Notice to Hon. Teresa Drum:

Judge Drum, your 294th District Court has gone rogue.

To wit, a \$62,885 punishment upon me, for having made a counter-claim when I was sued - a First Amendment Right.

Plus an additional \$125,770 punishment (2 x \$62,885) upon me, for seeking relief from the above – again a First Amendment Right – to petition my government – for relief.

Such PUNISHMENT, in your 294th, because:

"In assessing the [\$62,885] sanctions, the Court has taken into consideration that although Mr. Birnbaum may be well-intentioned and may believe that he had some kind of real claim as far as RICO there was nothing presented to the court in any of the proceedings since I've been involved that suggest he had any basis in law or in fact to support his suits against the individuals, and **I think** – can find that such [\$62,885] sanctions as I've determined are appropriate." (Sanctions hearing – notice all the "had", "was", "suggest", "think")

Besides, your court, by civil process, is forbidden from imposing unconditional punishment, of any kind. Any civil sanction has to be "coercive", i.e. provide "keys to own release" – to purge such contempt. US Supreme Court, no less.

Stated another way, punishment – for **past** conduct – requires full criminal process, including a finding of "beyond a reasonable doubt" - by a jury. US Supreme Court.

All statements true and correct, and upon personal knowledge.

SIGNED this 28 day of July, 2016

LICE BURDELLIS

UDO BIRNBAUM

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME on this 28 day of 544, 2016



Notary Public, State of Texas