Kevin Morris Statement – January 18, 2024

I AM VOLUNTARILY APPEARING HERE TO RESPOND TO ANY QUESTIONS YOU HAVE ABOUT MY RELATIONSHIP WITH HUNTER BIDEN. HUNTER IS MY CLIENT AND ONE OF MY CLOSEST FRIENDS.

I WAS FIRST INTRODUCED TO HUNTER AT A CAMPAIGN EVENT FOR THEN VICE PRESIDENT BIDEN IN THE FALL/WINTER OF 2019. I WAS ASKED TO HELP HIM WITH SOME POTENTIAL LEGAL ISSUES IN THE ENTERTAINMENT INDUSTRY. A WEEK AFTER THE FUNDRAISER, I WENT TO HUNTER'S HOUSE IN LOS ANGELES. WE SPOKE FOR FOUR TO FIVE HOURS ABOUT LEGAL ISSUES AND OTHER PROBLEMS HE WAS FACING AT THE TIME.

WHEN I FIRST MET HUNTER, HE WAS EMERGING FROM THE LOWEST POINT IN HIS LIFE. AT THIS TIME, HE HAD NO INCOME AND HIS WIFE MELISSA WAS FIVE MONTHS PREGNANT. ALTHOUGH HE WAS BEING HARRASSED BY PAPARAZZI, AS WELL AS PEOPLE COMING ONTO HIS PROPERTY AND THREATENING HIM, HE HAD NO SECURITY PROTECTION. I WAS CONCERNED THAT HUNTER DID NOT HAVE THE LEVEL OF SUPPORT HE NEEDED. I STEPPED IN AND HAVE DONE SO EVER SINCE. I HAVE WORKED HARD TO CREATE A LIFE THAT HAS ALLOWED ME TO HELP MY FAMILY AND FRIENDS WHEN THEY HAVE NEEDED IT, AND I DID SO WITH HUNTER. IN ADDITION TO LEGAL ADVICE AND FRIENDSHIP, OVER THE COURSE OF THE LAST FOUR YEARS, I HAVE LOANED HUNTER MONEY TO HELP HIM THROUGH HIS DIFFICULTIES. WHEN NEEDED, WE EACH HAVE HAD ATTORNEYS SEPARATELY ADVISE US ON THESE TRANSACTIONS. I AM CONFIDENT HUNTER WILL REPAY THESE LOANS.

I DID NOT AND DO NOT HAVE ANY EXPECTATIONS OF RECEIVING ANYTHING FROM HUNTER'S FATHER OR THE BIDEN ADMINISTRATION IN EXCHANGE FOR HELPING HUNTER, NOR HAVE I ASKED FOR ANYTHING FROM PRESIDENT BIDEN OR HIS ADMINISTRATION.

MY ONLY GOAL WAS AND IS TO HELP MY FRIEND AND CLIENT. IN THIS COUNTRY THERE IS NO PROHIBITION AGAINST HELPING A FRIEND IN NEED WITH NO ULTERIOR MOTIVE, DESPITE THE INCAPACITY OF SOME TO IMAGINE SUCH A THING.