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Ang Udom
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Re: **Ieng Sary**

Dear Mr. Ang and Mr. Karnavas,

I have, as per your inquiry, undertaken an initial study of Dr. Campbell's report of his attempt at a forensic psychiatric evaluation competency to stand trial dated November 6, 2012.

It is clear that his methodology is unacceptable by any generally accepted as reliable standard for forensic psychiatric evaluation of competency to stand trial. This includes his failures to:

1. Provide a competency specific mental status examination relative to the defendant's capacity to assist counsel such as a check of his autobiographical memory.
2. Provide a systematic assessment of the limits of his attention, concentration, language and executive functions relative to his endurance in relation to fatigue and pain as the trial progresses and information complexity increases.
3. A blanket dismissal of potential medication side effects based on the ipse dixit assumption that since the defendant's medications have not been changed, a gradual emergence of subtle yet significant medication related neurotoxicity can simply be pulled out or would be noticed by his treating clinicians.

Given my more than thirty years as an academically and court recognized forensic psychiatric expert, Dr. Campbell's methodology ranks in the most unreliable end of the spectrum. Such unreliability foreseeably disregards the rights of a disabled defendant to be able to assist counsel in this court of law. Attached is a copy of my C.V.

Yours very truly,

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