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Mr. Mark Ridley-Thomas, Senator(26<sup>th</sup> District)  
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September 16, 2008

RE: ARTICLE I, Sections 1, 26, 28 et seq., CC

Dear Senator Ridley-Thomas:

This petition is forwarded to you in your capacity as my state senator and because of the fact you are presently vying for the office of Supervisor for the Second District, County of Los Angeles, an office endowing you with all powers (executive, legislative and judicial) and also the district wherein I reside. The fundamental responsibility of government to its people is stated in Section 1 of the article cited in RE above which for a man with less than independent means demands he has the right to gainful employment, a responsibility that has been unmet by any and all representation to black descendants of slaves for more than one hundred forty- seven years (147 years)- that is until the filing of case #C895 188: Leon E. Lofton Jr., et al. vs. School Board of the Los Angeles Unified School District (LAUSD), Superior Court of Los Angeles.

Leon E. Lofton Jr. (01-16-18 to 07-16-03) an honorably discharged, disabled American combat infantry veteran of a foreign war sacrificed abroad and at home for GOD created rights denied to him and to his family despite the provisions of ARTICLE I, Section 26. Even though you presently lack executive power but still are under oath to protect and preserve the Constitution of the

State of California I enclose herein for your perusal a complete and exact copy of the JOINT PRETRIAL STATEMENT, case #C 895 188.

Sincerely yours,

*Esther M. Lofton*  
(Esther M. Lofton)

1 copy sent certified; one copy sent by 1<sup>st</sup> class mail.

Cc:

The Honorable J. Stephen Czuleger, Presiding Judge, Superior Court of California for Los Angeles, 111 N. Hill Street; Los Angeles, CA 90012.

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