



## Cayman Islands Human Rights Commission

*promoting, protecting and preserving human rights*

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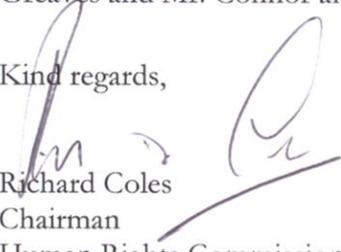
Dear Mr. Gomez,

The Human Rights Commission is in receipt of a memorandum from the Acting Director of Prisons, Danny Greaves, in which he is seeking "guidance as it relates to voting rights for remand prisoners". His query is related to an attached letter from prisoner Shane Connor who is requesting guidance on the same matter. Mr. Connor's letter indicates that he has sent the same query to your offices. Both of these documents are attached for your ease of reference.

The Commission discussed the matter on 3 December, 2012 however it was agreed the Elections Office is more appropriately charged with providing such guidance.

The Commission would be interested in being made aware of the guidance you provide to Mr. Greaves and Mr. Connor and as such would therefore request a copy of the same.

Kind regards,

  
Richard Coles  
Chairman  
Human Rights Commission

cc: Acting Director of Prisons

att: Memorandum from the Acting Director of Prisons dated 27 November, 2012  
Letter from prisoner Shane Connor dated 26 November, 2012



## MEMORANDUM

To: Human Rights Commission

From: Mr. Daniel Greaves  
A/Director of Prisons

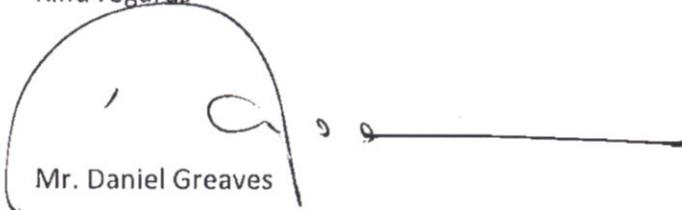
Tuesday, 27 November 2012

Re: #3201 Shane Connor

Please see attached correspondence from Shane Connor.

I would also be grateful if you could provide the Prison with guidance as it relates to voting rights for Remand prisoners in order for us to be able to inform others.

Kind regards



Mr. Daniel Greaves

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MR. SUANE E. CONNOR & ELECTION OFFICE

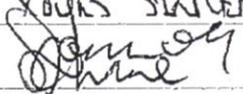
TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN,

26<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2012

I AM A REGISTERED VOTER IN THE DISTRICT OF BODDEN TOWN, BUT I HAVE FOUND MYSELF IN A UNLAWFUL SITUATION BY BEING INCARCERATED. I WOULD LIKE TO KNOW WHAT WILL MY POSITION BE ON ELECTION DAY??

I HAVE NOT BEEN CONTACTED OF ANY CRIME, BUT AN ALLEGATION WAS MADE AND IN AN ARRESTING TRAIL, WHICH SHOULD BE SOMETIME NEXT YEAR. I WOULD LIKE FOR THE ELECTIONS OFFICE TO CLARIFY THAT ISSUE, AS OTHER REGISTERED VOTERS MIGHT FIND THEMSELVES IN THE SAME POSITION AS ME.

I WILL HUMBLY BE WAITING ON A REPLY LTD P.O. BOX 1807 G.T. KY1-1109

YOURS SINCERELY,  
  
SUANE E. CONNOR

CC: KEANEY GOMEZ (SUPERVISOR OF ELECTIONS)  
MELBY NIXON (ELECTION OFFICE (BODDEN TOWN))  
HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION  
GOVERNOR'S OFFICE