

Whistle-Blower Jill Jones-Soderman of The Foundation for the Child Victims of the Family Courts Persecuted for Reporting Child-Abuse

NYACK, N.Y., June 8, 2013 /PRNewswire/ -- Whistle-blower Jill Jones-Soderman, the executive director of The Foundation for the Child Victims of the Family Courts, says she is being persecuted by New Jersey government officials for her role in revealing explosive information.

According to Jones-Soderman, the problems began when she was subpoenaed by a client in New Jersey to provide information to the Family Court. She was working pro-bono as a therapist and forensic advocate on the case. While trying to bring certain facts to the attention of the court, Jones-Soderman claims that Judge Mary Margaret McVeigh used her position to suppress evidence and testimony in the case.

The suppression of evidence and the collaboration of various adversarial parties involved in the case may have led to the suicide of the 12-year-old boy who was the subject in the case, Jones-Soderman explained. The boy, "...refused to be taken from the protective custody of his mother, and was placed with the father, who used brutal treatment and intimidation," she said. The young boy left a note that read "I love you mom," before his death.

"Not one licensing board was in any way interested in the underlying issue of the case: the protection of young children in a wildly rogue, fraudulent and biased court," Jones-Soderman said, adding that the Attorney General's office has been harassing her and her clients, using tax-payer money ever since. "Patients visited by the attorney general's office have continued as my patients and have testified on my behalf, only to be themselves ridiculed and threatened in court."

Eventually the attorney general's office and its licensing boards, through what Jones-Soderman calls deception and intimidation, removed her state license. She says assistant state attorney Susan Berger threatened, "That if I did not sign what she wanted me to sign, I would not be able to leave the courtroom in time to pick up my child from school."

One of the heavy hitters who has come to her defense is Dr. Monty Weinstein, an internationally acclaimed forensic expert and the founder of the Family Therapy Center. "The bureaucrats of the state, in my opinion, have to be held accountable for this complicitous witch hunt against a fine, brilliant and creative therapist," he wrote in an

affidavit filed with the court. "I hope and pray that I will get to opine."

Jones-Soderman has filed multiple civil rights law suits, including a racketeer influenced and corrupt organizations complaint (RICO) against New Jersey Court officials, in Federal Court. Her organization, The Foundation for the Child Victims of the Family Courts has also filed civil rights cases on behalf of its clients in Federal Court, as recently as September 2014.