can either complement it or compete with it. Legitimacy of the adversarial legal-judicial process hangs in the balance. Deeper justice could be the answer.</p>	

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**E. Collateral consequences of wrongful conviction**

Background checks that privilege discrimination with these specific items.

**64. Collateral consequences impacting claimant**

Mark on left how each applies. If applies, mark on right when it applies.

<b>1) Conviction posted online: impacting how, then impacting whom</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> not applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting everyone I know	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my (then) partner
<input type="checkbox"/> temporary	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting close friend(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting (then) partner & kids
<input type="checkbox"/> lasting	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting close friends & family	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my child(ren)
<input type="checkbox"/> permanent	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only family members	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my grandchild(ren)
<b>2) Custody reimbursement: impacting how, then impacting whom</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> not applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting everyone I know	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my (then) partner
<input type="checkbox"/> temporary	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting close friend(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting (then) partner & kids
<input type="checkbox"/> lasting	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting close friends & family	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my child(ren)
<input type="checkbox"/> permanent	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only family members	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my grandchild(ren)
<b>3) Education discrimination: impacting how, then impacting whom</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> not applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting everyone I know	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my (then) partner
<input type="checkbox"/> temporary	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting close friend(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting (then) partner & kids
<input type="checkbox"/> lasting	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting close friends & family	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my child(ren)
<input type="checkbox"/> permanent	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only family members	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my grandchild(ren)
<b>4) Employment discrimination: impacting how, then impacting whom</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> not applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting everyone I know	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my (then) partner
<input type="checkbox"/> temporary	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting close friend(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting (then) partner & kids
<input type="checkbox"/> lasting	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting close friends & family	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my child(ren)
<input type="checkbox"/> permanent	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only family members	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my grandchild(ren)
<b>5) Exempt from student financial aid: impacting how, then impacting whom</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> not applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting everyone I know	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my (then) partner
<input type="checkbox"/> temporary	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting close friend(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting (then) partner & kids
<input type="checkbox"/> lasting	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting close friends & family	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my child(ren)
<input type="checkbox"/> permanent	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only family members	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my grandchild(ren)
<b>6) Health care discrimination: impacting how, then impacting whom</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> not applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting everyone I know	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my (then) partner
<input type="checkbox"/> temporary	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting close friend(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting (then) partner & kids
<input type="checkbox"/> lasting	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting close friends & family	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my child(ren)
<input type="checkbox"/> permanent	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only family members	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my grandchild(ren)
<b>7) Housing discrimination: impacting how, then impacting whom</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> not applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting everyone I know	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my (then) partner
<input type="checkbox"/> temporary	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting close friend(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting (then) partner & kids
<input type="checkbox"/> lasting	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting close friends & family	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my child(ren)
<input type="checkbox"/> permanent	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only family members	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my grandchild(ren)
<b>8) Legal discrimination: impacting how, then impacting whom</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> not applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting everyone I know	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my (then) partner
<input type="checkbox"/> temporary	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting close friend(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting (then) partner & kids
<input type="checkbox"/> lasting	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting close friends & family	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my child(ren)
<input type="checkbox"/> permanent	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only family members	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my grandchild(ren)
<b>9) Loss of government benefits: impacting how, then impacting whom</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> not applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting everyone I know	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my (then) partner
<input type="checkbox"/> temporary	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting close friend(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting (then) partner & kids
<input type="checkbox"/> lasting	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting close friends & family	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my child(ren)
<input type="checkbox"/> permanent	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only family members	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my grandchild(ren)

<b>10) Loss of gun rights: impacting how, then impacting whom</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> not applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting everyone I know	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my (then) partner
<input type="checkbox"/> temporary	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting close friend(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting (then) partner & kids
<input type="checkbox"/> lasting	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting close friends & family	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my child(ren)
<input type="checkbox"/> permanent	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only family members	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my grandchild(ren)
<b>11) Loss of parental rights: impacting how, then impacting whom</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> not applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting everyone I know	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my (then) partner
<input type="checkbox"/> temporary	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting close friend(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting (then) partner & kids
<input type="checkbox"/> lasting	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting close friends & family	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my child(ren)
<input type="checkbox"/> permanent	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only family members	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my grandchild(ren)
<b>12) Loss of vote: impacting how, then impacting whom</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> not applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting everyone I know	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my (then) partner
<input type="checkbox"/> temporary	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting close friend(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting (then) partner & kids
<input type="checkbox"/> lasting	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting close friends & family	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my child(ren)
<input type="checkbox"/> permanent	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only family members	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my grandchild(ren)
<b>13) Loss or denial of professional license: impacting how, then impacting whom</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> not applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting everyone I know	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my (then) partner
<input type="checkbox"/> temporary	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting close friend(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting (then) partner & kids
<input type="checkbox"/> lasting	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting close friends & family	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my child(ren)
<input type="checkbox"/> permanent	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only family members	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my grandchild(ren)
<b>14) Prevented from seeing family: impacting how, then impacting whom</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> not applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting everyone I know	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my (then) partner
<input type="checkbox"/> temporary	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting close friend(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting (then) partner & kids
<input type="checkbox"/> lasting	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting close friends & family	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my child(ren)
<input type="checkbox"/> permanent	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only family members	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my grandchild(ren)
<b>15) Prevented from visiting prisoners: impacting how, then impacting whom</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> not applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting everyone I know	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my (then) partner
<input type="checkbox"/> temporary	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting close friend(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting (then) partner & kids
<input type="checkbox"/> lasting	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting close friends & family	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my child(ren)
<input type="checkbox"/> permanent	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only family members	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my grandchild(ren)
<b>16) Restitution to alleged victims: impacting how, then impacting whom</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> not applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting everyone I know	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my (then) partner
<input type="checkbox"/> temporary	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting close friend(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting (then) partner & kids
<input type="checkbox"/> lasting	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting close friends & family	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my child(ren)
<input type="checkbox"/> permanent	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only family members	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my grandchild(ren)
<b>17) Restricted movement: impacting how, then impacting whom</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> not applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting everyone I know	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my (then) partner
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<input type="checkbox"/> permanent	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only family members	<input type="checkbox"/> impacting only my grandchild(ren)
<b>18) Sex offender registry: impacting how, then impacting whom</b>		
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Add here any consequence of the conviction not listed above.

**65. Collateral consequence impacting others in claimant's life**  
 Mark on left *how* or *if* each applies. If applies, mark on right to *whom* it applies.

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Feel free to add any impacts on others overlooked in the list above.

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## F. Claimant narrative

Here is where the claimant puts in their own words what they claim happened, providing helpful context for the wrongful conviction. This appears in what others see first, so give it your best. This section wraps up the form. The remainder is for helping you, the claimant (and proxy), to find the support you need to overcome this injustice. Keep going, you're almost there!

### 67. Claim Synopsis

In two sentences or less, grab the reader's attention with a tear-jerking synopsis of the innocence claim. This text appears in the executive summary at the top. **250-character limit**

### 68. Claim highlights

List eye grabbing highlights of the claim, with as few words as possible. Replace each example with something from your own case.

<b>Highlight 1:</b>	No other criminal history
<b>Highlight 2:</b>	Consistently maintained innocence, took no plea deals
<b>Highlight 3:</b>	Transphobic investigation and prosecution
<b>Highlight 4:</b>	Convicted without corroborating evidence
<b>Highlight 5:</b>	Climate of sex abuse hysteria
<b>Highlight 6:</b>	Media sensationalized coverage
<b>Highlight 7:</b>	Exculpatory evidence overlooked with untested DNA
<b>Highlight 8:</b>	Asexual transperson must register for life as "sex offender"

Boil down this whole claim into a single catchy phrase. Why should anyone ready it instead of other claims? See the samples for ideas. Craft it to draw their engaging attention. Pull on their heart strings. Let it draw attention to the injustice suffered, without any tone of blame or victimhood. Inspire viewers to support you, to invest in your innocence, and possibly sponsor your path toward exoneration. This **one-liner** will typically be the first thing viewers see about your innocence claim.

<b>One-liner:</b>	WHO or WHAT + UNJUST RESULT (to evoke viewer's interest)
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**69. Flipside**

For a balanced view, acknowledge what could be seen in the worst light. Nullify criticism by getting it out of the way. End on a positive note, like how you overcame the worst.

**70. Claim Summary**

Summarize the innocence claim--with an eye for short attention spans. Add some context to the synopsis above. Provoke the reader's curiosity and interest to discover more.

**FORMAT:**

On [INCIDENT DATE], [CLAIMANT'S NAME] [HOW INCIDENT OCCURRED]. [CONTEXT].  
 Do your best to describe the facts without vilifying anyone. Let the reader decide.  
 Close with a call-to-action [CTA], what you are asking the engaged reader to do.  
 Look through this example to get some ideas.

On July 7th, 1993, Steph Turner awoke to hear voices from the other room. Steph could hear her sister Janet talking to someone. That person left, but later returned with her irate mother to accuse Janet of an incredulous crime. You see, Janet was born male and now openly transgender, long before that was socially acceptable. And Janet had yet to fully transition.

At the height of the sex abuse hysteria in the early-90s, Steph came out as gender-nonconforming transgender. But living in a religiously conservative community, Steph kept it private. Steph soon came out to Janet, years after Janet had. They shared an apartment to rekindle their newfound bond. Both now freely embracing their feminine sides. Both felt asexual by not being loved for their full selves. Both drawn to the spirituality of transcending the gender divide.

A neighborhood child drew curious, peeping into Janet's window to gawk at what she called the "man with lipstick." When caught not being home on time, the child leveled bizarre claims of sex abuse unbecoming from a child. Exposed to porn?



The child then dragged Steph into her transphobic accusations. The child claimed Steph posed with her as if she, the young child, was stabbing Steph in the chest with a butter knife. She claimed this was to scare her from talking to police, that we would say she was the aggressor. Unbelievable? Not if you already believe trans people are subhuman.

Child testimonies back then were often coached. Trans people were easily vilified. Since no corroborating evidence was necessary back then to convict for sexual misconduct, both transwomen were wrongly convicted and sentenced to long terms in men’s prisons, where Steph’s transgender sibling and codefendant died in 2001.

Repeated efforts to overcome this wrongful conviction failed. After serving a full 12-year sentence, Steph was discharged and finished undergraduate and graduate degrees. But is required to register as a sex offender for life, destroying economic and other opportunities. Your support can help turn this around.

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Boost your journey toward exoneration. If you wish to proceed, sign below to verify the proxy—your named representative—has your trust to transcribe this information into the spreadsheet form. By signing this form, you understand your information is only to be used for the purpose of exonerating the wrongly convicted. Further terms of use may follow as this service unfolds. This service is offered without guarantee that it will result in the court’s recognition of your innocence. Nor does this service assume legitimacy of a court system that resists viable claims of innocence ostensibly for reasons serving its own ends. You are free to discontinue this service at any time with written notification. All provided information above would then be removed. All correspondence is delegated through your assigned proxy until you notify us otherwise. Any direct communication can be sent to Value Relating, 3510 Comstock Village Ln #104, Kalamazoo, MI 49048. Any questions or concerns can be sent directly to this address. Your use of this service becomes official upon receipt of the signed copy of this page. May it serve you well.

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