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**RE: Julien Hunter Torres, Docket No: L18W-CR17-0152169-S**

State Attorney Devin Stilson, Bantam Criminal Court Judge,

I am writing to you regarding the animal cruelty case you are handling of a companion pet rabbit brutally killed by crushing his ribs in Connecticut.

**Julien Hunter Torres Docket Number has been Statutorily Sealed and Awaiting Disposition on 9/26/2017.**

Referencing the News and the State of Connecticut Judicial Branch website; Julien H. Torres, 23, of 660 Main Street, Torrington, was arrested Feb. 6 and charged with breach of peace, second-degree threatening of his sister and felony cruelty to animals. He currently has 3 Felony animal cruelty charges against him (Malicious Wund/kill Animal 1st).

According to Police reports Torres planned, threatened and acted out the brutal inhumane torture and killing of an innocent helpless pet rabbit by crushing the rabbits body, the animal lay suffering with crushed ribs, lungs, bones and eyes bulging out until dying.

Julien Torres is an adult, during court he appears to show no remorse for his disrespect of animal life, his sister's welfare or the court. He appears to be an aware individual able to use a computer or phone to post, chat on Facebook, and send text messages.

**Bantam Court- 9/26/2017 please honor the CT Felony Animal Cruelty Laws and convict Torres for the heinous malicious crime he committed with maximum penalties and Felony jail conviction based on your own states laws.** It is unreasonable Torres may be given rehabilitation, jail diversion or his records to be erased/sealed without concern for this serious case of cruelty to animals.

This is not the only instance of rabbits and other animals in Connecticut being maliciously tortured and killed, these crimes are not acceptable in our society and are being repeated without circumstances. Thousands of Connecticut citizens as well as U.S. citizens in many states say they are repulsed by these actions toward helpless rabbits and other animals.

I urge the Court to send a strong statement to the media, citizens of Connecticut, animals lovers around the world that this type of psychotic behavior and violence will not be tolerated in the State of Connecticut and that anyone considering abusing, torturing or killing a pet or any animal; to understand the consequences of prosecution if they break the law before these crimes escalate to more animals being tortured and killed and next possibly humans.

Respectfully,

**Signature:**

**Printed:**

**Address:**

**Email: (optional)**

**Date Signed:**