

The Honorable Mary A. McLaughlin
United States District Court
For the Eastern District of Pennsylvania
U.S. Courthouse
601 Market Street, Room #13614
Philadelphia, PA 19106-1723

June 17, 2009

Dear Judge McLaughlin,

My name is Yulia Mazana and I have a pleasure of knowing the Mogilyansky family since 2001. I live and work in Kyiv, Ukraine, previously employed by Deloitte and Touche and currently working independently as a business consultant, based in Kyiv, Ukraine.

I met Andrew Mogilyansky in 2001 through his sister-in-law, Natalia Gluschuk, who is my best friend. Natalia and I met in Rivne, Ukraine, our home town, in August 2000 when we both won a scholarship for an exchange program to live and study in USA. Upon completion of our exchange years, both Natalia and I were studying at International Christian University in Kyiv and were roommates during first two academic years (2001-2003) until Natalia moved to the US to pursue her education at Drexel University, PA.

During my university years, I have visited my former US host family regularly in New Jersey and, while there, always spent time with Natalia, Oksana (her sister) and Andrew in Philadelphia. Over the course of 8 years of close communication and good friendship with Andrew and Oksana, as well as with their parents, I have grown fond of their family's values, traditions and open-hearted atmosphere of their home.

I know Andrew as an outstanding, intelligent and kind man whose priority always remained focused on his family. Our families grew very close and all significant events and moments were always celebrated together. In December 2007 I had a chance to spend vacation with Andrew, Oksana, Natalia, their children as well as parents in Egypt – it was a joyful experience where I saw Andrew as a very caring and loving father, husband and son.

I strongly believe in Andrew as a dedicated family man, wonderful friend as well as successful entrepreneur who demonstrates his concern and care for society through charity work. His unmatched work to help the victims of terrorist attacks in Russia changed many, many lives. Without a doubt, he has done more good in his life than any other person I know.

Dear Judge, I thank you for your time and consideration given to my letter.

Respectfully,



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