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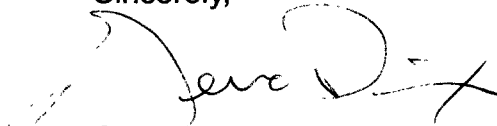
Re: Violations of Offshore Oil and Gas Leasing Reform Act

Dear Mr Stallings,

I am writing you not only as an admirer of Mr. DeChristopher but as a concerned citizen of what I believe to be a great country. One that was founded by visionaries. And that I am observing to be corrupted by power and greed. E pluribus unum. Out of many we are one. Please take heed of the importance of this case. We can not allow ourselves to turn towards excavation of our natural beauties for the riches of its resources for a few, certainly when there is alternatives that benefit the many. We also can no longer allow for the segregation of our citizens, wealthy from the rest. We are indeed all equal. So if you could keep that in mind when you are considering Mr. DeChristophers case. We can show the world that a democratic capitalistic society is possible without ruining our core beliefs. We can have our preverbal cake and eat it to simply by doing what is right.

Humility can not be forgotten or afforded to the highest bidder, so to speak. I and many other americans like me, middle class full time working mother of three, have followed this case because we know what our country can be if one path is chosen over the other. And I would say kind judge that it is always the path that is least traveled that will regain us our human rights that every soul on this planet deserves. The world is watching we need to continue to hold our head high and be the leaders that do what is right. Right for each and every one of us. We can no longer tolerate the known unknown mentality. Thank you for your time. May you rule with humility.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Gena Marie Dix". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "G" and "M".

Gena Marie Dix