AFFIDAVIT OF DEBORAH MOYER

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County of Crittenden)	

Before the undersigned Notary Public, duly qualified and acting in and for said county and state, appeared Deborah Moyer, to me well known to be the affiant herein, who stated the following under oath:

- "1. My name is Deborah Moyer. I am over the age of 21 and competent to give this declaration.
- All of the information set forth herein is within my personal knowledge and is true and correct.
- 3. I live at 1609 S. McAuley Street in West Memphis, Arkansas. I have lived at this same address since the 1980s. I have three daughters who lived in this house on McAuley with me until they were grown. In 1993, my daughter Jamie Clark (now Jamie Ballard) was 13 and my daughter Brandy Clark (now Brandy Williams) was 12. I still live in this house.
- 4. In 1993, I had neighbors that lived several doors down to the left from me (if you walked out of the front door of my house). I did not know the names of these neighbors. There was a man and a woman, and I know they at least had a son. Their son had blond hair. I had seen him playing in the neighborhood. Also, on several occasions, I had seen the man and the woman outside in their yard and driveway with their little blond boy. I could recognize this man and the little blond boy as my neighbors on sight, event though I did not know their names.

- 5. On May 5, 1993, approximately between 5:30 and 6:30 PM, I looked out a window in the back of my house and saw three little boys, including the blond boy that lived down the street, playing in my backyard. I knew these boys because I had seen them playing in my backyard before. My backyard backs up to a bayou and there is a ditch that runs along the bayou. I did not like it when children played in my backyard (there was no fence around my backyard in 1993) because I was always worried that some child would get hurt. When I saw the boys playing in my backyard, I decided that I would go out and tell them not to play back there.
- 6. Back in 1993, my daughters Jamie and Brandy attended a youth group at a church in West Memphis. Certain members and sponsors of the group would pick Jamie and Brandy up at around 6:30 PM and take them to church youth group meetings on Wednesday nights. May 5, 1993 was a Wednesday night. On May 5, 1993, two sponsors of the youth group came by at approximately 6:30 PM to pick up Jamie and Brandy to go to the youth group meeting. At the time the sponsors came, I had not yet gone out to tell the boys not to play in the backyard.
- 7. At approximately 6:30 PM on May 5, 1993, when I saw that my daughters' ride was out front, I walked out the front door with Jamie and Brandy to see them off and to say hello to the sponsors. I was going to then go around the corner of the house and tell the boys not to play in the backyard. As I walked out the front door, though, I saw the three boys who had been playing in my backyard, including the blond one who lived down the street, come through between my house and the house to the left of mine (to the left if you were walking out my

- front door). The blond one was on a bike and the other two were running behind him.
- 8. At this same time, as I was in front of my house seeing the boys go by between the houses, I saw the man who lived down the street with the blond boy, whom I believed to be the blond boy's father, yelling for the three boys to get down to his house. He was walking up the sidewalk talking loud to the little blond boy and telling all the boys to get down to his house.
- 9. I later came to understand that the three boys who were playing in my backyard, who I saw go between my house and the other house and who were called by the blond boy's father, were murdered sometime later that night or the next morning.
- 10. Through the years, at different times when the murders came up, my daughter Jamie and I would talk about the three boys playing in the backyard that night. I could never understand why no police officer ever came to interview me or my daughters. In fact, I never saw any police officers canvassing the neighborhood interviewing folks about the murders.
- 11. Of course, had I known that I or my daughters had any information that was important to the investigation of the murders I would have gone to the police.

 However, I did not know that the fact that those little boys were in my backyard around 6:30 PM on May 5, 1993 was significant. I also did not know that the fact that I saw the father of the blond boy calling the kids that night to come down to his home was significant. If I had known that, or if I had known that my daughters had any important information, I would have contacted the West

Memphis Police Department immediately and we would have told them what we
knew."
Further the affiant sayeth naught.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand this day of
DEBORAH MOYER
Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of, 2009.
Notary Public
My commission expires: