The Presiding Judge and all Officers of the Loughrea District Court
The Courthouse
Loughrea
County Galway
Republic of Ireland.

Wednesday, May 6th 2015.

Dear Presiding Judge and all Officers of the Loughrea District Court,

## RE: Case Number 2014/233698 to be heard at the April 6th 2015 Sitting at Loughrea District Courthouse

I feel I cannot sensibly attend today's Court Hearing because, since around 2002, I have been suffering very badly with Complex Post Traumatic Stress Disorder (C-PTSD), evidence of which can be found in the attached copy of the "To Whom It May Concern" letter dated October 28th 2005 from Dr Michael McCavert GP; and, that attendance at today's Court Hearing would (I believe) undoubtedly exacerbate my C-PTSD condition in major ways. This belief of mine is, I understand, shared by Dr Deirdre Mulryan (Medical Doctor, Senior Registrar, and Psychotherapist at Ballinasloe Day Hospital), with whom I have had a number of lengthy telephone conversations during recent months. I also understand that Dr Deirdre Mulryan has written to An Garda Siochana (Republic of Ireland Police) in Loughrea at least once earlier this year regarding my particular situation: along very similar lines to what I relate here.

Since last December (2014), there has been a very significant increase in the symptoms of the C-PTSD psychological injuries I suffer from, and in particular those relating to the frequency and intensity of the panic-attacks I am at present experiencing: which, as you may already know, can be extremely freighting in ways. Far more worrying for me though is the fact that combinations of the set of C-PTSD symptoms I suffer from, can, given the right set of circumstances, very suddenly appear in an entirely involuntary way for me: and, for people not familiar with the symptoms of C-PTSD, the results can very easily be grossly misunderstood, and also grossly misrepresented very easily, in ways which have no meaningful relationship with reality. This fact has, I believe, the potential to create extremely serious legal consequences for me: if I were to attempt to appear in a Court of Law at the present time.

My understanding is that Brendan Glynn (Solicitor) will be in Court today to represent myself, my brother (Gerald Finnerty), and my half-sister (Marjorie Dolan), both of whom also intend to be present; and, that Mr Glynn plans to ask the Court for a further adjournment of my case so that we have the necessary time needed to prepare my legal defence. Further information relating to this is contained in a registered letter I sent to the Clerk of Loughrea District (Ms Josie Mulherin) last Friday (May 2nd 2015), and, a scanned copy of the full letter in question, together with scanned copies of the associated Post Office registered-letter receipts, all in PDF Format, can be viewed at the following www location:

http://www.humanrightsireland.com/LawyerBrendanGlynn/2May2015/RegisteredLetters.pdf

It would be very much appreciated if the Presiding Judge at today's Sitting of the Loughrea District Court would please grant Mr Brendan Glynn (acting on my behalf) a further adjournment of my case, because, among a number of other things, I believe it might be a very important step in helping me to recover from the C-PTSD psychological injuries I am at present suffering from.

Yours sincerely,

William Finnerty.

c/o Finnerty's Shop New Inn Ballinasloe County Galway Republic of Ireland.

## ATTACHED:

Copy of "To Whom It May Concern" letter dated October 28th 2005 from Dr Michael McCavert GP.

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28 October 2005

To Whom It May Concern:

RE: William Finnerty, 62 Main Street, Gortin, BT79 8HH

I have been this man's general practioner for the last five or six months. Over this period I have met William on eight or ten occasions and I have access to some records from the psychiatric hospital about him and I've also had some communications with Gerry Madden Senior Pysciatric Social Worker at Lissan House in Omagh.

As a result of ourprolonged conversations I have come to some conclusions and they are as follows:

Firstly that Williams symptoms and behaviours are the result of traumas and stresses over years and these traumas and stresses have come at the hands of individuals and public officals and bodies that he has encountered in his struggles to try to correct environmental wrong doings. He has suffered considerable frustration at not being able to get legal representation and indeed has been refused legal aid as well. On reviewing the depth and range of his symptoms he has got PTSD Complex as a result of all his trauma. I think William's mental health is very much at risk and any attempt to produce undue pressure on his mental state will certainly have a detramental effect.

William has been through enough and needs support and understanding for PTSD (Post Traumatic Stress Disorder) and I hope he can be given sympathetic handling by the officals with whom he comes in contact.

Yours sincerely,

Dr MoCavert