

AFFIDAVIT OF MICHAEL W. LONG

I, Michael W. Long, declare that the following statements are true and correct, based on my personal observation, knowledge and interactions with PF Lazor:

PERSONAL

Address: 1391 Vista del Lago, San Luis Obispo, CA 93401

Family: Married 18 years with two children.

Education: MBA, B.S. Quantitative Methods

Occupation: Currently Materials Manager for a manufacturer of medical rehabilitation products. Formerly Vice President in two large electronics firms in the Bay Area, and owner of a local small business.

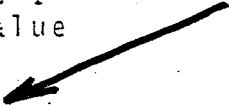
Professional: Writer and lecturer in manufacturing technologies. Previously, President, American Production & Inventory Control Society, Palo Alto Chapter; President, Toastmasters International, Lee Emerson Bassett Chapter. Listed in Who's Who in the West and Who's Who in Finance and Industry.


Military: U.S. Army, Sgt. E-5. Awarded the Bronze Star and Army Commendation medals in Vietnam.

RELATIONSHIP TO PF LAZOR

I first became acquainted with Mr. Lazor informally via correspondence in March 1985 after hearing of his situation through my wife and a mutual friend. Following several letters and phone calls to Mr. Lazor, I eventually met him while he was in custody at the California Men's Facility, San Luis Obispo. Since then, I have visited him several times there, as well as in San Quentin, Atascadero State Hospital, and Vacaville. During these past four years, I've also enjoyed numerous telephone calls and lengthy letters from Mr. Lazor such that I believe that I have an accurate insight into his character and personal value system.

In my opinion, PF Lazor is one of the most sincere, honest, and non-violent individuals I've ever met. I still find it incredible how, after all these years of rejection through the courts, Mr. Lazor maintains the composure he does. Being intimately familiar with his legal appeals, I have never seen Mr. Lazor demonstrate any outbursts of anger or hostility with regards to his situation. On the contrary, he consistently demonstrates a stoic resolve to overcome the obstacles, despite any adversity placed before him. I find he handles disappointment with unusual optimism.

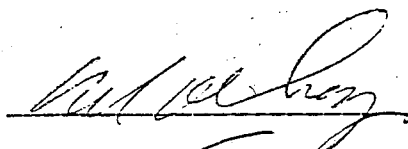


During my many visits with Mr. Lazor in prison, we've spoken at length about his case and his dreams once he's released. These were always discussions on an intellectual and compassionate plane, without acrimony and rancor. If he expressed frustration, it was because he was having so much difficulty getting his story formally heard. Yet through it all, Mr. Lazor remained cheerful, optimistic, and somehow accepting of the lengthy legal process before him. For all of his own troubles, I have seen on numerous occasions Mr. Lazor's consideration for others - whether it was remembering the kids' birthdays or simply wishing our family well for the holidays. He is forever grateful for any kindnesses we may have given him. I suppose that it is this consistent gentle demeanor over the years which has convinced me that he is fundamentally non-violent and of good character. 

Should the need ever arise, I would testify as a character witness on Mr. Lazor's behalf without any reservation whatsoever.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

DATED: 9-19-89



Michael W. Long