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REPLY TO THREE BRIDGES

Via first class mail

Hon. Loretta Lynch Attorney General of the United States United States Department of Justice 950 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20530-0001

RE: CYCI

Dear Madam Attorney General:

I am U.S. Counsel for The RINJ Foundation (the Foundation), a Canadian Non-Profit NGO Corporation. A matter has come up and needs to be criminally investigated.

Corporation Number: 8224455

Business Number: (BN)849710447RC0001

Governing Legislation: Canada Not-for-profit Corporations Act - 2012-08-21

Corporate Name: The RINJ Foundation.

The Foundation is a United Nations recognized NGO involved in the medical treatment of rape survivors in the area of war zones and refugee camps; a Foundation that has been chosen by three Cantons of Rojava to provide basic health care for that region, and as a global organization has 15,000 members many of whom are investigators doing voluntary data collection work to help in the identification and ICC (International Criminal Court) prosecution of actors involved in the Gender-Based Violence (GBV) [incl. rape and sexual assault, crimes against humanity and perhaps genocide under ICC Rome Statute section 7, and criminal acts as described in UN Resolution 1820 also relying on 5 other resolutions (https://rinj.org/war-crimer): Janu'lluman trafficking (Rome Statute section 7) that occurs in these circumstances.

Recently The RINJ Foundation has become aware of an organization, The Liberation of Christian and Yazidi Children of Iraq (CYCI) and its leader, Steve Maman (DOB 1 March 1973), a Moroccan-born person who resides in Montreal, Canada (Cell: <u>+1 514-823-2277</u>), who is claiming to be buying sex slaves from ISIS, in order to 'liberate' them. Depending on when he is interviewed, he claims to use Brokers or the ISIS slave traders directly. Under 18 USC 2339B, it is illegal to provide material support to ISIS.

Either way he is directing funds derived from a CrowdFunding campaign conducted on an American 'CrowdFunding' Company (registered to: Andrew Ballester, California Product Shop Inc. 1010 Second Ave.,Suite 1770, San Diego, CA), to ISIS terrorists and enemies of the United States.

There is also a violation of 18 USC 1590 through 1595. The actions of CYC1 simulate the enslavement of women and girls. There have been documents from ISIS show that in their slave markets top dollar for accessful coughly \$159.00? Cirls between 5 and 21 being the most valued slave. Mr Maman and CYCI claim they pay \$2,000 to \$3,000 (US). A witness has informed us of one event recently that involved the sale of two minors for \$4,400.00 each, paid by S. Maman. The Foundation knows from its sources that this has accelerated the pace of the trade and is compounded by the honor killing and sex-taboo culture in the region. If the slavers want a particular woman and sne reruses, they will kill her friends and relatives in front of her to force her into going.

Our investigators have learned the identity of some minor girls who CYCI and Mr. Maman have traded for. They are:

- 1. Mined Muhsain Qaro
- 2. Zera Haif Aziz
- 3. Soda Haif Aziz
- 4. Sheroan Haif Aziz
- 5. Rezan Haif Aziz
- 6. Berivan Fendy Hussain
- 7. Milad Muhssan Qaro
- 8. Aammsh Mirza Ali
- 9. Divin Salim Murad
- 10.Sairah Khalef Farho
- 11. Nove Whomsook Wholesk
- 12. Safoah Haif Aziz
- 13.Ghazoab Haif Aziz
- 14. Siliman Haif Aziz
- 15. Zamman Haif Aziz

There is also a question if these activities are an out and out fraud. CYCI claims to have freed 127 Yazidis. Yazidi leaders are not aware who else may have been freed and have asked CYCI and Mr. Mamon to provide proof, which they have refused to do. It is claimed by CYCI that have raised over \$570,000.00 on the "GoFundMe.com" site to fund Sex-Slave buying activities via the internet. This would constitute wire and mail fraud under 18 USC 1343.

There is a territorial nexus to this activity as noted above. CYCI uses GoFundMe.com, a San Diego, California based internet fund raising site to solicit and collect funds from persons situated in the United States and elsewhere.

CYCI and Mr. Mamon has represented that the contributions to their enterprise are tax deductible. In my research I have been unable to find a tax exempt filing here in the

United States or in Canada. Furthermore the Corporate Canada Ministry denies that there is such a charity in Canada. This is a further violation of section 1343 and may constitute a fraud under the Internal Revenue Code.

If you need to contact me please feel free to use the Three Bridges address or phone number. My cell phone is (908) 391 5399. My email is schutzlawyer@gmail.com

Very Truly Yours,

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