

EXHIBIT F

December 4, 2023

The Honorable John D. Bates
United States District Court for the District of Columbia
333 Constitution Avenue, NW
Washington D.C. 20001

Dear Judge Bates,

My name is Crystal Ball. I am a professional in the credit and accounting field. I am writing this letter as a character reference for David Ball, my brother. I have known Mr. Ball since his birth, as I am the eldest of all the siblings.

I want to be clear that it wasn't an easy decision for me to write this letter. I was and continue to be strongly against the events that took place in Washington D.C. and at the Capital Building on January 6, 2021. I am writing this letter to speak to Mr. Ball's character aside from his conviction.

Mr. Ball is a family man, first and foremost. He has a deep love for his family, including his mother and father, siblings, wife and children. Mr. Ball is a hard worker, owning his own business, building it from the ground up into a success, enabling him to support his wife and children.

I believe what Mr. Ball has told me about going to Washington D.C. that day only to hear the President speak. However, he got caught up in the events and made the decision to enter the Capitol building. I believe if faced with the same situation again, Mr. Ball's decision would not be the same. I truly do not believe that Mr. Ball realized that he was committing an offense. I believe that he has certainly learned from his choices that day.

Mr. Ball has shown remorse when speaking with me about the events of this day. He did not share the events with me until after he was charged. I believe that he was so remorseful that he was worried to share this with me.

Mr. Ball has shown up for me as a brother on more than one occasion. He has helped me move, he's taken care of me when I wasn't able to take care of myself. Mr. Ball is a caregiver, to family, friends and even strangers.

To sum it up, Mr. Ball is a good, caring man who made a very poor decision. However, he has learned from that decision and, if anything, it has made him an even better man.

Sincerely,

Crystal L. Ball

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