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Re: NEY v. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Dear Sirs:

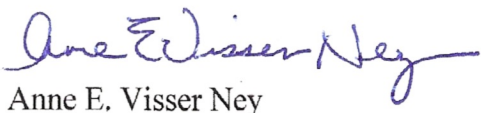
I retained your firm in March of this year to represent me in Merit System Protection Board proceedings pursuant to my wrongful termination from the Department of Commerce. The Firm accepted my case following 17 months of *pro se* representation during which I established *prima facie* cases for USERRA and marital status, age and EEO retaliation discriminations. I retained your firm at Mr. Eugene Fidel's recommendation, and because of your expertise in military, EEO and MSPB proceedings.

Since that time, Ms. D'Agostino has represented my interests. Unfortunately, I have found her services to be unacceptable. I have repeatedly and unsuccessfully attempted to resolve my concerns directly with her in person, on the phone and through multiple e-mails.

I feel there would be a tremendous disadvantage in terminating my relationship with Puckett & Faraj at this time. However, I also believe it is necessary to raise my concerns over Ms. D'Agostino's services to a higher level. My hope is that they may be resolved so that our relationship may continue appropriately.

Please contact me at your earliest convenience so that we may come to consensus on the nature of our relationship and the status of the referenced case. Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

Sincerely,


Anne E. Visser Ney