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#### Dear:

I wish to inform you that the Racine County District Attorney's Office has issued one or more criminal charges against the following defendant(s): You or your minor child may be considered a victim under Wisconsin law.

I have enclosed a Restitution /Victim Notification Form. If you wish to speak with a member of this office regarding your case, request restitution, or wish to be notified of future court dates, you must accurately complete and return the attached form to the Victim Witness Office. Felony crime victims also have the right to review portions of the Pre-Sentence Investigation report. Information specific to your case including charging decisions, hearing dates, and sentencing information is readily available via the Wisconsin Court Access web site (wcca.wicourts.gov).

The Victim Witness Program of the District Attorney's Office is here to assist you as the victim of a crime. Your rights and your needs are important to us. Please feel free to call the Victim Witness Office at (262) 636-3858 or 1-800-924-1506, if you have questions or concerns regarding your case or your rights as a victim.

We must receive the attached form back within 14 days of the date of this letter or the case may proceed without your input.

Sincerely,

Victim Witness Assistance Program

## RESTITUTION AND VICTIM NOTIFICATION FORM

As a victim of a crime, you have several rights under Wisconsin law. You may choose to exercise some, all or none of these rights. In order to exercise your rights, you *must* return this completed form immediately to the Victim Witness Office.

THE VICTIM WITNESS OFFICE MUST RECEIVE THIS FORM WITHIN 14 DAYS OF THE DATE PRINTED

**ON THE LETTER.** If you do not return this form, this case may proceed to a resolution without your input. You are always free to contact our office regarding this case and your rights as a victim.

Please fill in the following information and check one or more of the appropriate boxes.

Your N	lame	Defendant:		
Add	dress	Court Case No.:  DA Case No.:		
		Agency Number:		
Home P	hone	Work Phone		
		Date of Signing		
☐ (Ple	<b>Restitution</b> . I wish the ase provide supporting d	court to consider my request for restitution: locumentation for restitution request. If no documentation is provided p. Restitution does not provide for pain, suffering, or mental anguish.)		
Medical Expenses Property Damages Lost Wages Other Losses			\$	
			\$	
			\$	
			\$	
		Total Loss	\$	
	Insurance Company:			
	Agent's Name:	Phone:		
	Address of Company			
		Amount owed to me \$  the opportunity to speak with a representative of the District Attorney's Company of the Distri	Office regarding this	
	Notice of <u>All</u> Court He	ase, including potential plea agreements and sentencing recommendations.  [otice of All Court Hearings. I wish to receive notice of the time and place of all court hearings involving my ase.   Mail or: E-mail:		
	Notice Only of Sentencing Date. I wish to receive notice of the time and place of only the sentencing hearing involving my case.   Mail or: E-mail:			
	Review Pre-Sentence I	nvestigation Report (Felony Cases): I wish to review victim specific p	portions of the report.	
	<b>VOICE Notification.</b> I wish to receive notification of offender status if they are sentenced to the Department of Corrections.			
	<b>Disposition of the case.</b> I wish to receive the final outcome of this case. You have the right to make a victim impact statement, either by letter or by personally appearing before the court at the time of sentencing.			
	I wish to make a victin  I will send in a wri	n impact statement: tten statement      I will speak at sentencing		
Return this form to:		VICTIM WITNESS ASSISTANCE PROGRAM RACINE COUNTY COURTHOUSE 2 <sup>ND</sup> FLOOR 730 WISCONSIN AVENUE RACINE WI 53403-1274 (262) 636-3858 OR 1-800-924-1506		