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Superior Court No. [Impounded]

In re Richard Lavigne, Petitioner

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The Commonwealth and the petitioner hereby jointly move that the Court enter the attached proposed Order, releasing the blood sample for prompt testing, upon certain stated conditions. In support thereof, the parties state as follows:

- 1. The Supreme Judicial Court rendered its decision in this matter on November 16, 1994. Under that ruling, the petitioner has the right to a hearing prior to the Commonwealth obtaining blood from him for testing.
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# APPIDAVIT OF RICHARD R. LAVIGNE

- I, Richard R. Lavigne, make the following statements under the pains and penalties of perjury:
  - I am the petitioner in the above action.
- I have read the decision of the Supreme Judicial Court issued in the above case on November 16, 1994. It is my understanding that under that ruling, I have the right to a hearing at which I could contest the taking of a sample of my blood prior to the Commonwealth obtaining a blood sample from me for the purpose of blood typing or testing.
- I hereby waive my right to a hearing at which I could contest the taking of a sample of my blood and I agree that the sample of my blood which is currently in the custody of Bay State Medical Center may be released to the Commonwealth for testing, provided that the conditions set forth in the attached Order are complied with, including, prompt testing and reporting of the results, and provision of the results to petitioner as set forth therein.

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