

Re - 21-cv-6323

To whom it may concern, I Cristal Starling am writing the courts of The Western District Of New York to file an answer to a settlement offer made by US district attorney Grace Carducci in regards to currency in the amount of \$8040.

Ms. Carducci's associate Kiana Ferrel contacted me on November 2, 2021 to offer me a settlement of half of the currency; of which was confiscated from me at my home at 466 1/2 W. Main St. Apt 401 Rochester, NY 14608 on October 29, 2020.

The cause of this search warrant was for alleged drug activity made by an ex boyfriend by the name of Kendrick Bronson.

There were two search warrants Executed simultaneously of which were for my address of 466 1/2 W. Main St. Rochester, NY and Kendrick's address of 21 Pardee St. Rochester, NY.

There was nothing illegal found in my home at all, yet my money was confiscated.

This money has been in the custody of the Western District of New York for some time now. I would like to move forward with court proceedings to have all of the funds returned to me promptly. This money being taken has caused a hardship for me, as I am a single woman raising a medically fragile child with no outside support.

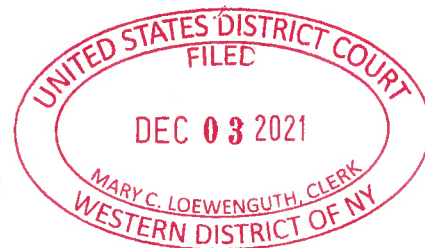
The charges that stemmed from the execution of the search warrant for Mr. Bronson has since been dismissed based on Acquittal of all matters in the City court of Rochester NY. I have been advised that due to all charges being thrown out and legal proceedings ceased, any property confiscated during the legal process should be returned to its rightful owner.

Please feel free to contact me to discuss this matter further by phone or email.

585-709-2236

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Thank you,
Cristal Starling



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

United States of America

Plaintiff(s),

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

v.

21-CV-6323

8,040.00

Defendant(s)

Chaimant-Cristal Sturling

I, (print your name) Cristal Sturling, served a copy of the attached papers
(state the name of your papers) "Answer" to Settlement offer
of \$14,020

upon all other parties in this case
by mailing by hand-delivering (check the method you used)

these documents to the following persons (list the names and addresses of the people you served)
Grace Carducci
United States Attorneys Office
100 State St.
Rochester NY 14614

on (date service was made) December 3 2021

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

Executed on 12/3/21
(date)

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(your signature)