## EXHIBIT A

In the State of Ohio )
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In the County of Mahoning)

I, Sean Swain, being duly sworn, hereby depose to state :
My name is Sean Swain. I have direct knowledge of the facts related herein and I am competent to testify to them.

## Summary

1) I have been subjected to an irregular, unlawful, and unconstitutional regimen of repression and retaliation by the Ohio of Rehabilitation and Corrections and its agents; admittedly for well- established protected speech rights in a public form. No penological interest exists in this matter. After punishment for protected speech was undertaken and approved by ODRC director Gary C. Mohr, a provably inappropriate disciplinary process was employed by prison officials creating an alternative rationale to justify and continue the repression and retaliation already undertaken for admittedly illegal purposes. As a consequence of prison officials' actions, I have been sent to high security (solitary) for which I was not recommended by the "Chief of Institutional Placement, OSP". This prevents my obtaining programming and placement required for parole. I will have to serve additional years in solitary, de facto for protected speech.

## Background

2) I came to prison in 1991, convicted of Aggravated Murder after a jury trial, for the self defense killing of a man who broke into my home. After reversal of the conviction, the trial court refused to abide by the court of appeals mandate, and I remained imprisoned on a void conviction and sentenced for a crime I can prove I did not commit if I am ever provided the
fair trial ordered by the Court of Appeals.
3) In 2008 I was confined at Toledo Correctional Institution and I embraced Neolithic Indigenism as my religion. I was laterally moved to Mansfield Correctional Institution (MANCI) in November, 2009. Within 30 days of my arrival, I was irregularly harassed by the Security Threat Group (STG) officers for my deeply held religious beliefs.
4) (STG) officers monitor gangs and gang activity. When STG Officer Garcia questioned me in 2009, I had never been accused of any gang activity and lacked the preconditions by the Ohio Administrative Code and by policy for STG monitoring. In irregular questioning Officer Garcia did not ask me about gangs but instead asked me about my "beliefs". He asked me how I "felt "about "hierarchy."
5) I told officer Garcia that, as a Neolithic Indigenist, I saw hierarchical social structures as a rebellion against the creator and against creation, as humans were designed to live in tribal non-hierarchic social structures. Officer Garcia told me I was "not allowed to believe that."He said my belief made me an anarchist and I was therefore a member of an unauthorized group. I was a member of a non-existent "gang."He advised me to "get a new religion." He told me his supervisor , Investigator Angela Hunsinger, had sent him (Garcia) to put me on the gang list because "Columbus" (ODRC Central Office) found a website, seanswain.org, and the content had "pissed them off."
6) Officer Garcia took photos of all my tattoos. I asked him if he was also profiling Jews and Christians. He said he was "just following orders,"which was the Nazi defense at Nuremberg that the International Tribunal rejected.
7) Thereafter, to stop STG harassment, I requested recognition as Neolithic Indigenism as my approved religion. Exhibit B is a true copy of the affidavit that I sent to the Manci chaplain to gain recognition of my religion. Exhibits C and D are approvals of religious
accommodation requests approved by Manci Warden Terry Tibbals, and are true copies of those documents.
8) Despite recognition from the chaplain for my religion and accommodations granted by the warden, Investigator Hunsinger continued to keep me on a "gang list" expressly for holding religions riéas. penological recognition from the chaplain for my religion and aceommodations granted by the interest in my outgeing writings for publications and thar my letter would constitute contract.
9) On 14 June 2011, I sent two copies of a letter to Director Gary Mohr. One copy was sent certified mail as item\# 7009-0080-0001-0851-6928. A true copy of that letter is attached as Exhibit E, and the documentation to prove certified mailing is attached as Exhibit F. In that letter I wrote in part, "I would like to avoid punishment for expressing my social and political beliefs to family, friends and publishers. I would prefer not to be dragged away and forced to die at supermax...So, to avoid such consequences, I am requesting that we establish a process whereby I submit all outgoing correspondence to my case manager, who will forward everything to you or your designee for you written approval..."My intention was to avoid punishment for expressing views in a public forum online, even going so far as to suggest the creation of a special process to ensure there was not even the appearance of running afoul of prison rules.
10) I further related, "If you do not respond I will simply assume you do not want to review my outgoing work and that you are conceding no penological interest in the centent of my-secial and politicat interest in the content of my social and political beliefs". I wrote this with the understanding and that you are conceding no penological interest in the content of miry sociatnonresponse understanding that Director Mohr's'would constitute an admission that no penological interest existed.
11) In August 2012, I wrote, "J pay, Sock Puppets and Our Reduction to Slavery", for posting at seanswain.org. describing how Director Mohr's J pay policy constituted hundreds of thousands of counts of identity theft. Exhibit G is a true copy of that article.
12) I was not then aware that prison officials were "investigating" seanswain.org and were intercepting all incoming mail that made reference to that site. Mail from Jeff Everden postmarked in June 2012 and containing images posted to the site was withheld for 8 months; mail sent from Ryan Whitman on September 11, 2012 containing printouts of postings at seanswain.org was withheld for two months and when that mailing was finally given to me all of the printouts were withheld, without notice and without process.
13) It was not known to me in August or early September 2012 that seanswain.org was the target of an ORDC "investigation". I did not know my mail was obstructed. As Director Mohr had never responded to my certified letter, I continued writing for publication and posting on line in good faith to include "J pay, Sock Puppets and Our Reduction to Slavery".
14) On September 12, 2012 I was given a security status review by Case Manager Morrow. Based on my model conduct, I was recommended for a security level decrease. This was important to me because the parole boards decision from 2011 indicated that I needed too obtain programs, which could only obtain at a lower level security. So, based upon my conduct, I was a model prisoner who belonged at medium security, apart from investigations into my "beliefs" and political social writings in a public forum, for which Director Mohr had admitted that no penological interest existed.

## 19 September 2012

15) On 19 September, 2012, my cell was subject to a surprise search by STG officers, a search that lasted nearly two hours. Importantly, because it was a surprise search, I had no
opportunity to hide or conceal or destroy anything. It cannot be said that I destroyed evidence.
16) It must be remembered that 19 September was just 7 days after I was recommended for medium security for being a model prisoner. It was just 8 days after print-outs from seanswain.org had been mailed to me and were intercepted by prison officials related to a secret "investigation" into my protected speech in a public forum.
17) On 19 September, SGT officers confiscated my typewriter and a rough draft of "J pay, Sock Puppets and Our Reduction to Slavery". Neither my typewriter nor my rough draft were ever returned.
18) I would later learn that two other cell searches occurred simultaneous to mine. The cells of James Dzelajlija and Les Dillon were also searched. STG officers confiscated from Dzelajlija a handwritten rap verse they claimed was incorporated into materials produced by the "Army of the Twelve Monkeys", a prison STG. From Dillon SGT officers confiscated a large cache of Twelve Monkey materials.
19) Of the three prisoners concurrently searched, I was the only prisoner to possess absolutely no materials even conceivably related to the Twelve Monkeys STG. Of the three prisoners, I was the only one apprehended. The two prisoners who possessed Twelve Monkey connected materials were not apprehended: only the prisoner whose published writings and typewriter were confiscated, absent any Twelve Monkey STG connection.
20) Irregularly, I was not taken to segregation. Instead, I was taken to a row of cells behind the medical clinic known as "torture cell row". I was held in freezing temperatures without a bed, without pens or pencils; making it impossible for me to communicate conditions to the outside world. I had no toothbrush. I was only given a small amount of clothing and bedding. My food was half portions in styrofoam containers that could not hold the
standard serving size. I was not given showers nor recreation. I had to pace 24 hours a day to stay warm. I suffered sleep deprivation and I was hallucinating.
21) A corrections officer explained to me that someone tried to visit me and was denied, and had inquired into my status; thereafter, friends and family pressured the administration to move me from "torture cell row". That officer's description led me to believe that if not for intervention by loved ones, I would have remained on torture cell row indefinitely.
22) This is significant because only months later two prisoners died on torture cell row. Their deaths were investigated by the same officials who approved my placement on torture cell row, in retaliation for protected speech.
23) If not for the intervention of loved ones, I might have died on torture cell row for publicly telling the truth about ODRC Director Gary C. Mohr's crimes. I was thereafter moved into a segregation cell with James Dzelalija and in the same block as Les Dillon.

## The Investigation And First Conduct Report

24) On 04 October, day 15 of the 21-day investigation I was given a phone call with former counsel Andrea Reino. Ms Reino informed me that the FBI was investigating "threats" that the Twelve Monkeys had written Ohio law makers, so I should be careful because my mail was monitored. Thus, from 04 October, 2012 onward I knew my mail was monitored.
25) On October 13 2012, day 24 of a 21 day investigation I wrote a letter to a friend named Ben Turk. Exhibit H is a true copy of that letter. I also wrote what I titled "An Open Letter to the Ohio General Assembly", which was also mailed to Ben Turk. A true copy of that writing is attached as Exhibit I. Exhibit J is Ben Turks affidavit, which relate to Exhibits G,H,\& I.
26) My letter to Ben Turk and the accompanying "Open Letter to the Ohio General Assembly," would be provably misrepresented by Investigator Hunsinger and along with my published J pay criticism, would form the false basis of a conduct report alleging that I was the creator of
the Army of the Twelve Monkeys.
27) Nearly 30 days into a 21 day investigation, STG officers again documented my tattoos and religious beliefs that had been documented by Officer Garcia in 2009. They admitted Twelve Monkey activities continued while I was in segregation and that the continuation of activities proved I was not responsible, but they intended to leave me on the gang list because "Columbus" was "pissed" about seanswain.org. I was advised to "get another religion."
28) On day 30 of a 21 day investigation, Sergeant John Littleton served me with a copy of a conduct report written by Angela Hunsinger. It was nine pages long. Exhibit K is a true copy of that conduct report with the exception that for reference purposes here I have added the "line count" numbers in the left margin of the conduct report's text and I have added the handwritten page numbers of " 1 of 9 " through " 9 of 9 "in the upper right corner.
29) This was the longest conduct report in MANCI history. It accuses me of three violations of prison rules: Rule 15 , rioting or encouraging others to riot; Rule 17, engaging in unauthorized group activities; and Rule 56, use of telephone or mail in furtherance of any criminal activity.
30) In the "Supporting Facts" lines 1-18 describe the emergence of the Army of the Twelve Monkeys STG. Lines 19-20 allege that I was one of the "creators" of the Twelve Monkeys. The remainder of the conduct report is wholly absent of any conduct attributed to me that reasonably would indicate that I was the "creator" of the Twelve Monkeys.
31) Investigator Hunsinger then referenced my published article, provably misrepresenting it in determinative ways: "Found in possession of Swain 243-205 was anarchist (sic) article (sic) he authored that had wording and ideologies (sic) that matched the Twelve Monkey Resistance Movement. Swain was in the process of sending these articles to Redbird Prison

Abolition to be published on his (sic) website. In the article (sic) he calls for militant tactics..."(lines 22-24) (Exhibit K)
32) It should be noted that "anarchist" articles, plural, became "article" singular, by the end of that paragraph. It should be noted that seanswain.org was under investigation for several months, so at the writing of the conduct report, Investigator Hunsinger knew the article, singular, was already posted at seanswain.org, and she knew that the article, singular contained no "militant language "nor any "anarchist" "ideologies." It should be noted that seanswain.org is not "my" website. That I have no financial connection to it, and I do not know the person or persons who own the site.
33) In short, virtually everything Investigator Hunsinger wrote in the conduct report about protected speech in a public forum was provably untrue.
34) The conduct report continued, describing one of my tattoos as "identical" to the logo used by the Twelve Monkey STG (Line 27-29, Exhibit K).This too is provably untrue.
35) It should be recalled that my tattoos were documented and photographed since 2009.
36) The conduct report then mentioned a tattoo, asserting that one of my tattoos "is identical to the Twelve Monkey logo that the STG was putting on their resistance manuals. (Exhibit K, lines 27-29).This assertion is demonstrably untrue. It should also be noted that known, admitted members of the Twelve Monkey STG have no similar tattoos.
37) The conduct report then addressed my "Open Letter," that had been mailed to Ben Turk. Investigator Hunsinger, consistent with her description of my published article and my tattoo, provably misrepresented this writing as well.
38) Investigator Hunsinger asserted that I told the Ohio General Assembly that they "should quickly adopt the Army of the Twelve Monkeys (sic) legislative agenda," (Lines 63-64). As point of fact, I wrote to Ben Turk, not to the Ohio General Assembly, and I wrote with
investigators who were opening my mail as my primary audience, and I never advocated that legislators should adopt a Twelve Monkey agenda. Investigator Hunsinger's description is simply not true.
39) Investigator Hunsinger also asserted that I claimed I "may" have written Twelve Monkey threats to legislators, presenting that I wrote what could be construed as a confession. (See Lines 66-67, Exhibit K ). As point of fact,I never wrote any such a confession.
40) Investigator Hunsinger falsely represented that I claimed in my "Open Letter" to be a messenger for Anonymous (Line 67, Exhibit K). This is not true.
41) Investigator Hunsinger falsely presented that I gave legislators a deadline of November 5, 2012 to meet the Twelve Monkey agenda (Lines 72-73, Exhibit K). This is not true.
42) Comparison between what I actually wrote (Exhibits H and I) to Investigator Hunsinger's description of what I wrote (Exhibit K), demonstrates that Investigator Hunsinger misrepresented my communication to Ben Turk in four (4) determinative ways in order to manufacture a false justification for claimed rule violations where none provably existed,in addition to misrepresenting the content of my published speech in a public forum and misrepresenting my tattoo.
43) When I read the conduct report, it was clear to me that prison officials wanted very much to punish me-- enough to misrepresent facts in at least half a dozen instances-- but I was still confused as to how the stated conduct, even if accepted as true, related to the charged rule violations. I asked Sergeant Littleton how the alleged conduct related to inciting a riot, or gang activity or crimes in the mail. He admitted he had "no idea." He said, I cannot make heads or tails out of this either.
44) I related to Sergeant Littleton that my tattoo was not identical to the STG logo and that I had not written any of the inculpatory remarks falsely attributed to me which would mean, by
process of elimination, I was accused of inciting a riot, gang activity and criminal activity in the mail,based on having written an article critical of Director Mohr's illegal Jpay bondoogle. I noted that "Jpay" was conspicuously mentioned in the conduct report four (4) times (Lines 25, 27, 48 , and 71 Exhibit K ). I also noted that in the entirety of the nine pages of conduct report, there was no reference to any alleged conduct on my part that could conceivably connect me to the Twelve Monkey promoted activities described on the first page of the conduct report-jamming locks, clogging drains; and there was also no reference to any alleged conduct on my part that could conceivably connect me to the Twelve Monkey materials-i.e.copying, disseminating, or even processing Twelve Monkey materials.
45) The word "anarchist" appears in the conduct report at least three times (Lines 22, 43, and 51 Exhibit K) implicating my "ideologies" (Line 22, Exhibit K) I noted that I was being targeted not for and for any misconduct, nor for any rational connection to hooligans who smash windows, but for my thoughtful and religiously based critique of the dysfunctional ordering of society and for telling the truth about Gary Mohr's illegal J pay scam.
46) I told Sergeant Littleton that the disciplinary process was being used as a weapon to retaliate against and to repress protected speech and beliefs, absent misconduct implicating a legitimate penological interest. He agreed. He bound me over to the Rules Infraction Board, "stating, I'm just following orders," which was the Nuremberg defense."
47) Prior to my R.I.B. Hearing, I sent kite communications to the R.I.B. Chair, Investigator Hensinger, and to Warden Tibbals, explaining that I needed the documents that were referenced in the conduct report to be available at my R.I.B. Hearing. None of the documents were present. No explanation was given.
48) I was in a holding cage with Dillon and Dzelajlija just prior to my R.I.B. Hearing.

Lieutenant K. Dahlby, the R.I.B. chair came to the holding cage and menacingly said, "It's time you three monkeys stop jumping on the bed". This indicated to me that Lt. Dahlby had already decided our guilt. This conclusion is also supported by the R.I.B. Disposition, represented by Exhibit L which is a true copy of the documented. On it is Lt. Dahlby's signature affirming the finding of guilt and the punishment imposed. Lt. Dahlby's signature was affixed the day before my hearing occurred. This means Lt. Dalby had found me guilty and had imposed a punishment prior to ever having heard my defense
49) My R.I.B. hearing occurred 240 ctober 2012, the day after R.I.B. Chair Lt. Dahlby found me guilty. On the R.I.B. Panel as Secretary was officer R.D. Waltz. Officer Waltz had previously worked in the mail room and had a long history of harassing "anarchist" prisoner's mail because of her own admitted personal animus. I would later learn that R.D. Waltz had taken Investigator Hunsinger's "training program," for identifying and catching prisoner terrorist's the "training" program included a picture of me, and several quotes of my writings taken out of context from seanswain.org.
50) My "impartial" hearing was held before an R.I.B. Chair who already found me guilty and a Secretary with a personal animus against my beliefs who had taken a propaganda program that identified me as a terrorist. This hearing was digitally recorded as MANCI-12-007219.
51) No inculpatory evidence was presented. Available to the R.I.B. were three (3) pages of Twelve Monkey Fliers that Investigator Hunsinger admitted I had no connection to. By Investigator Hunsinger's testimony, there was no evidence that I participated in any of the Twelve Monkey promoted activities; there was no evidence that I played any role in the production or distibution of Twelve Monkey materials; there was no evidence that I engaged in or participated in any criminal activity. In short, her testimony exonerated me of the charged rule violations of gang activity, inciting a riot, and using mail in the furtherance of
criminal activity.
52) Lt. Dahlby refused to obtain the documents referenced in my conduct report. He refused to read them. When I presented that every item of alleged "evidence" referenced in the conduct report was provably misrepresented, Lt. Dahlby asked me "What? Do you want me to say she is lying?". R. D. Waltz said I was guilty because I am an "anarchist" and "anarchists want chaos." When I attempted to correct her comic book definition of a complex political and philosophical theory I was prevented from speaking. Lt. Dahlby told me in the course of the hearing "the law does not apply here" to explain he has no duty to abide by the constitutional limits to his power set by the U.S. Supreme Court related to prisoner free speech.
53) I was found guilty of all three (3) rule violations. I was recommended local control as punishment and a security level review which caused my security to be increased. This would mean I would not go to medium security and get needed programs to earn a parole, but would be sent to Ohio's supermax facility as a terrorist, providing the Adult Parole Authority justification for making me die in prison for a crime I did not commit, absent any real misconduct, simply because I told the truth about the ODRC Director's actions in a public forum.
54) Warden Terry Tibbals affirmation of those findings appears as Exhibit $M$ which is a true copy of that document. Director Gary Mohr also affirmed as demonstrated by Exhibit N which is a true copy of these documents. Warden Tibbals recommended me for Level 5, super maximum security. His recommendation appears as Exhibit O, which is a true copy of that document.
55) In his super max recommendation, Warden Tibbals relates that I was "identified" as one of the "creators" of the "Twelve Monkeys resistance organization" and that I had an "ability to
cause a major disturbance within a lower level correctional institution", all "based on the materials that were in (my) possession".
56) The only materials ever alleged to be in my possession consisted solely of my published article, "J Pay, Sock Puppets, and Our Reduction to Slavery", which exposed the criminal of the prison director made me a "creator" of "the Twelve Monkey resistance organization" according to this level five (5) recommendation.
57) In March 2013, my disciplinary appeals were long exhausted. I was days away from a super max transfer. I faced the likelihood of dying in perfect isolation, falsely labeled as a terrorist for telling the truth to the public about prison official's corruption.
58) Friends retained counsel, Robert Fitrakis. Mr. Fitrakis wrote a letter to the ODRC director.
59) Les Dillon, one of the prisoners accused of Twelve Monkey involvement fashioned an affidavit on 09 January 2013.He gave me a copy, which I forwarded to legal counsel. Legal counsel referenced this affidavit in his legal correspondence to the ODRC Director, as this affidavit exonerates me of any Twelve Monkey involvement. A true copy of this affidavit appears as Exhibit P.
60) I also forwarded to counsel a proposal that I wrote entitled, "Blast! Blog, A Proposal" This was proposed for the creation of a feature at seanswain.org that would serve to make prison officials accountable for their human rights atrocities, given that no real checks or balances existed to prevent human rights abuses. A copy of this proposal was sent to legal counsel for review in order to ensure that the feature, if implemented, would meet legal standards set forth in 47 U.S.C.A. Section 230 for immunity under the Communications Decency Act .My Blast! Blog proposal appears as Exhibit Q. This is a true copy of this document. This proposal would become an issue after prison officials disvowed their original narrative and would pursue new disciplinary action. As a point of fact,this proposal explicitly sets forth a
mandatory disclaimer against violence and does not promote violence.

## 27 March 2013

61) On 27 March 2013, I was taken to an interview room. Two men introduced themselves as Vinko Kucinic , the STG Coordinator at Central Office, and Trevor Clark, ODRC Counsel. The man introducing himself as Mr. Clark did all the talking. Mr. Clark said he was there because he was the point man for the "F.B.I."and the "F.B.I."wanted to record the interview. He said the ORDC had been opening and photocopying all of my outgoing mail for more than six months, that he had read thousands of pages, and that the F.B.I. was going to be bringing federal charges against me.
62) He left a cell phone on the desk as if transmitting the content of the interview to others.
63) Mr Clark said that the disciplinary case MANCI-12-007219 was going to be dismissed because of its emphasis on beliefs rather than conduct. However, he told me that he was going to write a new conduct report and he knew he could "make this one stick "because he was ODRC counsel and his office reviewed disciplinary appeals.
64) Mr. Clark questioned me about the conduct of other people, to include prisoners James Dzelajlija, Les Dillon and Shawn Marshall. He questioned me regarding my private correspondence to friends and to my legal counsel. Mr. Clark said my outgoing mail was opened because "the FBI" asked them to do. When I asked why the FBI could not get a federal court order or a FISA court order to monitor my communications themselves, he had no answer.
65) I was impressed that Mr. Clark was quite obsessed with the "F.B.I."
66) Mr. Clark asserted that my Blast!Blog proposal promoted violence and property damage. He would not permit me to review it and refer to it in order to prove to him that it did not. Mr

Clark said he interviewed Les Dillon, and that Dillon had implicated me as being Monkey \#4 of the Army of the Twelve Monkeys.
67) I did not believe him.
68) Mr Clark told me "the F.B.I.tested my type witer" and that my typewriter "matched" the threats sent to Ohio legislators from the Twelve Monkeys. I told him I knew that could not be true, as my typewriter was not used and I was not involved in the Twelve Monkeys.
69) Mr. Clark slammed paperwork on the desk and ordered me to pick it up. He told me that it was an address list of Ohio legislators and that it had been found in my packed up property. Some of the names on the paperwork were highlighted in blue and I do not have access to blue hi lighters. It was also computer generated and I had no computer access. The list did not look familiar to me.
70) Mr. Clark allowed me to hold the address list long enough for me to memorize the following addresses:

Jack Ford lived at 1935 Shenandoah in Toledo, Ohio 43607, Lynn Oman lived at 2922 River Road in Maumee,Ohio 46537, Robert Hagan lived at 562 Madera Avenue, Youngstown, Ohio 44504, Teresa Fedor lived at 2054 Belvedere in Toledo, Ohio 43614;

Randy Gardner lived at 14900 Mitchell Road, Bowling Green, Ohio 43402
Jeanine Perry lived at 4928 Ottawa River Road, Toledo, Ohio 43611.
71) I noticed that when I handed the private information of Ohio legislators back to Mr. Clark that Mr. Kucinic was holding his head in his hands and shaking his head back and forth. I was perplexed as to why a licensed practicing attorney would share sensitive private information of Ohio law makers with a prisoner convicted ( albeit, falsely) of Aggravated Murder and accused of forming his own terrorist organization seeking to target Ohio
legislators. I questioned the emotional and psychological stability of Mr. Clark.
72) Mr. Clark told me I would be found guilty of rule violations and I would be sent to maximum security instead of super-maximum security. I asked him how he could know the outcome of the disciplinary proceedings before they occurred. Mr Clark told me that if my friends pulled the plug on seanswain.org, the entire disciplinary ordeal would stop. I told him that was unacceptable.
73) The day after this interview I sent a letter to Mr. Clark and a copy to my counsel. A true copy of that letter appears as Exhibit R.

## Other Events Prior to the Do-Over

74) Thereafter I received a letter that alleged to be a communication from Trevor Clark to my legal counsel with a decision from the ORDC Director appended to it. That letter appears as Exhibit S and the Directors decision appears as Exhibit T; both are true copies of those respective documents.
75) I noted that in his correspondence, Trevor Clark related "Inmate Swain's disciplinary and classification hearings will be completed forthwith". I found this to indicate again Mr. Clark's foreknowledge of the disciplinary process' outcome. As point of fact, I would not necessarily be subject to a classification hearing unless I was found guilty of at least some of the charges and would be recommended for a security level review by the R.I.B. chair. Thus, in asserting my classification hearing "will be" completed, Mr. Clark revealed his foreknowledge that I would be found guilty and would be recommended to higher security.
76) Officials at the highest levels of the ODRC had predetermined the outcome of a disciplinary process that had not yet occurred.
77) Prior to receiving Mr. Clark's letter, I received a Local Control Placement Review Hearing
form completed by Lt. Barlow. This placement review was conducted on 23 April 2013. Exhibit U is a true copy of that review.
78) This review is significant because Lt. Barlow would be assigned as the R.I.B. chair in the do-over" He generated this review the day before the ODRC Director reversed Manci-12-007219 Yet, in this document, Lt. Barlow refers to the closure of Manci -12007219 and the rehearing that had not yet occurred (Manci-13-002907) and the penalty he would impose in that rehearing ("L.C. Suspended").
79) In sum, Lt. Barlow referred to a reversal he could not reasonably have known about, as it had not yet happened; he referred to as an R.I.B. case where he would serve as the R.I.B. Chair, when it had not yet happened.
80) I later sent a kite to Lt. Barlow to ask him who had intimated to him in advance of the director's decision that the case was going to be reversed and that he was going to find me guilty in the "do-over." He never answered that kite. However, it is clear that ODRC Director Gary Mohr, ODRC Counsel Trevor Clark, and MANCI R.I.B. Chair Lt. Barlow all conspired to create a predetermined outcome in my disciplinary proceedings.

## The New Conduct Report

81) The new conduct report was issued by Investigator Hunsinger on 30 April 2013. A true copy of this conduct report with exception to the handwritten line numbers line numbers on the left margin and the page number " $1-8$ " through " $8-8$ " in the top right corner. appears as Exhibit v. Contrary to Director Mohr's decision of 24 April 2013, this was not a re-hearing of MANCI-12-007219. Instead, Investigator Hunsinger presented a conduct report in a new case, whereas the original conduct report charged violations of rules 15,17 , and 56 . In the new conduct, the charge of using mail in furtherance of criminal activity was dropped but I
was instead charged with conspiracy and violation of security. Also, the original charged conduct of writing an article and having a tattoo and sending mail to Ben Turk were no longer mentioned. Instead, by the new story, Investigator Hunsinger accused eight instances of conduct not previously mentioned in the original narrative.
82) The only constant was that the date of the offense remained 19 September, 2012, the day that the STG officers confiscated my J Pay article and subjected me to torture. So by this new narrative that seems to disavow the old narrative, I was placed in segregation in September of 2012 because of eight (8) instances of accused conduct that happened months after I was in segregation. In other words, the effect preceded the cause by approximately six (6) months.
83) By this new narrative, the regimen of punishment to which I was subjected was completely unrelated to the rationale previously admitted-- that I wrote an article about J pay. Yet, the new narrative pointed to no alleged misconduct that preceded the regimen of punishment. The new conduct report essentially said, "We did not throw Swain in the hole for the unconstitutional reasons we previously admitted; instead, we threw him in the hole for a number of events that had not happened yet."In this way, the new narrative seemed to defy logic and reason.
84) This new conduct report alleged eight (8) instances of conduct arguably presented to demonstrate my guilt for charged rule violations.
85) The first instance alleged to implicate me was that Dillon wrote a fictional story that Investigator Hunsinger claimed impeached Dillon's sworn affidavit. By Investigator Hunsinger's description of Dillon's story, it implicated me as Monkey \#4 of the Army of Twelve Monkeys (Exhibit V Lines 11-16).
86) Dillon's fictional story appears as Exhibit N . This is a true copy of his story. Comparison of
his story to its description in the conduct report demonstrates that Investigator Hunsinger misrepresented the story in several determinative ways.
87) As point of fact, no such character as "Monkey \#4" exists in Dillon's story. As a point of fact, I was not placed in segregation with Dillon as we arrived on separate days, contrary to Investigator Hunsingers misrepresentation. As point of fact, I did not have a level 5 hearing at the same time as Dillon, contrary to Investigator Hunsinger's misrepresentation. As a matter of fact, I was never interviewed by the State Highway Patrol, contrary to Investigator Hunsinger's misrepresentation. As a point of fact I do not "own "a website contrary to Investigator Hunsinger's misrepresentation. In sum Monkey \#4 did not exist in Dillon's story and neither did any of the commonalities that Investigator Hunsinger alleged to identify me as Monkey \#4.
88) Investigator Hunsinger engaged in six (6) demonstrable misrepresentations in an effort to impeach Dillon's exonerating affidavit.
89) The second of eight (8) instances of conduct that Investigator Hunsinger presented in the conduct report relates to Dzelajija having written a letter; in that letter Dzelajiija allegedly wrote that I was not in favor of a Twelve Monkey website being created (Exhibit V, Lines 28-30). Investigator Hunsinger presented this as evidence that I was a member of the Twelve Monkeys. I am unaware of how someone else's conduct implicates me.
90) The third of eight (8) instances of conduct that Investigator Hunsinger presented in the conduct report to prove my violation of prison rules relates to my outgoing correspondence where I provided others with the internet location of Army of Twelve Monkeys materials. As a point of fact, on advice of counsel and friends, I shared the internet location of Twelve monkeys materials with dozens of people, including the warden, the ODRC director, and supervisor of segregation. I directed them to these addresses ( http://www.ge.tt/2ckaeFO/v/0
and http://www.ge.tt/6UJJ4xP/v/0 ) because these materials exonerate me. As counsel pointed out, none of the materials referred to anarchism nor to $J$ pay policies.

All of them were posted were computer generated. All of them were posted online at a time when all my ingoing and outgoing mail was photocopied for "the F.B.I." Also, as my counsel located these materials, it is safe to say that the prison officials likely knew of them but concealed accusing me of misconduct for effectively exposing her initial frame-up of me. I am unaware of how this constitutes a violation of prison rules.
91) As a fourth instance of conduct, the conduct report related: "(Swain) also advocates and conspires with other in public (sic) to create on his ( sic) website a "Blast Blog" which allegedly (sic) will "contain personal information of DRC staff members for the purpose of harassing, threatening, and intimidating staff members," (Lines 34-36,Exhibit V). This, however, is provably untrue as I shared this proposal with legal counsel, and it appears as Exhibit Q.The proposed feature is not for presenting personal information and it contains a disclaimer to specifically denounce the very harassment that Investigator Hunsinger attributes to Blast! Blog.
92) As a fifth instance of conduct, Investigator Hunsinger related that I wrote "correspondence touting that the Army of Twelve Monkeys resistance manuals are posted on (my) website" (Lines 37-38,Exhibit V). As point of fact, this is not true. Further, while I have never been on line and have no proprietary relationship with seanswain.org, it is my understanding that Twelve Monkey materials were never posted there.
93) As a sixth instance of conduct, Investigator Hunsinger accused me of writing to a friend and understanding that Twelve Monkey telling him he should sell Twelve Monkey T-shirts (Lines 38-39, Exhibit V). As point of fact, Terry Gilliam owns the copyright to the Twelve Monkeys and I would not suggest in seriousness that someone should sell T-Shirts. Also, as
a point of fact, I do not believe that the selling of a T-Shirt would make Terry Gilliam, my friend, or me a member of a terrorist group.
94) As a seventh instance of conduct, Investigator Hunsinger wrote that another prisoner sent me a coded message (Lines 39-42 Exhibit V). As point of fact, the prisoner was mentally ill and I did not respond to the incoherent writing he sent to me. I am unaware how this would constitute a rule violation on my part.
95) As an eighth instance of conduct, Investigator Hunsinger alleged that I participated in the creation of the Twelve Monkeys and the dissemination of their materials (Lines 53-54, Exhibit V). Investigator Hunisinger's testimony, digitally recorded in MANCI-12-007219 directly refutes this assertion. Investigator Hunsinger's testimony exonerated me prior to the writing of this conduct report.
96) These eight (8) instances of alleged conduct comprised the entirety of the allegations against me. I shared with Sergeant Van Biber, the hearing officer, my observation that the allegations in the narrative did not constitute rule violations. Three of the eight instances described the conduct of other prisoners, for which I am not responsible; four of the remaining eight described my free speech in private correspondence for which Investigator Hunsinger did not so much as allege a legal justification for monitoring. The last of the eight instances, an allegation that I participated in the creation of the Twelve Monkeys and the dissemination of their materials, was simply a baseless accusation unsupported by any evidence and contradicted by Investigator Hunsinger's prior testimony. I reminded Sergeant Van Biber that Investigator Hunsinger had previously asserted falsely that I wrote things had not written in a published article; that I possessed a tattoo what was not as described; that I had written a confession that, it turned out, did not say what she claimed. In short, the new conduct report was a second effort to "get me," issued by a prison official who has proved
she would do or say anything to get me.
97) Sergeant Van Biber bound me over to the R.I.B.

## Events Prior to the Second R.I.B. Hearing

98) Prior to the hearing for MANCI-13-002907, I sent requests to Warden Tibbals, Investigator Hunsinger and her counsel, Trevor Clark, requesting an itemized list of mail to and from me, from September until March of 2013. This itemized listing was three (3) columns per page 15 pages long. No one provided me with a single piece of paper. At R.I.B. this documentation was not present.

## Second R.I.B.

99) The hearing for MANCI-13-002907 occurred on 09 May 2013. It was digitally recorded. Investigator Hunsinger nor her counsel Trevor Clark admitted any evidence. Nothing was presented to me for my review. In a kite response from LT. Barlow, I would later learn that a secret hearing had been held for several hours before I was summoned, whereby Investigator Hunsinger's attorney, Trevor Clark presented "evidence." I could neither examine nor refute, the evidence, and then I was permitted a hearing that was a mere formality to provide the appearance of due process.
100) Just as in MANCI -12-007219, the decision as to my guilt was made provably, before my hearings ever began.
101) At my R.I.B. hearing I presented the testimony of Les Dillon, who stood by his affidavit and confirmed that Investigator Hunsinger misrepresented his fictional story in several determinative ways Dillon testified he was Monkey \#9 of the Army of the Twelve Monkeys, and that I was never in the group.
102) I presented my J Pay article, which Investigator Hunsinger provably misrepresented in
prior proceedings; I presented my "Open Letter" which she provably misrepresented; I presented Dillon' affidavit which was not impeached. I presented a copy of my Blast! Blog proposal as sent to my counsel, Robert Fitrakis to prove Investigator Hunsinger misrepresented it.
103) I called Lt. Dahlby as a witness. He said he could recall no facts from my prior hearing. The digital recording was not played.
104) I called Angela Hunsinger's counsel, Trevor Clark. He testified to giving me home addresses of Ohio legislators when he interviewed me in March. Later during Dillon's testimony, Mr. Clark burst into the room to demand confiscation of all of my R.I.B paperwork, claiming "the F.B.I." wanted it. Mr Clark threatened that I would be subjected to more harassment in the disciplinary process because I exposed his misconduct in giving me legislators home addresses.
105) It must also be pointed out that Mr . Clark provably misrepresented the amount of time I possessed that address list, when he said I "glanced at it for five seconds". There is no way I could memorize six addresses in five seconds.
106) In my R.I.B. defense I preserved four (4) legal arguments including the fact that my hearing exceeded all statutory time lines.
107) I was found guilty of all four (4) charges. I was given the punishment that Lt. Barlow had already decided to give me, as presented in the local control review of 23 April 2013,16 days prior to my hearing Exhibit U.
108) Exhibit X is a true copy of the Disposition of the Rules Infraction Board. According to that disposition, the "evidence" "relied on" was "handwritten letters and contraband collected." As the digital recording will reflect, not a single handwritten letter was admitted during my hearing and the record is void of any "contraband "ever being collected. The
only thing "collected" from me in terms of written material was my J Pay article.
109) On this disposition, the date of the hearing listed is 30 April 2013, the same date as Trever Clark's letter to my counsel where he related that I would be subject to a classification hearing Exhibit S). Thus, this disposition which was filled more than a week prior to my R.I.B. Hearing reveals how Trevor Clark and Lt. Barlow had conspired to achieve a predetermined result, using the disciplinary process as a tool for that end.
110) Warden Tibbals, who previously affirmed the overturned MANCI-12-007219, again affirmed MANCI-13-002907 Exhibit $y$ is a true copy of his decision. Director Mohr, who also affirmed MANCI-12-007219 before he reversed it, again affirmed MANCI-13-002907 Exhibit $Z$ is a true copy of his decision.

## Further Harassment Promised by Mr. Clark

111) This was not the end of the disciplinary process. As promised by Mr. Clark, recorded digitally, I would face further disciplinary action.
112) On 13 May 2013 I was taken to R.I.B. to answer for a conduct report in MANCI -13-002794. Sergeant Van Biber had heard me on this conduct report on 30 April 2013 and had dismissed this conduct report.
113) At that time, I had told Sergeant Van Biber that the charged rule violation was not supported by the supporting facts. He agreed and threw out the conduct report.
114) Exhibit AA is a true copy of the conduct report in MANCI-13-002794 that Sergeant Van Biber dismissed. That conduct report was written by Manci Inspector Uriah L. Melton, charging me with a violation of Rule 8, " threatening bodily harm to another." The supporting facts related in the conduct report make no reference to a threat of any kind. Thus, Sergeant Van Biber dismissed it.
115) On 13 May I was taken to R.I.B. to answer a conduct report that Sergeant Van Biber had already dismissed. When I arrived and I was placed in the holding cage, I told Lt. Dahlby that the conduct report had already been dismissed. He responded that he was only doing what Trevor Clark ordered him to do. When he spoke to me his speech was slurred and he smelled of alcohol.
116) The hearing for MANCI-13-002794 was digitally recorded. I attempted to make an opening statement in my defense but Lt. Dahlby interrupted me. He stood, staggered around the desk and stumbled into me. He took all of my paperwork from me and said "the F.B.I." wanted it. The paperwork has not been returned to me.
117) Among those papers was the kite that was the basis of the conduct report. A true copy of that kite appears as Exhibit BB. Also, among those papers was the other kite the inspector received from me that same day. A true copy of that kite appears as Exhibit CC. Among those papers was also a certificate awarded to me personally by Rosa Parks, recognizing me for my peace work in prison and nominating me for placement on the Wall of Tolerance as a prison pacifist. A true copy of that certificate appears as Exhibit DD In addition I had prepared fourteen (14) questions for the charging official. Lt. Dahlby seized those as well. Those questions are reproduced as Exhibit GG.
118) Lt. Dahlby began questioning the charging official. He asked only one question. Then he said, "I see where you are going with this," and then would not permit the charging official to answer the remaining questions. When I objected to this, Lt. Dahlby called me "ridiculous" and kicked me out of the hearing. I was found guilty of a nonexistent threat for a kite that constituted de facto protected speech in a dismissed conduct report, in an irregular hearing held past all time limits, presided over by an R.I.B. chair who was drunk.
119) The disposition of the R.I.B. appears as Exhibit EE and is a true copy of that document.
120) I thereafter sent a kite to the charging official.Exhibit FF is a true copy of that kite. The kite contained a copy of the questions he did not answer. Exhibit GG Is a true copy of these questions.
121) Warden Tibbales affirmed MANCI -13-002794. A true copy of his decision appears as Exhibit HH. In it he justifies exceeding mandatory time frames due to "requested witnesses." As a point of fact, I requested no witnesses.
122) Director Mohr affirmed MANCI-13-002794. A true copy of his decision appears as Exhibit II.

## LEVEL 4 RECOMMENDATION

123) I was provided a security review. Exhibit JJ is a true copy of this review. The point total reflected on this security instrument justified my continuation at current security level of $0-3$. On page 3 of this review, to override that recommendation, prison officials alleged that evidence in correspondence is clear that inmate participated in the creation and dissemination of the "Army of the Twelve Monkeys" materials. As a point of fact, no conduct that could constitute creation or dissemination of Twelve Monkey material was ever shown.
124) Strangely, however, when Warden Tibbales submitted the Level 4 recommendation, he did not reference any of the "conduct " alleged in the new narrative of MANCI-13-002907 nor the non existent threat in MANCI-13-002794. Instead, Warden Tibbals reverted to the original narrative that I should be increased in status because of the article "Jpay, Sock Puppets and Our Reduction to Slavery" released 28 September 2012. He stated that as the article was in my possession, it proved my being one of the creators of the Twelve Monkeys. Because of this, I am still being targeted as a "radical". All paperwork beginning in March 2013 was actually elaborate "smoke and mirrors" to cover up the true motivation
and animus of prison officials.
125) This recommendation to increase security level was approved based on Warden Tibbales opinions. "Thus, I was to be sent to Level 4, admittedly, for the "materials" I possessed, which was my J Pay article, even though ODRC Director Gary Mohr had already admitted that punishment for free speech was not legal. The warden's approved recommendation appears as (Exhibit KK) and is a true copy of that document.
126) The same date as my transfer to Level 4 was approved, Rob L. Jeffreys, Chief of the Bureau of Classification, sent me a correspondence. Exhibit LL is a true copy of that correspondence. In that letter, Mr Jeffery's falsely informed me that I would remain at Level 3. It was only after I arrived at the Ohio State Penitentiary that I was informed that I was elevated to Level 4B and subject to total isolation.

## Further Evidence That the Reversal Was Staged and Contrived

127) A true copy of my job history appears as (Exhibit MM). As noted, this document was printed on 12 June 2013, nearly two months after MANCI-12-007219 was reversed. Yet, "Local Control" or "LC" designation from a start date of 07 November, 2012 remains on this job history. This means the punishment that was only entered in MANCI -12-007219 remained. As point of fact, I was never reimbursed for the pay I should have received if that local control placement had been reversed.
128) I was never ordered local control in MANCI-13-002794 nor MANCI-13-002707 (Exhibits X and EE). Also, refer to (Exhibit JJ), my status review, which states, "No LC Placement." 129) The only explanation for the totality of the evidence is that ODRC Director Gary Mohr and ODRC Counsel Trevor Clark created paperwork to stage the reversal of MANCI-12-007219 and then orchestrated and contrived predetermined process for justifying the end result
they sought, which was my punishment and personal destruction at higher security, causing me to languish in prison for a number of years, for the concealed reason that I engaged in protected speech that exposed Gary Mohr's actions, but under the contrived justification of pretextual "disciplinary violations." It is my belief that everything from the reversal onward was staged, contrived and engineered for purposes of misleading my legal counsel and any legal inquiry into the original free speech repression.
129) As a result of this contrivance, the Adult Parole Authority has a pretextual justification for holding me in prison for the rest of my life for a crime I did not commit, because the ODRC Director and his counsel want to "make me pay" for telling the truth about the director's actions in a public forum.
130) In addition, the conditions that I endured in retaliation for, and repression of, my de facto protected speech included an irregular, unusual and particular regime of state terror contrary to law, policy, and evolving standards of decency. This regimen of state-terror included: Being placed in a Torture Cell as already described, where two (2) prisoners later died; Being identified in a staff "training" program as a terrorist-- a program used to promote staff hostility; Being fed starvation rations; Being housed in freezing conditions; Being subject to sleep deprivation; Being denied reasonable hygiene materials such as soap; Being denied reasonable laundry service; Being subject to harassment related to recreation; Being denied library services; Being selectively denied reading material through the mail; Having communication mediums suspended without notice to obstruct legal communication; Being subject to illegal and irregular regimes of photocopying all outgoing mail; Being selectively denied commissary privileges; Being housed in a cell where dirty toilet water rained on me for hours a day; Being subject to to the selective harassment of food shoved under a rusty, dirty steel door rather than provided through the food slot; and Being threatened by staff
of having genitals placed in my food. After transfer from MANCI, I was placed in a situation of solitary confinement which may continue for the rest of my life as punishment for telling the truth in a public forum.

## Post- Torture Cell

132) After I was removed from the Torture Cell, I was transferred to the Special Management Unit (SMU) at MANCI, which is the former Death Row. From 21 September, 2012 until 29 August 2013, I was housed in a cell with James Dzelajlija, also targeted as a member of the Army of the Twelve Monkeys, absent any rational connection. The conditions described are conditions we experienced during that time frame.

## Training Program

133) I first became aware of the MANCI "training" program in October 2012 when staff who know me and reasonably knew I was not involved in the Twelve Monkeys intimated to me that Investigator Hunsinger created a training program that featured my photo and misrepresented my published writings to give the false impression I was a prisoner terrorist. Friendly staff also intimated that display from the training program was kept near the lineup room, where all staff on all three shifts gather before and after each shift. One staff member removed an 8.5 X 11 inch print out photo of my face and brought it to me, telling me, You didn't get this from me." I mailed the photo out to my attorney.
134) It should be remembered that this "terrorist" program and the designation placed on me was orchestrated by Angela Hunsinger who targeted me for my religious beliefs beginning in 2009. Thus everything I experienced was a continuation of her personal animus.

## Food Portions

135) I entered the SMU weighing 215 pounds. When I left, I weighed less than 160 pounds.

While in the SMU I would sometimes pass out when I stood up.
136) Food portions in the SMU were approximately half the size of those served in general population. Not long after I learned of the "training program," I noted that Dzelajlija's and my portions were cut in half again. Because we were in the same cell and we were the first cell in the block, our trays were the two at the top of the stack; therefore, our food could be selectively reduced.

## Freezing Conditions

137) On 16 January 2013, Dzelajlija and I were irregularly moved from our cell location in SMU3 to SMU1, into a cell where the outer window was not affixed to the frame. We were subjected to intolerably cold conditions and the window was not repaired until after we left that location. We experienced these freezing conditions provided only T-Shirts, socks, underwear, 2 blankets, 2 sheets, shower shoes, and a pair of orange pajamas.

## Sleep Deprivation

138) Beginning also in January 2013, we were subject to sleep deprivation, having been irregularly moved into a cell positioned next to a steel door and a crash gate. This coincided with a new policy of corrections staff making rounds every half an hour, which meant that we would be disturbed by the crashing gate opening and slamming every thirty minutes, as well as the steel door.
139) It is reasonable to suspect that this harassment was intended, as several staff members intimated that they were pressured by administrators "pretty high up" to give Dzelajlija and I "the business". And they opted to transfer to other posts to avoid the whole situation.
140) Shortly after the "training program" was implemented, the soap given to SMU prisoners was reduced to one third its previous size. This, along with more than a dozen other
"policy" changes, altered practices that had been in place for decades at MANCI. Also, while this effected the entire SMU, it must be remembered that most prisoners would experience the SMU for days or possibly weeks, while the accused "Twelve Monkey" prisoners, myself included, were particularly impacted, because we were irregularly kept in the SMU for nearly a year.

## Laundry Service

141) Again, coinciding with the "training program" was the suspension of laundry service. When it resumed, Dzelajlija's laundry and mine was selectively harassed or "lost." Our laundry was identifiable because our laundry bags were marked with our names and cell location. Coinciding with a diminution of soap, we had no way to even wash our own laundry by hand. We remained generally dirty for the better part of a year.

## Recreation.

142) In the outside recreation area, basketball hoops were removed in the SMU block where Dzelajlija and I were moved. When we were later moved to SMU 2, hoops were installed in the block we left, and SMU 2 had no hoops. Unlike all other cells, Dzelajlija and I were almost always offered recreation at 0630 am , making it impossible for us to get recreation and receive direct sunlight.

## Library

143) The two decades old policy of book delivery to segregation was suspended after Dzelajlija and I availed ourselves to it.

## Reading Materials Through Mail.

144) In the case of Dzelajlija and I, exception to policy was made whereby we were not
permitted to receive two books while in segregation. Instead, reading materials mailed to us were irregularly denied. At first, an irregular standard for withholding was applied and after we challenged it the mail room then employed a new strategy of simply returning books to the sender without any explanation. All of this was a deviation from decades-old policies and practice.

## Mail Screening.

145) The mail screening process was employed for purposes of harassment, specific to mail sent to Dzelajlija and me. As one example, Walden by Henry David Thoreau was deemed a "threat to security" and I was not allowed to receive it. As a point of fact, several copies of Walden were available in the prison system's library.

## Stolen Mail

146) On many occasions, portions of my mail were simply taken by mail room staff without process. On one occasion when I was able to prove this, three pages of a five page J Pay letter from a pacifist friend of mine were not given to me. I received only page one (1 of 5 ) and page five (5 of 5). In my numerous communications to staff, including mail supervisor Lieutenant Paul Reece, staff denied receiving the missing pages and blamed glitches in the J Pay system . When I filed a grievance with Inspector Uriah Melton, he went to the mail room, and months later found the missing pages that Lt. Reece claimed had never been received at the institution.
147) Having proven that mail was in fact being stolen from me, Inspector Melton refused to acknowledge the illegality. When I sent him a kite informing him of the futility of the grievance process and my intent to abandon its use, he wrote a conduct report accusing me of "threatening bodily harm", which became MANCI-13-002794.
148) Also, once the stolen three pages were recovered, they were not given to me. Instead, months after their arrival, they were "withheld" as encouraging "violence", although I knew they were sent by a pacifist.
149) This also demonstrates what seems to be a pathology in prison officials of thinking that "violence" is defined as "views you do not like", even if sent from a pacifist to a peace advocate honored by Rosa Parks; even if written by Henry David Thoreau and present in the library.

## J Pay Discontinued

150) With regular postal mail (commonly called snail mail) being delayed regularly as long as two weeks and legal mail targeted for longer delays, friends began facilitating my communication with counsel through electronic JPays. Shortly after this was under taken, without notice of policy change, MANCI suspended all JPay service to all SMU prisoners. No rational explanation offered.
151) In addition to chronic delays in my incoming mail not experienced by the average prisoner, all of my outgoing mail was photocopied and read by prison officials, from September 2012 until at least May 2013. The documentation to justify this is that I was under investigation because I was suspected of wrongdoing and I was suspected of wrongdoing because I was under investigation.
152) I had no private communication with family or friends and my every written word was scrutinized and then misrepresented and used as a weapon against me. Along with all of the other state-terror tactics, this greatly affected me emotionally and made me feel helpless, hopeless, cut off, and powerless. I was afraid the irrational prison officials, attacking every aspect of my life, might simply shut down all of my communication with the outside world
and isolate me completely.

## Commissary

153) Dzelajlija and I were denied commissary enjoyed by all other prisoners on a few occasions. This was particularly difficult because we had no other source for writing materials. It seemed these commissary denials would always coincide with desperately important periods of legal communication, as if the goal was to use a lack of envelopes, paper, and pens as a method to obstruct my communications with counsel and supporters who acted as middlemen between myself and counsel.

## TOILET WATER

154) After spring thaw, Dzelajlija and I were moved from the freezing cell to one that had holes in the ceiling and electrical problems. We had to spend many nights without lights and whenever a disgruntled person in the suicide cell all above us would flood his cell, it would rain dirty toilet water down on us, and on all of our property, for ten straight hours. Our bedding, legal work and all we owned would be drenched in toilet water. Nothing was done to fix this.

## Food Under the Door

155) Officer Shore, who bragged about having taken the "terrorist" training program, claimed that Dzelajlija and I were too "dangerous" to receive our food through the food slot and decided instead to cram our food under the rusty, dirty door, knocking loose debris and dead bugs into our food.

## Genitals in Food

156) When Dzelajlija and I demanded to be moved from the toilet - water - rain cell, Officer

Miller, who also admitted to having taken the "terrorist program,"threatened to put his genitals in our food. We had to go several meals without eating until we were finally moved.

## Context

157) It must be remembered that I was subject to all of this irregular state terror because I wrote an article. I told the truth. I was then falsely labeled a terrorist and subjected to what the Central Intelligence Agency's KUBARK manual refers to as a "full spectrum" assault on my entire life, maintained for nearly a year without abatement. For purposes of context, Shawn Marshall, a fourth prisoner accused of Twelve Monkey involvement, was placed in the SMU in January of 2013. Within two months of experiencing harassment that was by degrees less intense than what I experienced, Marshall was driven completely insane. By March 2013, Marshall was smearing blood and fecal matter on his walls and would eat holes in his arm to get to "get the electronics out". He told me he believed in the future I was going to be a leader of the Twelve Monkeys, and that he was sent back from the future to give me manuals, and that he remembered me from the Residential Treatment Unit at Corrections Reception Center where he was sent for psychiatric evaluation in 2005. He said electronic devices were implanted inside of him by Angela Hunsinger.
158) Shawn Marshall is now medicated at Southern Ohio Correctional Facility and is on the psychiatric caseload after the MANCI state terror program broke his mind.

## Now

159) I am now housed at Ohio State Penitentiary in complete and total isolation. Absent a successful legal challenge, I can anticipate that contrived pretexts will continue to arise to
justify keeping me in these extreme conditions until my mind is broken or I die. My mind is being destroyed in support of the proposition that the state reserves the right to be irrational and its conduct does not have to make logical sense.
160) My only other possible path to freedom would be to escape from my lawless criminal captors, which would be very difficult from a super maximum security prison.

Affiant Further Sayeth Naught.


Sean Swain
Prison Reg. A243-205
Ohio State Penitentiary

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Sean Swain, being duly sworn, hereby deposes to state:

1. I am a Neolithic Indigenist. I have converted to Neolithic Indigenism because it reflects my sincere and deeply-held belieis. Neolithic Indigenism: A Revolution of Mind, Body \& Soirit sets forth the tenets of belief and practice to which I adhere.
2. As a Neolithic Indigenist, I am part of a remnant who keeps alive the indigenist practices which were otherwise obliterated 6,000 years ago when a tribe of hwans undertook donestication, altering their relationship to the rest: of the world, and colonizing the indigenist populations of Europe, Asia, Africa, and elsewhere. As part of this remant, "I "carry the fire" in anticipation of the end of the domesticator's system, a system that has departed fron the Great Law and races toward its own destruction. With its collapse, Indigenists will bring back the Old Horld, allowing it to heal from the last 6,000 years of toxic dystopia.
3. Neolithic Indigenism is distinguished from all other belief systems that have developed in the last 6,000 years- humankind's period of domestication and departure from the Great Law -by the following deeply-held, religious principles: Rejection of anhthropocentrism; of mass-production of food; of institutionalized hierarchy; of institutionalized law; of specialization; of the institution of private property; of patriarchy; and of militarization, all components of the social system created by the "fire eaters." Indigenism is also distinguished by its religious affirmation of tribal constructs, families, and individuals to live autonomously; the principle of eminent domain; and the rights of volumtary association, matual aid and cooperation, and direct action, which are all components of living within the Great Jaw.
4. The scripture of Neolithic Indigenism is The Book of Elikiah, which provides an Indigenist explanation of life, death, and the hereafter. It provides religious precepts which Indigenists follow, and reflects a traditional way of life based upon deep spiritual conviction shared by Indigenists, intimately related to daily living. These are not mere personal or philosophical beliefs but are an integrated, spiritual system of belief with expressions of spiritual truth in spiritual practice.
5. On February 14, 2011, I requested recognition of my religious preference fram the Chaplain at Mansfield Correctional Institution, pursuant to my right to the Free Rxercise of Religion guarenteed by the First Amendment to the United States Constitution, pursuant to my "natural and indefeasible right to worship" guaranteed by Article I, $\$ 7$ of the Ohio Constitution, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. \$2000cc(5)(7)(A), and pursuant to O.D.R.C. policy 72 REG O2(IV). On February 27, 2011, I directed an affidavit to the chgplain in sumport of my request. On March 22, 2011, I received from the chaplain a second request to fill out. This affidavit is intended to accompany that request

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| Offender Name: SWAIN | Number: A-243205 |
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| Current Religious Affiliation: NEOLITHIC INDIGENISM | RE: |
|  | DRC4326 Dated: 04/25/2011 |

Chaplain Recommendation:
YOUR REQUEST FOR AN EXEMPTION TO GROW YOUR HAIR HAS BEEN RECOMMENDED ONLY FOR
RELIGIOUS REASONS. AT ALL TIMES, EXCEPTFOR WASHING AND CLEANING, THE HAIR MUST BE WORN IN A PONYTAIL, BRAID OR PLAITS STYLE. DREADLOCKS ARE PROHIBITED FOR SECURITY REASONS. YOUR HAIR MUST BE SEARCHABLE WHEN REQUESTED BY STAFF. IF REFUSED, THEN YOUR HAIR WILL BE CUT.

YOUR REQUEST FOR AN EXEMPTION TO GROW A BEARD THE WIDTH OF YOUR HAND AND/OR FIVE FINGERS HAS BEEN RECOMMENDED, ONLY FOR RELIGIOUS REASONS. LASTLY, YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE COST OF ANY NEW PHOTO TAKEN.
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| Current Religious Affiliation: NEOLITHIC INDIGENISM | RE: $\quad$ DRC4326 Dated: 04/25/2011 |

Chaplain Recommendation:
YOUR REQUEST FOR THE FOLLOWING RELIGIOUS ACCOMMODATIONS POSSESSION OF NATURAL-FIBER STATE CLOTHING; USE OR POSSESSION OF ORGANIC-MATERIAL EATING UTENSILS; ORERING OF ORGANIC HYGIENE ITEMS; RECEIVING OF RITUAL TATTOOS AND PIERCINGS; EXEMPTION FROM MANDATORY INSTITUTIONAL JOB ASSIGNMENT; CONGREGATE SERVICE - UNLESS AN APPROVED OUTSIDE RELIGIOUS LEADER LEADS THE SERVICE; YOUR EXEMPTION FROM THE POLICY OF REQUIRING REMOVAL OF RELIGIOUS HEAD GEAR; MEDITATION CUSHION AND WEARING OF BUNDLES ON NECKLACES - THESE WILL BE RECONSIDERED ONCE A VISUAL AND AN APPROVED VENDER IS LISTED; RELIGIOUS DIETARY RESTRICTIONS - YOU LISTED NO TYPE OF RESTRICTIONS; RECOGNITION OF RELIGIOUS HOLIDAYS - YOU LISTED NO PARTICULAR HOLIDAYS. THE FOLLOWING ARE NOT ACCOMMODATION ISSUES; FASTING \& MANDATORY NON-VERBAL PRAYERS AT MEALS. YOU CAN FAST AND YOU CAN PRAY BEFORE YOUR MEALS


Accommodation Review Committee Response:



Comment


DRC.4327 E (Riv. 03/09)

Gary C. Mohr, Director
Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Correction
770 West Broad Street
Columbus, Ohio 43222
June 13, 2011
Dear Director Mohr:
I am writing to request an arrangenent for you or your designee to review all of my outgoing communication to friends, family, and publishers. As a consequence of events transpiring in your predecessors' cimes in offica, this has become necessary.

In 2008, Toledo Coreectional administrators placed me in segregation with the intent of transferring ine to super-maximum security, and subjected ne to conditions that the United States government has called "torture" in its internal documents. Thereafter, during my attempts to challenge this treatment, I was subject to a gauntlet of repression and retaliation designed to inhibit my ability to proceed to court and to also diminish my will to proceed. All of this greatly troubled me, as I was- and remain --a model prisoner. In nearly twenty years of confinement for a crime I can objectively prove I did not cormit (not that it matters), I have never been in a single fight. I have not been irvolved in drugs nor alcohol. I obey prison rules and pride nyself in my ability to get along well with both prisoners and staff. I have always gotten near-perfect job reviews and, in review of my programming, a case manager once wrote that I would be a benefit to my conmunity if released. So, you can imagine my bewilderment when faced with irregular segregation and subsequent retaliation.

The reason? My published writings. I was punished for a prison rule violation on the basis of the content of my pablished work beyond prison fences. Despite wellestablished U.S. Supreme Court case law that held that prison officials have no penological interest in my commuicated beliefs to people beyond prison fences, my claims were dismissed as frivolous (Swain v. Fullenkamp, et. al., U.S. District Court Case No. 3:09-cv-02659; Sixth Circuit Case Number 10-3755). That means that you can now punish me potentially for anything I write to anyone. You now control what I can relate to persons in a public form, and you can subject me to conditions that the U.S. govermment has called "torture," all without fear of reprisal.

Being a United States citizen is not what it used to be.
I would like to avoid punishment for expressing my social and political beliefs to family, friends, and publishers. I would prafer not to be dragged away and forced to die at super-max for a crime I can prove I did not commit (not that it matters). So, to avoid such consequences, I am requesting that we establish a process whereby I can submit all outgoing correspondence to my case manager, who will then forward everything to you or to your designee for your written approval, and upon receiving your approval, I will then mail out those approved writings. Those that are not approved, I will re-write and get published urder an alias name so that I vill not be punished for telling the truth again. That is the method that dissident miters used in Nazi Germany and under the Soviet regime.

I normally write a couple hurdred pages of material per week, so if we employ this process, you may need to hire someone whose sole job is to read my outgoing
correspondence. That seems rather burdensome, given the state's economic woes.
I hope we can get started right away. I have to write to my nom. She really worries, especially since I was subjected to treatinent that the United States called "torture," all because the content of my published work rubbed a prison eniployee the wrong way.

If you do not respond I will simply assurte that you do not want to review riy outgoing work and that you are conceding no penological interest in the content of my social and political beliess.

Thank you for your time and kind consideration of these matters, and I look forward to your response.

| Sincerely, |
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| $\bigcirc$, |
| Le |
| Sean Swein |
| Prison Reg. 2043-205 |
| MAYCI |
| P.O. Boz 788 |
| Mansfield, OH 44901 |

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## JPay, Sock Puppets and Our Reduction to Slavery

September 28, 2012
At the end of August, ManCI administrators posted a notice rethed to a change in money order transfer procedures to be implemented here at the prison. By the old procedure, anyone could send money orders to prisoners directly at the prison and those funds would be posted to the prisoner's account by the cashier's office. There aso existed electronic transfer options for a service fee, but money orders could be sent directly without any fee at all By the new procedure, only approved vistors may send finds to prisoners and rather than sending them to the prisoner directy, the finds are sent to JPay, a company in Holywood, Fbrida- the prescription-pill addiction capial of the world. With each transaction, approved visiorrs must send a copy of their photo identifcation and a portion of the moncy order they send is kept by JPay as a "service fee," otherwise known as a tax.

As I've already writen, all of this struck me as patenty dogal, as none of my vistors consented to having the private information hey turned over to the State for visiing purposes suddenly compied into a database and turned over to a company hiring an inordinate number of pill addicts who can upload information and selliz to identity pirates in order to support their pill habis.

Bewidered that the prison system would betray the trust of 750,000 prisoner-visitors, I sent kite communications to a number of ManCl administrators, asking specific questions about this money-transfer boondoggt. This is what I wrote:

## Sir or Madarn:

These are questions I need answered before I get back to my attomey:

1. When did my visitors consent to having JPay get access to their private information, which was given to the ODRC only for purposes of getting on my visting list?
2. What kind of electronic security does JPay have to make sure the sensitive information of 750,000 visitors isn't hacked for identity thett?
3. Since data catry employecs for JPay can access a databasc to confirm visitor status, what protocols prevent those workers from stealing the identities of 750,000 visitors who never consented to their information being accessed by JPay in the frast place?
4. What statute provides for a tax to be levied upon prisoner visitors when they transfer finds to prisoners?
5. When did the Ohio Assembly approve this tax?

My attomey would bke to arrange a conference call with the custodian of records to insure that my vistors' sensitive information is not transferred, transmitted, nor accessed by JPay or any other private company. Who should my attorney contact?
Thank you.
Note, I opened and closed the kites with references to legal counsel and made clear that my concern was to address the legalities and privacy concerns of my vistors. You would think prison administrators, as officials in the criminal justice process, would want to ensure the legalities of their procedures. Because their job is to instill a respect for the law in all of their wayward captives, they would certainly want to make sure their own conduct is well beyond reproach, right?

Well, no.
Ms. Wainwright is the Depury Warden of Special Services. Among her dutries, she's the supervisor of Ms. Allen, the Unit Management Administrator. Depury Warden Wainwright did not answer a single one of my questions. She wrote, "All the information we have re: JPay is posted by Ms. Allen She is sending all updates. Refer to those. This is a statewide initiative."

## That's all she said.

So, when did visitors consent to having private information handed over to pil-poppers in Florida? When did the legishature approve of this tax? What stops pill-poppers from selling my elderly parents' identities and trashing their credit? No idea.
sent an identical kite to Sharon Berry, the Institutional Inspector, the zeabous advocate who protects us captives from the abuses four captors. She didn't answer any of my questions. She referred me to Ms. Allen, the Unit Management Administrator.

Forturately, I had already sent an idenical kite to Ms. Allen. I received her kie back, stapled to the kite I had sent to the Deputy Warden of Operations. Their joint response was, "Please direct your questions to JPay for guidance." They answered none of my questions.

No shit. Ms. Allen really told me to direct my questions to JPay. Think of the implications: 'Mr. Swain you're ostersibly in the custody of the alleged State of Ohio, but our authority is now out-sourced to our corporate masters whose profi margins dictate government policies. They make the ruks. Please consuk the corporate dictators who give us our marching orders.'

That's pretty faxiking disturbing
How long is i before ODRC director Gary Mohr moves ODRC Central Office from Columbus, Ohio to Hollywood, Florida so he can be usefill to his corporate golf buddies, help them count their money between sniffing lines in the clubhouse, and maybe give them hand-jobs over drinks? How long before John Kasich joins him?

Like I said, pretty ficking disturbing I'm in the custody of corporations who have their hands up the asses of prison official, making them wak and talk lake they're real humans. Prison officiak are now sock-puppets on the hands of corporations.

The last of the kires I sent to Warden Terry Tibbak. He is, after all, in charge of the prison. At keast, by all appearances. Since he is the warden, you'd expect him to be concerned about the kegality of this new policy. You'd expect him to answer all of my questions. His answer? "Contact: Steven Young, Legal Counsel, 770 W Broad St., Cols. Ohio 43222."

I'm not making this up. I asked specific questions about the legality of this dubious proceedure that profits corporations at the expense of Ohioans and I got the John Gotti response from the warden: I have no comment; ask my attomey.

This too is quite revealing It lets us know that when these administrative sock puppets fail at union busting, they out-source Ohio jobs to corporate masters out-ofstate, whether i's legal or not, whether it violates the privacy rights of Ohio citizens or not, whether it leads to identicy theft of 750,000 Ohioans or not. It's all done without the consent of tax-payers, who end up footing the bil. Oh, yeah- when the lawsuits happen, JPay won't have to hire counsel. Oh, no. Steve Young, ODRC counsel, will head the dream-team for an out-ofstate corporation, at the expense of the very Ohioans whose jobs were down-sized so Gary hohr's coke-snorting golf friends could tum Ohio prisoners into a cash cow.

Yeah, I know. You probably think this is only about prisoners and how finds get to us, and nobody cares about prisoners. But it isn't. This is about a system-wide approach that Naomi Klein documented in her book The Shock Doctrine where government, reduced to sock puppets for the corporate elite, hollow out government and reduce the majority of us to slaves while those who control the "commanding heights" of the economy end up with all the cash. It's about our so-called "public" officials bending over so the weallhy elite can cram a fist in their asses, voluntarily becoming sock-puppets for the Enrons and Hallburtons and Banks of America and JPays and AccessSecurePaks and Global Tel*Links. You can't stop it by voting the bums out because the burns are just disposable gloves wom on the hands of our true enemies.

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BLAST! blog: A PROPOSAL
BLAST! blog would be a feature added to seanswair that would give visitors to the site the opportunity to (1) read summaries of fascists' misdeeds, (2) contrib information about those fascists, and (3) read what others have contributed. As an option, there mas al be a method for visitors to add someone to BLAS blog.

BLAST! blog - FORMAT
BLAST! blog would have a short introduction, explain. that the arrange parson victimized by the system has no real rechess and that prisoners have even lesa, so BLASTI blog is a way to present grievances directly to the public. Wish each person featured on BLAST! blog. a shot case is pesenteal, and anyone who knows information about the fascist is encouraged to adal that information on the message bocid-adoheas, phone number; makelmodel of vehicle, work location shopping habits, etc. Instructions for anonymous postings will be provideal.

DISCLAIMER. The disclaimer will state that the site is not promoting violence against the fascists whose crimes one presented etc.

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1 JUST GOT DONE WRITING "AN OPEN LEXER TO THE OHIO GENERAL ASSEMBLY" AND I FER GREAT AMOUNTS OF CATHARSIS IS I WROTE, BUT NOW THAT IT DON ZTT JUST FEeLS MEAN + HATEFUL. I kNOW I W TOTE "fAR POSTING + EMALLENG" ON, BuT I DONTT THINK YOU SHOULD DO ANYTRting with it. it Just gives you A SENSE OF HOW iT Seeing Rillet NOW. PLuS, THE OSHA + FBI CAN ReAd it ON ITS WAY OUT, REALIZE I'M RIGHT - TARES NO CRIME TO INVESTIGATE, and Titer Can get a clue and move on.

IF YOU POSTED. "AN OPEN LETTER" THAT WOULD BE HURTFUL, I DENT WANT THAT. IMM NOT REALLY THAT HATEFUL. BUT when YOU GE SUBJECTEA TO TORTURE fOR NO FUCKING REASON AND TIJEN face The POSSIBILITY OF DMING in Prison for bogus shit, it starts to wear on you.
i've been Titinking too. Tech me if in JUST PARANOID, BuT some of THOSE 12 MONKEY FLYERS WERE OFF OF A COMPUTER. MAYBE ALG. CANT YOU make A COMPUTER LOOK LIKE A TYPOWHITR? ANYHTOW- AKSO, THAT STUFF WAS IN every single BLock. There's no fucking way Prisoners CAN do thant NOT Now with 3B level Prisoners on lockdown. not possible. also, Hunsinber has known for 3 years live GOT tat is Tattoo. what's stopping HER from Going online PRINTING UP THe DESIGN FROM THE MOVIE PLACRA?
 ONe OFF THE INTERNET WOULD BE EXACRY Like MY TATIOD. I MIght be PARANOID - DO YOU THINK GARY MOHR WANTS ME SILENCED THAT BAD? HE MUST REALLY BR BEHOLDEN TO HS FLORIDA SPAY GOLF BUDDIES, WAYBE HE'D PUT HUNSINGAR UP TO SOMETITING LIKe TAHT? SHE SMUGgLES IN TOBACCO + HAS GUARDS GIVE IT TD HER SNITCHES, SO WHF NOT PRINT UP SOME MIHHEM To PUT ME OUT OF COMMISSION?

MY MOM + DAD TEU, Me TO STAY OUT OF TROUBLE AND I DO- BUT WHATS THK RewARD? IM STILL KICKED in THE HEAD.

LeT me know How THE COLORADO conference is.
HOPEFULCY I'LL Be OUT OF HPRE SOON. IT CANT T TAKR LONG DO figure OUT MY TYPEWriter DIDNTT TYPE THAT MAIANESS.

Tell everegove Hello.
HOPE to TACK To yOU ON THE PHONR SOON... EU
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P.S.: HOPE yOU GET THIS BEfoRE CARISTMAS... ©O

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an open letter to the ohio general assembly

- For posting -
- For emailing everyurfire -

Dear senators + representatives,
AND EVERYONE ELSE WHO ASSUMES THERIGHT TORULE (AND DOES IT POORLY),

I HOPE ALL OF YOU HAVE SOMEONE WHO gIVES enough of a damn AbOUT You to E-MAIL This to you because I suspect you are Running out of Time. DON'T Panic. OK LAY, PANIC.

HERES THE DRILL. I'M IN SEgREGATION AT MANS PiED CORRECTIONAL, Being investigated by the ohio state highway Patrol and tat fbi. IT WOULD SEEM THAT THE ARMY OF THE 12 MONKEYS SENT LEMURS TO SOME OF YOU, CLAIMING THE INTERNET ORGANIZATION ACNONYNIOUS RETRIEVED YOUR PERSONAL infirmatron and planned to release IT ON THE INTERNET. ALL OF YOUR HOME Addresses + PHONE \#S.

COPIES OF THAT LETTR WRRE FLOATING AROUND THIS PrISON ALONg wITH TRAINING MANUALS for reSISTANCE AND ALL KIÑAS OF COOL Advertising. Anyway, I Just Received WHAT SEEMS TO RE A TRANSCRIPTION OF THAT LETIAR. THE ONLY
3 WAY for YOU TO AVOID RELEASE OF YOUR HOME INFORIATION, IF YOU WANTED TO AVOID IT, wOULD BE fOR YOU TO Quickly AdOPT TLE ARMY OF THE 12 MONKEYS' LEGISLATIVE AGENDA. FIVE THINGS: (1) ABOLLSH The DeATH PenalTy, (2) ABOLISH THE PAROLE BOARD,
(3) GET RID OF DAMS SIX FEET HIGH OR LESS, (4) BAN FRACKING, AND (5) OUTLAN THE WORD "INdIANS" FOR TEAM MASCOTS.

CRAZY THING IS, THE OHIO STATE HIGHWAY PATROL HAS KNOWN ABOUT THIS FOR A LONg TIME AND THEY KNON YON FACE A Quick deadline, AND THEC didn'T BOATAR TO TEL YOU SO YOU COULD Decide whether to Adopt that agenda or not. IF ANONYMOUS RELEASES YOUR HOME INFORMATION ONTO THE WEB, I'D BE PRETTY MAD IF I WERE YOU. IT WOULD ALMOST SEEM that the ohio state highway patrol wants terrible things
TO HAPPEN TO YOU AND YOUR FAMILIES. ASK LT. CHAPMAN. 3 I GUESS THE FRATERNAL ORDER OF POLICE STILL HORSA GRUDGE ABOUT THAT UNION-BUSTING BILL YON PASSED A WHILE BACK, BLOCKED LAST NOEMBER BY A BALLOT INITIATIVE. I DINT BLAME THEM.

I refer you to thee case of jay. JPay is a FLORIDA FIRM RUN BY ODRC DIRECTOR GARY MOHR'S gOLF Buddies. they now have exclusive monopoly over
3 FOOCESSING MONEY ORDERS SENT frOM PRISONORS' VISITORS. BUT HERES THE THING: MY VISITORS - MY MOM AND DAD, my family and friends - SENT their information (PHONE \#, ADDRESS, ETC.) TO THE STATE OF OHO SO MY VISITORS COULD BE APPROVED TO VISIT ME. NONE OF them ever gave the state permission to share their private information with Jay. But, no mater. WITHOUT THEA CONSENT OR APPROVAL, UPWARDS OF 750,000 PEOPLE ON OHIO PISONORS' VISITING LISTS FOUND THEIR PERSONAL INFORMATION TRANSFERRED INTO THE CUSTODY OF SPAY IN HOLLYWOOD. FLORIDATHE FILL-POPpING capital of TAte world. Three quarter OF A MILLION LAN-ABIDING CITIZENS WERE BETRAYED bY the odrc. the state obtained their personal information fOr one purpose, then bundled it, and landed it over to a for-profit company.

IS ANMTHING STOPPIN6 JPAY EMPLOYEeS from selling my elderly parents identities to IDENTITY PIRATES? I'DONT kNOW. AND YOU DONIT EITHER.
so, before the state transferred my loven-ones. private information into the hands of florida PILL-POPPERS WITHOUT MY LOVED-ONES' PERMISSION OR CONSENT (AND DESPITE THEIR VOCH PROTESTS), I Wrote to the corrections institution inspection COMMITTEE. THAT'S A COMMITTEE OF THE OHIO
3 GENERAL ASSEMBLY.
YEAH. YOU 6445.

SENATOR SHIRLEY SMITH IS CHAIR OF THE C.I.I.C. SENATOR CLIFF HITE IS VICE-CNAR. SENATOR EDNA Brown is secretary. members include senator larry obhof,
3 Representative peter beck, Representative nancy garland, and representative robert hacker.

YOU GUYS WROTE ME BACK ON O2 OCT 12. THE LETRZR will be posted at seanswain. org. it's signed by Jamie HOOKS, CORRECTIONS ANALYST I.

IN SHORT, YOU TOLA ME IT'S OKAY fOR THE STATE to take my parents' personal information and give IT TO STRANGERS WITItOT THEIR CONSENT. AGAINST THEIR CONSENT. THERE'S NOTHING WRON 6 WITH THAT.

SO, YOU SEE, IF ANONYMOUS DUMPS YOUR PERSONAL information on the web, then you will be in the same position you put my loved ones in. Vol'll have strangers getting access to your personal information without your consent too.
but that's okay. you said so. you said it was OKAY WHEN YOU DID THE SAME THING TO MY LOVES-ONES, TO 750,000 VISITORS ON OHIO PRISONERS' VISITIN 6 Lists.

SO I'M BACK TO MY QUESTION: WHAT EXACKY AM I BEING INVESTIGATED fOR? FOR DDIN 6 THE SAME Thing to you that you did to everyone I love?

I HOPE ANONUMOUS DDES HAVE YOUR information. I - HOPE THEY DUMP IT ON NOVEMBER, IN HONOR OF 644 FAWKES.

REMEMBER, REMEMBBRTHE FIFTH OF NOVEMBER.
I DON'T FEEL SORRY FOR ANY OF YOU SCUMBAGS.

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FREEDOM,
ASIN, A WORLD WITHout YOU
Running it,
Sean Slain

In the county of Franklin) ):SS
In the State of Ohio )

I, Ben Turk, being duly sworn according to law, depose to state:

1. My name is Ben Turk, named as the receiver of mail from Sean Swain in the Conduct Report issued against him.
2. Exhibit G is a true and accurate copy of the posted version of Sean's article criticizing JPay policy. The version posted on-line never included the language that is referenced in the Conduct Report from Sean's original draft.
3. Exhibit H is a true and accurate copy of Sean's letter to me.
4. Exhibit I is a true and accurate copy of Sean's "Open Letter to the Ohio General Assembly," which he mailed to me. I received it in the mail. I am unaware of any criminal act that this mailing constitutes. Consistent with Sean's wishes, this letter was never posted on line.

AFFIANT FURTHER SAYETH NAUGHT.
Ben Turk
379 Chittenden Ave
Columbus Ohio 43201

Sworn and subscribed before me, a notary public, this $\qquad$ day of $\qquad$ 2013.

## NOTARY PUBLIC

# Conduct Report 

| Narne: SWAIN, SEAN |  | Number: A243205 | Lock: 5/SM3/2070/A |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Date/Offense: 09/19/2012 | Time/Offense: 05:00 PM | Location: |  |
| Rule(s) Violated: $\quad 17,15.56$ |  |  |  |
| Engaging in unauthorized group activities as set forth in paragraph (B) of rule $5120-9-37$ of the Administrative Code: Rioting or encouraging orhers to riat; Use of telephone or mall in furtherance of any criminal activily |  |  |  |

## Supporting Facts (Describe what occurred and how the inmate violated the rule[s]):

Beginning in September 2012 MANCI staff beyan reporting unauthorized tlyers being posted in pods, and lying in large piles for inmates to pick up for review. After conducting an investigation it was determined that the inmates responsible for these pampliets that were distributed as "resistance unanuals "to all inmates and other institutions ueross the state. The pamphlet inciles other inmates to unite against prison administration stating a "joyous class war is coming, if you are a prisoner consider this an invitation. If you are a Warden consider this a threat." The pamphlet instructs inmates to bring the prison system to the brink by:
1-run electrical appliances and flush sink water all day
2 -get all prisoners to flush toilets at the same time breaking water mains
3 -break machines in the kitchen and OPI

- 4 pour salt water in staff computers

5 -cut phone and computer lines with razor blades
(1-put gum, paperclips and staples in door locks
7-Demand all food, clothes and medical/dental you are entitled to
8 -get gang members to unite against our common enemy
9 -steal, sabotage, organize, strike, resist
The pamphlets inform prison administrators that control of the prisons will soon be lost and it will not be regained as administration is cumumbered 20 to 1 and face 50,000 warriors who are now organized as the 12 Monkeys.
(Use Conduct Report Supplement sheet, if needed)
As the Charging Official, do you wish to have input into the disciplinary proceedings? F Yes IV No

| Printed Name: | hunsingeram | Signalure: $\qquad$ |  |
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| Shift: |  | Days Off: | Date: |
|  | 8-4 | 5\&8 | 10/17/2012 |

A copy of this conduct report was
served upon the above-named inmate on;
October, 19 $\qquad$ , at 12:39 PM.


I acknowledge receipt of the conduct report on the above stated date and time:


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## Conduct Report Supplement

| Institution: | MANCI |  | MANC1-12-007219 |
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| Name: | SWAIN, SEAN | Number: | A243205 |

A On 9/19/12 three immates, Dillon 416-607, Swain, 243-205, and Dzelajilija 530-144 were identified as being the * crealors of the 12 Monkey resistance organization. As a result their cells were searched and the following evidence was found:

Found in possession of Swain 243-205 was anarchist articles he authored that had wording and ideologies that matched the 12 Monkey resistance movement. Swain was in the process of sending these articles to Redbird Prison Abolition to be published on his website. In the article he calls for militant tactics to be implemented and states the state should make JPay profiteers pay by opening packages and lose fingers, feel bullets bouncing in their brain pan, vehicles exploding, and businesses going up in flames. Swain closes the article by stating, "We have to burn the JPays to the ground." Swain's tattoos were also reviewed and captured as evidence


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in which he had the 12 Monkey logo tattooed on his leg which is identical to the 12 Monkey logo this group was pulting on their "resistance manuals" they were mass distributing in the institution. Found in possession of inmate Dillon 416-607 were the original documents used to make mass copies of the 12 Monkey resistance pamphlets found throughout the institution. In addition inmate Dillon was in the process of creating 12 Monkeys newsletter titled "Guerilla 33 ". The introduction of this manual gives a description of its purpose stating, "The Guerrilla manual is directed at individual prisoners who want to be free and inspire others by working in small groups called "guerrilla columns." This manual tcaches you organizing, strategy, and tactics." "This manual trains you how to take power away from the Warden and the Director, but it also applies to taking power from the Mayor, and polices, courts, prosecutors, Governor, and law makers. Within the newskener were sinall articles


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| Name: | SWAIN, SEAN | Number: | A243205 | Dzelajilija 530-144. This article calls for everyone to rise against authority, shake the walls and break the bonds of Also found in possession of inmate Dzelajilija 530-144 was a photo copied book tilled Eirico Malatestal His Life \& Ideas. Malatesta was an Italian anarchist that was imprisoned for 19 years before ultimately working with 30 others Through the course of the investigation U.S. mail was screened in accordance with AR 5120-9-18. From $10 / 2 / 12$ ti resistance movement to recruit and lead warfare on the ODRC as well

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violent acts toward SPay and targeted Ohio citizens.
On 10/10/12 and 10/16/12 inmate Dillon 416 - 607 outgoing mail was opened. Inside the envelope on 10/10/12 was press release he was sending to his mother to send out to 14 media organizations. The news release identifies themselves as an anarchist revolutionary group created to aid abused prisoners and bring resistance to ODRC. The and news release from Dillon states the FBI and OSHP are investigating Mansfield Prisoner, Sean Swain in an allege link to the internet hacker group "Anonymous". On 10/16/12 Dillon sent out in the U.S. mail another news release. ! this news release Dillon identifies himself as Monkey $\# 9$ and states that resistance manuals have been copied and delivered to prisoners at every Ohio prison with the intent to inspire prisoners to resist the invalid hierarchy and mut million dollar system ceasing its operation. Dillon states the state of Ohio started the war. the Army of the 12 Monkeys will finish it

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58 On 10/16/12 an outgoing letter from Dzelaglija 530-144 was opened in accordance with AR 5120-9-18. Inside the envelope addressed to Ben Turk, RedBird, Columbüs, OHinmate Swain 243-205 wrote a letter addressed to Senators.

60 Representatives and the Ohio General Assembly. Inmate Swain informs them that he is at Mansfield Correctional
61 Institution being investigated by the OSIIP and the FBI. He speaks about the Anny of 12 Monkeys sending letters to
62 some of you claiming the internet organization "Anonymous" retriuved your personal information and planned to 63 release it on the internet. The letters tells them that if they want to avoid relcase of your home information they

64 should quickly adopt the Ammy of the 12 Monkey's legislative agenda: 1-abolish the death penally 2-abolish the parole
65 board 3-get rid of dams six \{eet high or less 4-ban fracking 5-outlaw the word "indians" for tcam mascots. Inmate
66 Swain goes on about the OSHP and the fact that he may or may not have wrote this letter


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| Name: | SWAIN, SEAN | Number: | November 5, 2012 in honor of Guy Fawkes, and then states, "I don't feel sorry for any of you scumbags" and signs 74 3

not have wrote this letter and how he was simply inforning as a "messenger" of Anonymous groups intentions to release their personal information. Swain then infomstrem that according to the letter, Anonymous will release your personal information to the world. Strangers will have your information without your consent. Certainly, someone might bum your house down. Maybe, or, perhaps, you'll get holiday cards from people you never met. Who knows'? There may be detriment or bencifits...or both. Swain writes abou his dislike on JPAY and the exclusive monopoly they now have over the money orders inmates receive. In the end of the letter Swain informs them the deadline is on it "Scan Swain".


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75 The results of this investigation have deternined that immate Swain 243-205, Dzelaglija 530-144, and Dillon 416-607
76 have conspired together as a group in an attemptate recruit and lead incarcerated inmates to resist prison
77 administration and rules by incorporating violence and property damage. This is a direct violation of AR 5120-9-37
78 paragraph B section 1 forming, organizing, promoting, encouraging, recruiting for or participating in an unauthorized
79 group. Section 2-Possessing crenting, reproducing using or circulating etc. any material related to an unauthorized 80 group. Section 3-Communicating support of, association with, or involvement in any unauthorized group. The form

B/ of communication may be verbal, through codes. jargon, non-verbal, symbols, displays, drawings, graffiti, distinctive
82 clothing, hairstyles, colors, ornaments etc. Section 4-Participating in criminal activities, or disruptive activities such as disturbances, riots, fostering racial or religious hatred, or union


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Sy activities, and Section 5 -violating institutional rules or directives or state or federal laws.
85 Rule 15 -Rioting or encouraging others to riot
86 Rule 56 -Use of telephone or mail in furtherance of any criminal activity.
87 All evidence regarding this investigation can be reviewed by RIB in the Investigators office.
$\square$

## Disposition of the Rules Infraction Board

| Insttution: | MANCI | RiB Case Number: | MANCI-12-007219 |
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| Inmate Name: | SWAIN, SEAN | Number: | A243205 |
| Date of Hearing: | $10 / 24 / 2012$ | Tme: | 12:12 PM |

Inmate Plea:

| $\Gamma$ GUILTY | Rule: |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\Gamma$ |  |
| $\Gamma$ NOT GUILTY | Rule: 17 |

$\qquad$ Rule: $\qquad$
$\qquad$
State the facts that explain the board's decision:
Rule: 15
Rule: 56
Rule: $\qquad$ Rule: $\qquad$ Rule: $\qquad$

Inmate did participate in and encourage participation in unauthorized group activities and encourage others to Riot and did use the mail to further criminal activity.

Particular evidence or statements relied on:
CR and investigation

| Did the inmate offer any defense? | $\Gamma$ Yes | $\Gamma$ No |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Did the Board believe the inmate's defense? | $\Gamma$ Yes | No $\quad$ Why? |

$\qquad$

| Did the board rely on any confidential statement(s) | $\Gamma$ Yes | $\nabla$ No |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Did the board determine the informant(s) to be credible? | $\Gamma$ Yes | $\Gamma$ No |

Decision: Based on the above stated facts the Board believes that:


Identify the disposition imposed and the reasons for the action taken:
GR 1517 \& 56, 15 D DC CTS SC in 10/24 out $11 / 7$ rec LC \& SLR. This inmate's actions pose a threat to the safety and security of the institution.

LC Referral?
$\Gamma$ Yes $\Gamma$ No
$\Gamma$ Yes $\Gamma$ No

Appeal form given to inmate?

| Signature RIB Chairpersonicherser | Date: |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |

Notice To Inmate: You may appeal this decision to the Warden.
The appeal must be submitted using the provided form DRC4027, within 15 days of receiving this disposition.

## Acknowledgement of Receipt:

| Inmate Signature: | Date: | Time: |
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## Warden's Decision On Appeal

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| Inmate Name: $\quad$ SWAIN, SEAN | Number: $\quad$ A243205 |

On October 23 2012 , the Rules Infraction Board determined that the above named inmate
had violated the following rule(s) $\qquad$
$\sqrt{V}$ Inmate Appealed this-decision and appeai was received in this office on $\qquad$ 10 1251 2012

I have reviewed the matters raised in the inmate's appeal, the record generated in the Rules Infraction Board proceeding, and the disposition of the Rules Infraction Board. I have determined that the board's decision should be:
$\nabla$ Affirmed $\Gamma$ Modified $\Gamma$ Returned $\Gamma$ Reversed

The evidence does support the charges. Inmate Swain 243-205 did participate and encourage others to engage in activities that would disrupt the operation and security of the institution. There were no procedural errors and the penalty is authorized.


Is this decision subject to further review pursuant to $5120-9-08(0) ? \quad \Gamma$ Yes $\Gamma$ No If yes, does the inmate request review of this decision by the Director? The inmate must complete the following:
$\Gamma$ I WAIVE further review of this decision
F I request REVIEW of this decision by the Director.
Notice: The Warden's designee will send the entire case record to the Director's designet (Legal Services) for a review. You may send the duplicate original of this form to Lega

December 04, 2012

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MANCI
RIB Case \#: MANCI-12-007219
Dear Inmate SWAIN:
Pursuant to your request this office reviewed above referenced decision of the Rules Infraction Board as Director's designee.

A careful review of the procedural records was conducted. Please be advised that:

1) You were validly charged with the proper rule infraction;
2) There was substantial compliance with all applicable policies, rules and procedures;
3) There was sufficient evidence in the record to support the decision;
4) The penalty assessed was authorized and proportionate to the offense.

Therefore, decision is affirmed.
Sincerely,


Gary C. Mohr
Director
Cc: Warden
RIB File

December 05, 2012

SEAN SWAIN
A243205
MANCI
RJB Case \#: MANCI-12-007219
Dear Inmate SWAIN:
I received your notice of appeal requesting a review of the decision of the Warden, which was the result of a Local Control hearing held on 11/05/2012.

A review of your placement was conducted by the legal staff. It was determined that there was some evidence to support the conclusion of the Warden that your placement is consistent with the criteria in Paragraphs (B) (1) or (B) (2) of 5120-9-131 of the Administrative Code. In addition, the procedures required by that rule have been provided in this case.

Pursuant to 5120-9-131 (G), it is my decision that the decision of the Warden to place you in Local Control must be AFFIRMED.

Sincerely,

Gary C. Mohr
Director

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In the Stake of Ohio) lis
I, Leslie Ray Dillon, being dully severn according to lacy, here depose to state:

1) 1 am ont sou d mind and I have direct knowledge of the matters contained in this document. $\qquad$
2) On 19 september 2012 I 1 as housed in a 30 level poi in init 1 at mansfield Torrectional, my cell was searched by Secori: Threat Grope officers, Letters and ether paper work cone taken from m, Cell. The following day $z$ was placed in segregation under invest: iq.atren, The next clay z learned that the cells of Sean Swain an Tames Drelauliúa were also searched.
3) On 27 September 2012 , Loaitenant R.S, Chapmen ans Si Benard of the Ohio State Nigh way Patrol interviewed me, Lt. Chapman indicated he was investigating bomb threats against ch l Government ortrials issued by the Army of the 12 Monkeys, I Knew nothing of such threats but reared $x$ would be blamed if $\geq$ admitea that 1 was a member $x$ the Any. of the 12 Monkeys, so 7 den red my member shine.
4) By 12 october 2012 , I Know Pram speak fog with collection state that the letters mentioned by the O.S. H. Pr were not bum threats, that no bomb threats had never been made, as the letters being, investigated were not serious and correction start had toll me as much and finding out that mo r sain and mar. Dr elaúlida were also bering investigated as members at the Any of the 12 Monkeys, I spent the weekend whiting my third press retieare since being placed in segre and admitted to being "Monkey \#9, Army af the 12 Monkeys."."
5) Sean Swain is not a member of the Army of the 12 monKeys I Know this because, as. monkey \#a, 7 am the only member et the Ar of the ii Monkeys at Mansfield correctional Institution. And as such,
have not recruited nor triad to recruit any menbers,induding Sean. Swain.
6). James Dzelailiva is not a member at the tiny of the $R$ niakkeys! I know this because, as monkey\# $9, I$ am the only member of the Army of the 12 monkeys at monspleld correctional Instrtutren, And as such, $z$. have not recruited nor tried to recruit any members, including, Tames Deelavilicia.
6) Both Swain and In elavilion were in 3 A level housing on the opposite side of the compound from me, I did not personally Know ether of them, though because at my prior jobs at $\operatorname{man} C I, \geq$ had deccassion to Know who both if them are, In fore andy half $\left(5^{\prime} / 2\right)$ years at Man CI I I may have had brief conversations with each of them prior to this ihliestigatrone But $z$ did not try to recruit, them.
7) I did not know until 1 received my conduct report on 23 october 2012 that swain had a 12 Monkeys tattoo from the 1990 s film staring Brad Pitt and Bruce Willis. When 1 asked Swain he told me he had the tattoo for several years and also has a burn scar on his right hand that matches the scar on Brad PSH's hand in the movie "Fight club"1. Having had the opportunity to see swain's tattoo, I know it is ditterent from the logo on the 12 monkey material, as he changed the time on the clock.
8) Members at the Amy of the 12 monkeys are told nat to tattoo the logo on to their bodies. Members are nat to identify themselves as a member. This adorissron is only permitted because $z$ have already been identified.
9) After the death of 2 PaC Shakur, thirteen (13) "Ma aupli" alturns were released. One of them features a song called "Everyone. Rise". I remember this sony because 7 am a 2 Pac fan, On or abut 18 september 2012, 1 met someone on the north recreation yard who had the lyrics

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- II On 23 october 2012 , when $z$ read my conduct report, $z$ fo at that Develacliva had a handwritten copy of those llyricsiz my understanding that Dreladliva cooled the lyres but changed of the aterds, because he is a rapper and intended to use the song.-

12) I have made several attempts to explain to Man (I admins: that Sean S wain and Tames Dzelailici a are not involved with th Army of the 12 monkeys, $\overline{\text { i }}$ have sent Kite communications to we Tibbals, Major Hare, invervgator Hensingec, and the chain of the Rules and zutractrons Board with no responcece: Peelailliva is facir placemen x in max security (4 status) andes stain is facing placemen Lin super max securcty (5B stands) for participation in a gray that $x$

13) On 3 December 2012, z was approached by a man 1 state member when $z$ did not recognize te did ot give me his name, a told that it I implicated Swain as the leader of the Amy of the 12 Monkeys, inverkigatar tunsinges would act my R.I. b, conviction a turned, $x$ refused to do that, and that evening a Security Threat Group artificer searched and destroyed my coll, The next day, Director, Gary note axirmed my R1I, B, sanction.
14) Farmer Ohio Attorney lieneral Tim Retro, in his bock False aves, writes:" "MaTt 2: Jour system almost never convicts an innocent pe Ron tue, PHD, claimes , stol 150 error rate nationwide, that's taboo 500 people in Ohio." This is also the regarding the prison system disepplnary process
15) I make this statement without coercion or promise, I am Sound mind. $\alpha$ fear retaliation from Man CI staff for undermining them, but 1 cannot. Kep silent while two (2) innocent men got attack. and have their lives ruined

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mans Bleld, chro 44901
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NOTEO: This document uas oriqinally whitlen on Doce mber 26,2012.

BLAST! blog: A PROPOSAL
BLAST! blog would be a feat tue added to seanswair that would give visitors to the site the opportunity to (1) read summaries of fascists misdeeds, (2) contrib information about those fascists, and (3 )read what others have contributed. As an option, there man al be a method for visitors to add someone to BLAS blog.

BLAST! blog - FORMAT
BLAST! blog would have a short introduction, explain. that the average person victimized by the system hos no real redress anal that prisoners have even lesa, so BLAST! blog is a way to present grievances directly to the public. Writheach person Seatuied on BLAST! blog a shot case is pesenteal, and anyone who knows information about the fascist is encouraged to ald that information on the message boad-adoheas, phone number, makelmodel of vehicle, work location shopping habits, etc. Instructions for anonymous postings will be provided.

DISCLAIMER. The disclaimer will state that the site is not promoting violence against the fascists whose crimes one presented, etc.
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Deon M. Clark:
28 MR R 13
Since our conversation yesterday;, where you indicate that the Free Speech persecution I have endened will be dismisseal and that you intend to begin a new round of persecution based on (i) my conesponclun (again, fer speech), and (2) what other limatics may or may not have said about me for whatever motives; I have written a letter to Ben Turk I have directed him to send you a copy.

In it, I relate:

1. That people should ONLY cocenterfeit Canadian money in the ViS. because that's not a crime.
2. Us' poor people should volunteer au kids to die so the kids of the rich and preserfal can live.
3. My counsel should inquire with the clans of the House and Senate to discover why they sent horne addresses to me.
4. BIAST! Blog shouldnit be addeal to seanswai.

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S. Everyone in the would should lore + abet their rules.
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1 think that corves all of the concerns you raiseal yesterday in the bizarre
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- Sending a write-up on this with specif to Jeff. -

Consider: Solidarity potential: Adding the Uss attorney conducting the grand jun in ti Pacific NW; or the snitch in the Clevelar. Case; or other enemies of the people who deserve to be added. This make the site e useful tool for allies + for forging deepen bonds with other.]

# Ohio <br> Depariment of Rehabilitation \& Correction 

John R. Kasich, Governor
Gary C. Mohr, Director

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\text { April 30, } 2013
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Robert J. Fitrakis, Esq.
FITRAKIS \& Gadell-Newton, L.L.C.
1021 East Broad Street
Columbus, Ohio 43205

## VIA FACSIMIIL ONLY

> Re: . Swain, Sean - A243-205

## Dear Mr. Fitrakis:

You and I have had multiple telephone conversations in response to your correspondence to the Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Correction (ODRC) dated March 5, 2013 regarding the above-referenced inmate. During our most recent conversation on April 24, 2013, I advised that the previous disciplinary and classification hearings for Inmate Swain were being reversed. Those charges have since been overturned.

A new ticket has been written and new disciplinary procedures will be commenced to address behavior as opposed to beliefs and ideals. I am aware from your correspondence what your concerns were in the previous disciplinary process, and I believe you will see that those have been addressed.

At your request, I have enclosed a copy of Inmate Swain's new ticket as well as another recent ticket for threats contained in correspondence to staff. I can appreciate you being concerned about infringement on an individual's rights to free speech; however, as I have attempted to unsuccessfully explain to Inmate Swain, the right is not an unlimited right. The types of violence and intimidation that are advocated for in his writings fall clearly within legal exceptions to that right. ODRC will not tolerate threats, harassment and attenpts at intimidation. Proper conduct reports and sound disciplinary procedures will be followed in response to such actions.

Inmate Swain's disciplinary and classification hearings will be completed forthwith. Should you have any questions as to this correspondence or the disciplinary materials enclosed, please contact me directly.


Cc: Terry Tibbals, Warden, Mansfield Correctional Institution Rob Jeffreys, Chief, Bureau of Classification and Reception

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## DECISION OF THE DIRECTOR ON DISCIPLINARY APPEAL

| Inmate Name and Number | SEAN SWAIN, A243205 |
| :--- | :--- |
| RIB Case Number | MANCI-12-007219 |
| Location of Rules Infraction Board | MANCI |
| Date of Hearing | $10 / 19 / 2012$ |
| Charges Before the Board | $17,15,56$ |
| Decision of the RIB | guilty 15,17,56 |
| Decision of Warden on Appeal | guilty 15,17,56 |
| Decision of Director | Reverse without bar |
| Date of Decision | $04 / 24 / 2013$ |

Inmate SWAIN has appealed the decision and/or disposition imposed by the above referenced rules infraction board. Upon the review the following error was found:

1. $\Gamma$ Legal staff was unable to retrieve all of the disciplinary records necessary to evaluate the merits of the inmate's appeal.
2. $\Gamma$ The rules infraction board has found the inmate guilty of the following rule violations: based on a single act/the same behavior. There must be a separate act or behavior to support each rule violation.
3. $\Gamma$. The inmate did not waive the 24 hour period between service of the conduct report and appearance before the rules infraction board. The hearing was held prior to the expiration of 24 hours.
4. Г. The inmate's written request for a relevant witness was unreasonably denied. The absence of the witness prejudiced the inmate's defense.
5. $\Gamma$. The inmate made a written request for the charging official to testify at the hearing. The charging official did not appear.
6. $\Gamma$. The rules infraction board based its decision on confidential information. The board is required to evaluate and document the credibility of the confidential information before reaching a decision. The case file does

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7. F. Insufficient evidence was presented to the board to support guilty findings for the following rule violations:
8. The disposition imposed by the board was inappropriate or unauthorized.
9. $\bar{r}:$ Other: Overturned by Legal for reissue and rehear of new tickets.

## DECISION:

## Fi REVERSED AND REMANDED WITHOUT BAR TO FURTHER PROCEEDINGS. (A charge reversed without bar may be reheard.)

I.: REVERSED WITH BAR TO FURTHER PROCEEDINGS. (If a charge reversed with bar, the finding of guilt for the reversed charge will be expunged from all relevant documentation, including any security instrument negatively affected by the charge)
r. AFFIRMED IN PART $\Gamma$ REVERSED IN PART
$\Gamma$ With $\Gamma$ Without BAR TO FURTHER PROCEEDINGS.

「:. RETURNED FOR RECONSIDERATION OF THE DISPOSITION.
Г. 1 THE DISPOSITION IS MODIFIED AS FOLLOWS:

## April 24, 2013

 Date

Director, or designee

# Local Control Placement Review Hearing 

| Institution: |  | Lock Assignment: ${ }_{\text {5/SM1/1039/A }}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Inmate Name: SWAIN, SEAN | Number: <br> A243205 | LC Placement Hearing Date: 04/23/2013 |
| Official Making Referral: $\qquad$ | Date of Significant Rule Violation: 09/19/2012 | RIB Case Number: MANC1-12-007219 |
| Prior L.C. Placements? $\Gamma$ Yes $\Gamma$ No $\rightarrow$ Date(s): |  |  |

$\Gamma$ Placement Hearing or $\sqrt{V}$ Monthly Reviẹw

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\Gamma 30 \text { Day } \Gamma 60 \text { Day } \Gamma 90 \text { Day ' } \Gamma 120 \text { Day } \Gamma 150 \text { Day } \Gamma: 180 \text { Day }
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Summary of the Inmate's Statement:
NO COMMENT

## Recommendation:

$\Gamma$ Return to General Population
$\Gamma$ Place/Retain in Local Control - Inmate has demonstrated a chronic inability to adjust to the General Population.
$\Gamma$ Place/Retain in Local Control - Inmate's presence in the general population is likely to seriously disrupt the orderly operation of the institution.
$\Gamma$ Refer for security supervision review and/or
$\Gamma$ Refer to Bureau of Classification for other appropriate placement.
F Other: RELEASE FROM LC TO SC PENDING TRANSFER

Reason for the Recommendation:
RECOMMEND RELEASE FROM LC TO SC PENDING TRANSFER /THIS CASE CLOSED AND REFER TO CASE MANCI MANCI-13-002907 A REHEAR AND LC SUSPENDED INRE WRITTEN CASE.

## 「 Inmate has been advised of right to file an appeal to the Director or his designee within 15 calendar days of receipt of the Warden's written notice of placement.



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22 website for the Army of the 12 Monkeys which would include: instructions on posting prison information for 23 purposes of escape or attack; instructions on posting staff information (pictures, social security numbers, home 24 addresses, phone numbers, vehicle make, bank accounts); instructions on posting the Army of the 12 Monkeys 25 resistance manuals with instructions on how to disguise them to get them into the institutions. Inmate Dzelajlija then 26 provides in the letter the internet address links to the Army of the 12 Monkeys manuals. He also provides the 27 recipient of the letter with letterhead of the Cuyahoga County Public Defender with instructions to send an Army of 28 the 12 Monkeys manual to him disguised with the included letterhead. Inmate Dzelajijija's letter also implicates other Army of the 12 Monkeys members in his correspondence by indicating that Inmate Swain (A243-205) is "NOT"

30 down for the creation of the detailed website which contains the disruptive and threatening

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31 information above. Again, it is clear from the body of the letter that Inmate Dzelajlija's use of the word "NOT" is
32 poor attempt at veiling the intent of the letter.
33 Similar to Inmate Dzelajlia's correspondence, multiple pieces of correspondence from Inmate Swain provide others 34 on the outside with the internet links to the Army of the 12 Monkeys resistance manuals. He also advocates and conspires with others in the public to create on his website a "Blast Blog" which allegedly will contain personal 36 information of DRC staff members for the purpose of harassing, threatening and intimidating staff members.

37 Furthermore, Swain has written correspondence touting that the Army of the 12 Monkeys resistance manuals are 38 posted on his website (www.seanswain.org) and has additional correspondence where he recommends selling 12 39 Monkeys T-Shirts. Additionally, Swain was sent coded correspondence from Inmate Marshall (A461-448, self 40 admitted Monkey \#10), in which Marshall identifies himself as


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Monkey \#10 and indicates "Monkey Down" shortly after Marshall was sent to segregation for suspected involvement. When asked about the letter, Swain indicated that he had no idea why Marshall would have sent him a coded message about the Army of the 12 Monkeys.

Inmate Swain was advised that the prior conduct report against him for this conduct was being overturned due to its heavy focus on Inmate Swain's beliefs and possession of anarchist literature as opposed to his actual conduct. He was advised that, despite his disagreement with the administration, advocating property damage and potential violence is not protected speech. Inmate Swain is convinced (and has told countless individuals) that his involvement in this investigation has to with his criticism of departmental policies and contracts. Inmate Swain was again advised that he was entitled to his beliefs and writings so long as they did not advocate violence, but unfortunately the Army of the 12 Monkeys calls for resistance

## Signature of Reporting Officer: Ah fousing

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51 and riot coupled with his requests for "Blast Blogs" and dissemination of personal staff information for purposes of 72 harassing, threatening or intinidating crossed over perminisstble free speech lines.

53 It is clear from the correspondence of Inmates Dillon, Dzelajlija and Swain that Inmate Swain participated in the Swain also infer that Swain was involved in this unauthorized group. Inmate Swain is in violation of 5120-9-37, Unauthorized Group Activitics which is set forth as inmate rule of conduct 17. (A) No inmate shall be permitted to become an active member in any group within an institution until that group has been approved pursuant to this rule. purpose; acting in concert on an ongoing or recurrent basis; having a

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61 highly organized or loosely structured internal organization; recognizing themselves as a distinct group) which serves to distinguish that association from other inmates or groups, and;
(2) Has not been approved by the department pursuant to this rule or any departmental directive.
$6 y$ (B) An inmate shall not knowingly or intentionally engage in, whether individually or in concert with others:
65 (1) Forming, organizing, promoting, encouraging, recruiting for, or participating in, etc., an unauthorized group;
(2) Possessing, creating, reproducing, using or circulating, etc., any material related to an unauthorized group; hand signs, symbols, displays, drawings, graffiti, distinctive clothing, hairstyles, colors, ornaments, etc.;
(4) Participating in criminal activities

## Signature of Reporting Officer: h thensing

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My name is Leslie Ray Dillon, Drako to my friends, but you ce call me Nine, Why Nine? Why not? It's a very spiritual number. It's t number of man, or mankind, in the Occult Sciences. It's the number of th. beast in Revelation, 666 - added together is 18 , add that - Nine! But $t$. reason you can call me Nine, is because I'm Monkey \#9 of the Amy. the 12 monkeys. And I would like to tell you a little story la story about the fight far freedom, about revolution, about resistance,

In Summer of 2012 a prison abolition group called the tiny of $t$. 12 Monkeys begat planning a pilot grogram ot resistance within the a of Mansfield Correctional in chro, Its members and allies designed printed fliers, pamphlets, and Resistance manuals. The fliers and pamphlet gave examples of how to resist and aitack the prison. They also had so. inspirational quotes from the Black Panther Party, Marxism, mao zeal and others. The Resistance Manuals taught those who were inspired hon to resist and protect themselves, as best that they can, in an organized united fashion.

At the beginning of September the 12 monkeys launched their p. program onto the compound. Hundreds of fliers and Pamphlets were hand. cot to inmates and placed in TV rooms, lavndry rooms, peter within day: Things began slow, as they always do, bot anarchists and others began t a peprodach Nine and columns began to form. We started slow, only 10 or 15 us, using staples to jam door loves on the guard shacks and sergeant's - fires. It started costing them money to replace dorkirubs, repeated. Every time they fixed one we vamped it again. Then, someone got the to the instruct tional inspectors office, the mail room, and the OPI dean EOhro Prison Industries is an outside contracter that pays the state to ir mates work at slave wages doing manual labor in we all cheered, it $w$ a big score, OPI was closed neady all day, money in the trash,

After that balder attempts at sabotage and vandalism were und taken. using toe nail dippers, owe started citing the phone wires in $C$ books, and computer wires in the sergeant's and Heutenant's ofris, $N$ a weak had passed and no one had been caught, sa we amped it up anat notch. Three guys used paper clips to van cell doors inside the blocks s.

# Conduct Report Supplement 

| Institution: | MANCI | MANCI-13-002907 |
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| Name: | SWAIN, SEAN | Number: |

71 , or disruptive activities such as disturbances, riots, fostering racial or religious hatred, or union activities; and,
72 (5) Violating institutional rules or directives or state or federal laws.
73 Inmate Swain is also in violation of inmate rule of conduct 60/15-conspiring with others to riot or encourage others and/or T. Clark who assisted in the investigation.
that the Ci, s could not put inmates in their cells. The 45 minute. lock down period at $3,45 \mathrm{pm}$ that they call "Count Time" was screw wed up in 3 different pods, in 3 different units.

In the next week and a half, nearing the conclusion af the pilot program several things happened"'
7) None wrote a Trainning Manual teaching prison hove workouts [I've been in prison far nearly 12 years] for slim guys to bolfup, or fat guys to tone down, or tar anyone in bet ween to get the body they want, This manual also contained trainning in military and militia arts (inducing Sniping, Knife fighting, and working in special operations $U_{n}$ its ), as well as hand to hand combat (mainly Mavy Thai kick boxing and Judo). II spent over 5 years raining with a Thai blooded Navy Thai master and over 2 years in the Army - nearly 2 af that in the $3<6 l$ Battalion of the $C_{1} S$, Army Ranger 75 th Regiment,"and was railed in an Irish MilNA.IT
2) A news letter was started in the idea af informing and edveating both prisoners and the public. It was called "Guerilla 33".
3) Dry cement was stolen from the masonry class, It was placed into the chow hall waster drains wet, clogging them, after it dried again, and causing Kitchen sewer bark up and flooding,
4) Crafittl in the farm of the number" 12 " started to appear on buildings, trash cans, doors, and walls written in oil passed paints. When state attempted ta re move this grafitti it stripped the other paint- of of the doors and walls.
5) Every day for 5 days, from 6 Am to $10 \mathrm{pm}, 20$ ar more restyles turnellon their sinks and let them run. This added an estimated $5 \%$ increase to the prison's water bill.
6) multiple rosisters all flushed their toilets simuttaniously for over 2 minutes causing water pressure to build in the lines and causing a waiter main to burst, that costs them $10, \infty 0 c$ oc e to repair.

The plat program ended on 19 September and 20 September when Nine and 2 others, one weill call Four the other Twee, were placed into segregation in the ManCI Special Managment Unit under investigation. since the pilot program had been designed to end, these "arrests" dree not dlau anu real cart in anu thing o the than to inform us that we had
gotten the attention af the prison administration, and that we s raise resistance at $\operatorname{Man} C 工$.

Several days later 1 was removed from my cell and taken; see two State troopers, Lt, R,S, Chapman and Sot, J, Benard the interest of gathering information 1 sat and Istened to their questions, giving back ridiculous answers. Aster about 5 minutes: stroud and told them to contact my attorn By , and 1 walkedout, I $h$ what 7 needed. The Amy of the 12 Monkeys was being invest by the Ohio Nigh way State Patel of or letters sent to government offrilals in ohio. These letters were supposedly threatening. But who took away from this meeting the most was that in less than 3 wax of terrorizing a prison, the 12 monkeys had gained the attents state authorities. The letters in question were not threatening in. wag, they were merely informitive of a situation. No further contact been made by the OSHP since Nine, Four, and TwelVe all forwarded to attomeys.

Then 1 found oct that four was being investigated by the Gi in order to establish a connection between him and an inter aet has group called Anonymous. This also pertained to the looters mentioned the OSHP. We have now been acknowledged by the Feds. The Am the 12 monkeys were bocomily famous,

Word was sent to the compand and 2 guerillas, well call one and one Eleven, began planning the fist 12 Monkey campaign. Nine and mailed 6 arteries or press releases, 3 of these never made it or the prison. luckily 1 possess copies of all my writings, The other 3 ne posted either. Shit happens! The fight continued.

Four mailed his own writings to his ax side constant, posting made on his was site, SEANSUAINIORG! Twelve arete a rap, chic now our theme song, called" Declaration" ".He continues to ins people with his music. "Everyone Rise" is one at my tavarites.

Nothing happened for a while, then on 17 october all 3 of 0 issued conduct reports. Those tirkets were 9 page s long each, gad we slightly dretereent in each they all sard pretty much the same thing, 7 charges were! Eng aging in unacthariz ed groupactivites, use of ma for therance of any criminal activity, and ricting or encouraging ar
to riot. EAcopy of the 9 page conduct report will proceed this story jor view it at SEAN SWAN NORGI This could have been dondenced to only 5 pages bot I guess 9 looks move over whelming to authorities, I have been tod that this is the longest trinket written at Mann $工$.

It was on or new this time that an co known source protested our captivity by smashing act several windows on the prison's buildings. However, this information would not reach us until months later.
on 24 October, after 2 days in court (Rules and In fractions Babied), Four was found gritty of all charges even thecigh the charg ing official stated on record that no eurdence pointed to him, He was told later by one of the RIB baird members, off record, that cental oofke tull him to sink all of as. On 29 october, beth myself and Twelve were also found guilty after not being allowed to offer any real defense. Now, keep in mind that, When ya go to "court". in prison you ore not allowed to have an attorney present to represent you, you are not allowed to view any of the evidence yourself, and must rely solely on you own memory and what is written on the conduct report when you make you defense, And, you are taking on the prison staff in a "court" room ran by prison staff""

The next day 1 wrote a 2 page appeal to the warden, It was denied 6 days later, Imagine that, $\mathcal{I}$ then wrote a 2 page appeal to the director of DRC. This appeal comple tell dissected the conduct report using their own evidence against them, It wend in the mail on 6 November.

I received a letter from my mom on the 2 g th telling the that my child hood trend and one time fiancees had been in a coma and died on the 8 Th. After that things started becoming a little stressful. You See, my fiancee Sarah, not Tasha who cist died, miscarried my daughter Ciara Lynn, 2001 after my incarceration, and then overdosed in 2007. Sarah and 1 married in 2002. Tasha and 12 got engaged in 2009 bot decided. against it becarso I still had 15 years left to sone. When $z$ hadn't heard from her for a couple months prior to her death I hadn't thought any thing of it,

On top of all this running through ny head now, over the last couple of weeks the stats had been hinting around ax placing me, Four, and Twelve in supermax, Yet I still have not heard back from divettor moho about my appeal. So on the 7 IH , December, I mailed another one,

That was firday, on monday $z$ received a response to my first, a, To no surpisise, the director affirmed my guilty verdict i It was da for the 4 th.

Nine was take on II December to speak with the Security Threat (irroup (or gang coordinator). Some times it amazes me how much into. there people give to inmates. They must think we le stu prod. First 1 labeled me in the STG file as an Anarchist, so what! But then he. what $z$ knew about an uprising on population by goys claiming to be 1 monkeys? I began laughing histarically, I larghed because he had Just y me that Ton and Eleven had succeeded in starting the campaign, 7 wa historical because, well, I'm not really sure - maybe the stresso But he pressed and tdd me to leave..

But $I$ seem to have gotten ahead at myself: On 3 December $z$. approached by an unidentified staves member. He told me that if I flipped on Four all my charges would be dropped. of course I told him where to stick it, and that evening my cell was searched and destroys by the STG $s$. Then on the $6 T$. $I$ was recommended far level $4 B$ A security placement, I appealed this's to the warden and colas denis on the 1215. I then appealed it to central office. Around this this Four and Twelve informed me that their reviews had been hdd on November, They recommended $4 B$ for Twelve and superman 5 for Fou. After 25 December the compand became some what crazed with Monkey activity. A few people were placed in STu bet then released. four, and Twelve wrote more artides and mailed more letters, Confirme. was received by Why from 3 lapel 2 prisons (medium security) that cape were being planned, open revet on the Man CI compand escalated,

On 15 Sanvory Ten was placed in EmU after learning that his mate was a sustch and had helped pat Nine i Fore, and twelve in 5 ten beat this aus ass and left the pod screaming "Anarchy! Fuel Police!" There were 3 others, still unidentified, that wend to Amu. same day. I immediately wrote a press release that I mall to all media prisons. Then 7 sat and waited.

Un 24 Oanvary, 1 was taken to dental in population, There 7 , into my comrade $L_{1} A 1$ and he told me that Manly $I$ was off the $h$. with in monkey acton, Everyone ants to be a monkey he said.

On 28 Jonson I received a lefter from Lake Erie Correctional. It was an account af a riot that broke oct, The LaECI Army af the 12 monk els took responsibility. I found act that 35-10 LaECI inmates had been emergency towered to Mani 1 and paced in STU in a ped super ated from all the others, Why they curuld be: moved here and placed in the same Special management Unit as the so called Leaders ox the 12 monkey gray is beyond me' II do find it funny that, on $311^{\text {it }}$ a level 5 super-max review ass held for Nine, form and Twelve.

There are 2 mefrivms that still halle yet to communicate the event of their reval. However, the 12 monkeys are growing, we are everywhere, any one can be a 12 monkey, and we are so numbered that we cannot be stopped, We have only one demand: The Total Destruction of all ohio prises,

DECLARATION
-Army af the 12 monkeys Anthym -
We, the Army of the 12 Donkeys, locked in chaps, topple governments see duarchy as self-tusting walk, sustained on Self-govemance tree rom laws, kings, and the hell countries propagate on their residents freedom's all we want to dwell humbly, block our alms, bombs will leverage, ix In wist saying, Thomas seresion preached "resistance to tyrants" not obeying Godless censors that reached pusserons af llighuess" Thomas Paine's "common Sense", surfaced, teaching dissindent sci'ance nowadays all them men wald wrest bo imprisoned and silenced These conditions that bind us ignite flames, the spirit af anarchy please justlistem, confine mint is why slaves, turned terari'stspare talking We've lived wish your misguidance and 1 say it's de colic and auclilly weak, now crixness the rise of the lives made from perilous malarkey inside States, nefarious and shocking, the care isn't meek pax dethronement. the lies they decare are meant to squash freedom, sure victory can be Known with
a fight waged, experience what "Strong" means, all your tyranny has eroded but like che Guevara sard, "were walking on pure history, and we know it". -written by monkeyi\#12-

## Disposition of the Rules Infraction Board

| Insttution: | MANCI | RIB Case Number: | MANCL-13-002907 |
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| Inmate Name: | SWAIN, SEAN | Number: | A243205 |
| Date of Hearing: | $04 / 30 / 2013$ | Time: | 11:00 AM |

Inmate Plea:




Rule: $\qquad$
Rule: $\qquad$

Rule: $\qquad$
$\Gamma$ not guilty
Rule: 60
Rule: 15
Rule: 17
Rule: 59 Rule: $\qquad$ Rule: $\qquad$
State the facts that explain the board's decision: evidence and testimony provided

Particular evidence or statements relied on: hand written letters and contraband collected


Identify the disposition imposed and the reasons for the action taken:
cts for all rule violation suspend Ic placement/ recomend IV14 placement

LC Referral?
TYes $\quad \mathrm{F}$ No
Appeal form given to inmate?
FYes 「No

| Signature RIB Chairperson: $\angle T$ Bulaw | Daie: | $05 / 09 / 2013$ |
| ---: | :--- | :--- |

Notice To Inmate: You may appeal this decision to the Warden.
The appeal must be submitted using the provided form DRC4027, within 15 days of receiving this disposition.

## Acknowledgement of Receipt:

| Inmate Signature: | Date: | Time: |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $05 / 09 / 2013$ | $02: 46$ PM |  |

DRC4024 (Rev. 1205) DISTRIBUTION: WHITE - RIB CANARY - Unil File PINK - RIB Board GOLDENROD - Inmate

## Ohio <br> Department of <br> Rehabilitation \& Correction

John R. Kasich, Governor
Gary C. Mohr, Director.
770 W. Broad Street Columbus, Ohio 43222

June 18, 2013

SWAIN, SEAN A243205 MANCI
RIB Case \#: MANCI-13-002907
Dear inmate SWAIN:
Pursuant to your request this office reviewed above referenced decision of the Rules Infraction Board as Director's designee.

A careful review of the procedural records was conducted. Please be advised that:

1) You were validly charged with the proper rule infraction;
2) There was substantial compliance with all applicable policies, rules and procedures;
3) There was sufficient evidence in the record to support the decision;
4) The penalty assessed was authorized and proportionate to the offense.

Therefore, decision is affirmed.
Sincerely,

Gary C. Bohr
Director
Cc: Warden
RIB File

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## Conduct Report



Supporting Facts (Describe what occurred and how the inmate violated the rule[s]):
On 4/23/13 1 received a kite (attached) from Inmate Swain 243205 which stated the following in the last two paragraphs:
"It is quickly becoming clear that appeals to reason + to law + to propriety are falling on deaf ears. It is quickly becoming clear that nonviolent + statutorily established channels for resolving staff harassment are totally ineffective. If we are now operating outside the law, then I accept those terms. Don't get mad.
--Swain"
I find the comments in Swain's kite are to be taken as a clear threat against the staff of the Mansfield Correctional Institution.
(Use Conduct Report Supplement sheet, if needed)
As the Charging Official, do you wish to have input into the disciplinary proceedings? Yes No


A copy of this conduct report was
served upon the above-named inmate on:
April, 30
20 $\qquad$ , at 02:55 PM. Starsmone C. D/ BK

I acknowledge receipt of the conduct report on the above stated date and time:

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Disposition of the Rules Infraction Board

| Institution： | MANCI | RIB Case Number： | MANCI－13－002794 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Inmate Name： | SWAIN，SEAN | Number： | A243205 |
| Date of Hearing： | $04 / 30 / 2013$ | Tlme： | $09: 40$ AM |

Inmate Plea：


$\qquad$ Rule： $\qquad$ Rule： $\qquad$ Rule： $\qquad$
F NOT GUILTY
Rule： 08
Rule： $\qquad$ Rule：＿＿＿Rule：＿＿＿
Rule： $\qquad$
State the facts that explain the board＇s decision： Inmate did make imply threats to staff in a kite sent to the Institutional Inspector

Particular evidence or statements relied on：
Altached kite

Did the inmate offer any defense？
$F$ Yes $\Gamma$ No
$\Gamma$ Yes $F$ No

Why？Free speech does not allow ona to make
Did the Board believe the inmate＇s defense＇？$\Gamma$ Yes $\Gamma$ No

「Yes $\Gamma$ No
Did the board rely on any confidential statement（s） $\Gamma$ Yes 「 No
Did the board determine the informant（s）to be credible？
Decision：Based on the above stated facts the Board believes that：


Identify the disposition imposed and the reasons for the action taken： G R 8，cont．current RIB sanction／SLR．This inmate＇s actions pose a threat to the safety and security of the institution．

| LC Referral？ | $: \quad$ FYes F No |
| :--- | :--- |
| Appeal form given to inmate？ | FYes 「 No |
| Signature RlB Chairpersoni |  |

Date： 0

Notice To Inmate：You may appeal this decision to the Warden．
The appeal must be submitted using the provided form DRC4027，within 15 days of receiving this disposition．
Acknowledgement of Receipt：

Please do not construe these
3 . Questions as a threat.
(1) If I stop appealing to reason + to law + to propriety, will you suffer bodily harm?
(2) If I lose faith in the guevance pores ard stop using it, will you suffer bodily harm?
(3) If I accept that MANA is lawless, will you suffer bodily harm?
(4) If I ash you not to get mad, will you suffer \$ bodily harm?
(5) In my kite, dial I make even a tangential reference to cons activity that could be construed as puncharg, kickerig, pincherig, poking,
 detonating) stomping, slamining, throwing, pusherig, shoving, She tripping, or pulling the hair of another human being?
(6) who specifically the aten?
(7) What did in intheatically to do?
(8 )What harm did I spocicaln
(9) Cere you aware that according to AR 5720-9<compat>-07 (E) the conduct sport must contain a desaiptecin of specific behavior constitution g the rule violation?
(10) Core yow aware that a cording. to policy $56-\Delta S C-C$ (II I)(F)(1)(b) you must include all facts cella to the charge?
(11) Cere yow aware that prisinus retain free speech sigh and that punishing a prisoner for written or spoken speech absent a valid violation of a rule of conduct, ie., absent an actual threat in this case, constitutes free speech retaliation according to the U.S. Supreme Count precedents - Jones vs. Not Carolina prisoners LAbor union, inc.; Procunise vs. maraner; Pelt vs. Procuniar; Thtornburght vs. AbBots; Turner vs. SAFLEY $B$ ?
5 (12) Did you meet with warden's Assistant Scott Basquien on 23 April prior to writing this conduct report?
(13) Did Scott Basquin, who has particepateal in the malicious theft of my mail and who saves as the warden's designce over the desajenain post, disort una to write this molest rant?

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Procunise vs. mariner; Pele vs. Procuniar; THORNBURGH VS. ABBOTT; TURNER VS. SAFLEY B?
(12) Did you meet with Warden's Assistant Scott Basquin on 23 April prior to writing this conduct report?
(13) Did Scott Basquin, who has participated in the malicious theft of my mail and who saves as the warden's designce over the descipenain post, direct you to write this concluet report?

## Warden's Decision On Appeal

| Institution: $\quad$ MARCI | RIB Case Number: |
| :--- | :--- |
| Inmate Name: $\quad$ SWAIN, SEAN | Number: $\quad$ A243205 |

On May 13 $\qquad$ , the Rules Infraction Board determined that the above named inmate
had violated the following rules) 08
V. Inmate Appealed this decision and appeal was received in this office on $\qquad$ 2013

I have reviewed the matters raised in the inmate's appeal, the record generated in the Rules Infraction Board proceeding, and the disposition of the Rules Infraction Board. I have determined that the board's decision should be:

$\Gamma$ Affirmed $\Gamma$ Modified $\Gamma$ Returned $\Gamma$ Reversed

Inmate Swain did make threading implication towards the Institution Inspector. The RIB hearing was delayed due to availabilty of requested witness.

| Warden:Tary fath 43 | Date: |
| :--- | :--- |

Is this decision subject to further review pursuant to $5120-9-08(0) ? \quad \Gamma$ Yes $\Gamma$ No If yes, does the inmate request review of this decision by the Director? The inmate must complete the following:
$\Gamma$ I WAIVE further review of this decision
7 I request REVIEW of this decision by the Director.
Notice: The Warden's designee will send the entire case record to the Director's designed (Legal Services) for a review. You may send the duplicate original of this form to Lea

# Ohio Rehabilitation \& Correction 

John R. Kasich, Gavernor<br>Gary C. Mohr, Director<br>770 W. Broad Street Columbus, Ohic 43.222

June 11, 2013

SWAIN, SEAN A243205
MANCI
RIB Case \#: MANCI-13-002794
Dear Inmate SWAIN:
Pursuant to your request this office reviewed above referenced decision of the Rules infraction Board as Director's designee.

A careful review of the procedural records was conducted. Please be advised that:

1) You were validly charged with the proper rule infraction;
2) There was substantial compliance with all applicable policies, rules and procedures;
3) There was sufficient evidence in the record to support the decision;
4) The penalty assessed was authorized and proportionate to the offense.

Therefore, decision is affirmed.
Sincerely,
Sog CMR
Gary C. Mohr
Director
Cc: Warden
RIB File

Male Secufifseiview(fage/t)02074-BYP Department of Rehabilitation and Correction State of Ohio

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Offender Number: A243205
Date of Birth: 09/12/1969

## Race: WHITE

Admission Date: 02/15/1995
Present Security Level: 3 Previous Offender Numbers:


Name: SWAIN, SEAN
Hispanic: N

Earliest Possible Release: Parole Hearing: 09/01/2016
Date of Last Security Level Review: 09/06/2011

Most Serious Current Crime: AGG MURDER
Felony Level of Most Serious Current Crime: AM

## SECTION A: INSTRUMENT SCORING

WEIGHT
SCORE

1. Frequency of Guilty RIB Offenses (in the last 12 months)

None
1 Offense 20

2 to 3 Offenses 3
4 or More Offenses
2. Local Control or Level 4B Status (in the last 12 months)

No LC or 4B Status
LC or 4B Status
3. Current Active or Disruptive STG Member

No Active or Disruptive STG Member
Active or Disruptive STG Member
4. Educational Attainment (pre-prison/current)

High School Diploma, GED, or Higher Education - .
Less Than High School Equivalency
5. Age at This Review

Age 40 or Older
Age 39 or Younger
TOTAL SCORE:

0 to 3 Points Consider Present Security Level

4 to 6 Points
Consider Security Level Increase

## Notes:

LEVEL 4 HEARING: 5 guilty findings by RIB in the past year - No LC Placement - Disruptive STG - HS Diploma verified - Age 43

## SECTION B: OVERRIDES AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Score Indicates Considering Security Level Decrease ( $\mathbf{- 2}$ to -1)<br>Agree: Decrease One Level<br>Disagree: Continue Present Level

Score Indicates Considering
Present Security Level (0 to 3)
$\square$ Agree: Continue Present Level
[ Disagree: Decrease One Level
$\square$ Disagree: Increase One Level

## Score Indicates Considering Security Level Increase (4 to 6)

$\square$ Agree: Increase One LevelDisagree: Continue Present Level
$\square$ Yes No Override of Designation Score is Recommended

Please select all which apply to this offender for the purposes of overriding:

## Non-Discretionary Overrides for Double Perimeter Fence Only

## Discretionary Overrides

$\square$ Sex offenders
$\square$ Kidnapping or abduction offenders
$\square$ High notoriety case offender
$\square$ Current conviction of aggravated murder or murder
Any felony for causing the death of a law enforcement officer or
$\square$ Former death row or life without parole offenders
$\square$ Documented escape from confinement
$\square$ Level 2 security offenders serving an indefinite sentence for an Fl
or F2 that has not had a statutory first hearing or F2 that has not had a statutory first hearing

- $\quad$ Time left to serve
I. Severity of current offense
[] Extensive criminal history
$\square$ Documented escape from supervision
$\Gamma$ Documented escape with unknown details
[ Felony detainer
- Program Compliance

■ Program Non-Compliance
[ Positive prison adjustment
V Negative prison adjustment
[. Score indicates increase, but offender is manageable at current security level
[ $\overline{\text { Involvement in Disruptive STG incident }}$ [ Involvement in Active STG incident
$\square$ Other (please specify):
[ Other (please specify):
T] Attach behavior criteria for Level 4 or Level 5 (DRC2686/DRC2687) if recommending an override to Level 4/5

## Recommended Placement

| $\square$ Level 1 | $\square$ Level 3 | $\square$ Referral for Level 5 Hearing (see 53-CLS- |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $\square$ Level 2 | $\square$ | Level 4 |


| Chairperson (Signature):7 | Date: 0 05/30/2013 |
| :---: | :---: |

## SECTION C: WARDEN OR WARDEN'S DESIGNEE

Warden's Action:
$\square$
ApproveDisapprove

Warden's Rationale:
Warden's Recommended Placement

| $\square$ Level 1 | $\square$ Level 3 | $\square$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |$\quad$| Referral for Level 5 Hearing (see 53-CLS- |
| :--- |

Warden (Signature):

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06 / 14 / 2013
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$\boxed{v}$ Yes $\square$ No Does this placement require a transfer?
[ Yes $\square$ No Is this offender in PC?
$\square$ Yes NoIs this an Interstate Offender?
$\checkmark$ Yes $\square$ No Is Level 4 or Level 5 recommended?


Mental Health Level: N
Medical Level: 2
Special Placement Needs:

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## SECTION D: BUREAU OF CLASSIFICATION

Bureau of Classification Action: $\square$ Approve $\square$ Disapprove
Bureau of Classification Rationale: Serious nature of RIB convictions for Rules 60, 15, 17,59 and 8. Identified as co-creator of STG "12 Monkeys". Evidence in correspondence is clear that inmate participated in the creation and disseminatior of Army of the 12 Monkeys materials. Letter of appeal is denied.

## Final Placement

$\square$ Level 1
L Level 3
V Level 4

Referral for Level 5 Hearing (see 53-CLs
04)

Institutional Placement: OSP

| Signature: ham f. Hhth | Date: | $07 / 18 / 2013$ |
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We are requesting authorization to transfer the above named inmates) from.
Mansfield Correctional Institution to L-4
RIB Cases in the last 12 months

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Justification'
Inmate Swain A243205 should be transferred to a Level 4 institution based on his ability to cause a major disturbance within a lower level correctional institution Inmates Swain A243205, Dzelajlija A530144, and Dillon A416607 were identified as being the creators of the 12 Monkey resistance organization based on the materials that were in their possession This group of inmates has conspired together in an attempt to recruit and lead incarcerated inmates to resist prison administration and rules by incorporating violence and property damage into their propaganda and rhetoric
Supervision Review was completed and available on DOTS-Portal Inmate is currently not on the mental health case load Inmate does not have any institutional separations incarcerated at this time

NATURE OF TRANSFER


In the case of a level 4 transfer, a copy of this request was served upon the above-named inmate on-


DEPARTMENTAL ACTION


Notes: ApPEAL - YEs : Approve the request of the Warden for the reasons he lists in his recommendation


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Rehabilitation \& Correction

July 18, 2013

Sean Swain \#A243205
MANCI

Re: Correspondence Received: 6-25-13
Approved Security Level: 3
Approved Institution Placement: OSP

Mr. Swain,
This is in response to the above correspondence in which you wish to appeal the decision of the institution regarding your security status and placement. The Bureau of Classification and Reception has reviewed that decision and agrees that your present classification is proper and within the security guidelines of the Department. Your placement and security level are AFFIRMED. This decision is final.

Any further questions concerning this matter should be addressed with your Unit staff.
Sincerely,


Rob L. Jeffreys, Chief
Bureau of Classification and Reception

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# Ohio <br> Department of Rehabilitation \& Correction 

John R. Kasich, Governor
Gary C. Mohr, Director
770 W. Braad Street Columbus, Ohio 43222

Wednesday, June 12, 2013 1:

JOB HISTORY EOR: A243205 SWAIN, SEAN

| START DATE | INSTN | JOB TITLE | JOB LOCATION |
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| 01/01/2013 | MANCI | LC | LC |
| 11/07/2012 | MANCI | LC | LC |
| 10/24/2012 | MANCI | DC | D/C |
| 09/21/2012 | MANCI | SC | SC |
| 01/22/2010 | MANCI | MATERIAL HANDLER 2 | COMMUNITY SERV |
| 12/30/2009 | MANCI | PORTER | 3B/AM |
| 12/10/2009 | MANCI | PORTER 3 | ORIENTATION |
| 11/16/2009 | TOCI | STUDENT ADVANCED | COLLEGE |
| 10/28/2009 | TOCI | SC | SEGREGATION |
| 06/01/2009 | TOCI | STUDENT ADVANCED | COLLEGE |
| 08/01'2008 | TOCI | PORTER | UNTT A |
| 07/25/2008 | TOCI | CAREER TECHNICAL AIDE | TEACHER AIDE |
| 07/21/2008 | TOCI | STUDENT | AOT-VOC |
| 06/02/2008 | TOCI | SC | SEGREGATION |
| 04/16/2007 | TOCI | STUDENT | AOT-VOC |
| 07/18/2005 | TOCI | PORTER | UNIT A |

