Honorable Judge Barbara McCarthy,

Re: Case # 12008549CF10A

I am writing to you today to implore you for your assistance and compassion. I have been a victim of a level of corruption which I had previously believed unable to exist in our society. I studied American government and politics at Pine Crest, and have always held close to my heart the values and morals which are the foundation of our Justice system. I do not believe they have prevailed in my case, and desperately need your help.

This above captioned case was the result of a framing by the Lighthouse Point Police department. They police who arrested me tampered with evidence, stopped and searched without cause, and threatened me repeatedly in relation to my arrest. The police report filed was a complete fabrication. I believe this action to be retaliation for an FBI complaint I filed about organized crime in 2010, when an acquaintance "warned" me that I was being framed for a crime I had nothing to do with. I have been the victim of harassment since that time. There was no cause for a stop, no cause for a search, and certainly no cause for the threatening treatment I received from the arresting officers.

After being arrested I was lucky enough to obtain some evidence, which is enclosed, that the Police acted to cover up their illegal actions, and provided this evidence to Adam J Katz, who repeatedly failed to use the evidence for my defense. After firing him for his inaction, which I believe to be intentional, I hired John Cotrone, who also failed to use the evidence, and then during my bond hearing, threatened me, demeaned me, and told me not to attempt to speak to you during the sentencing. He refused to finish the bond hearing in open court, telling me privately that you had said bond would not be offered, which I found hard to believe. After repeated requests for him to finish the hearing in open court, he again threatened me, and I believe both his actions and the inaction of Katz were designed in order to suppress the evidence I am providing to you today.

I was under a significant amount of duress at the time I took a plea. First from the corrupt actions of the police officer, then from Katz's inaction, and finally Cotrone's threatening and demeaning behavior. His flat out refusal to finish the scheduled bond hearing thrust me into despair, and I felt as if the entire system was against me. You noticed that I was uneasy, and commented on it several times, but because of the threats I received I remained silent. I believe justice has not been served, and that I have been victimized significantly by this series of events... it has created a level of stress and anxiety in me that I have never experienced before.

It seems to me that there is a dark force at work here, attempting to undermine the American values of truth and justice which we hold so dear. Please review the enclosed evidence, including two separate FOIA requests to the LHPD, a string of emails between myself and Adam J. Katz, and a bar complaint against Cotrone. I believe it shows the lack of justice I have received. I am asking you today to please reverse my plea, and dismiss the above case. I need your help.

Since beginning probation, I began receiving threats related to my attempts to reverse the plea (after hiring another attorney), and because of fear was forced to hide. I am losing my relationship with my one year old son and family because of it, and want nothing more than to regain my life.

Sincerely,

After being falsely arrested, I repeatedly requested that my hired attorney, Adam Katz, obtain copies of the Police tapes to show the improprieties on the part of the LHPD. I was repeatedly told he was doing so, both verbally and in writing, though when I asked in court 4 months later, he had not filed a single subpoena.

I attempted to collect evidence on my behalf using FOIA requests, and received a deceptive set of information upon first request, which included GPS logs from the time of the stop on, not showing the speed of the officer, who said he "paced" me.

After re-requesting the information, specifically asking for the data which had been left out of the first request, I received data which I believe to be obviously doctored. It does not match the police officers report, and shows that the officer, who said he stopped at Sample next to me (in the attached report), stopped in the middle of US1 5 blocks from the light. I provided this to Katz and Cotrone, and both did not act to either verify it, or use it for my defense.

Further, the FOIA request yielded a police log which shows the officer had entered my name in his computer system 2 hours prior to what he called a "routine stop." This shows me that he was acting for an outside entity, and that their actions were intentionally meant to intimidate me.

Both FOIA requests, in addition to copies of my emails to Katz showing this are enclosed. Also enclosed is an email to Cotrone, which he provided to the bar association.

I have been in fear since this happened, and do not know what else to do.

Thank you for your time, and your compassion.