

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

DECLARATION OF CRYSTAL PATTERSON

I, Crystal Patterson, state and declare as follows:

1. I, Crystal Patterson, am a 29-year-old resident of San Francisco.
2. I was arrested on Tuesday, October 27, and booked in the county jail by the San Francisco Sheriff's Office for assault with force causing great bodily injury.
3. When I got to jail, I was told that I had to pay \$150,000 for my release, and that if I did not pay, I would be kept in jail.
4. I live with my 79-year-old grandmother. My mother is unemployed and homeless, so I am my grandmother's primary caregiver.
5. I perform in-home care services for elderly individuals and get paid \$12.50 per hour. I am not paid to care for my grandmother, and my income goes to support both her and my necessities of life. I have no savings or money.
6. I cannot afford to buy my release from jail. None of my friends or family is able to pay the money to buy my release from jail. If I had the money — or if I could get the money from any friend or relative — I would immediately pay for my freedom.
7. Lacking the required money to buy my freedom, I am told that I will remain in jail until I am brought to trial.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Crystal Patterson', is written over a horizontal line.

Crystal Patterson

October 28, 2015