Client I.D. No. \*

## **Immigration & Refugee Board**

**Immigration Division** 

In the matter of the detention review of

## **Fred Flintstone**

pursuant to the Immigration & Refugee Protection Act

## Affidavit

I, **WILMA FLINTSONE**, of the City of Stoney Creek, in the Province of Ontario, MAKE OATH AND SAY:

- 1. I am the former common-law spouse of Fred Flintstone (hereafter "Fred"), and as such, have knowledge of the matters to which I depose hereafter.
- 2. I make this affidavit to express my support for Fred, and to set out how I intend to ensure his compliance with any terms or conditions of release that should be imposed upon him by the Immigration Division of the Immigration & Refugee Board. I do so because, regrettably, I am unable to attend the detention review on June 1 as I am fully committed to work engagements on that day.
- 3. I am 39 years old. I was born on March 29, 2019 BC in Bedrock, Jurassicia, the same country and city in which Fred was born. Attached to this my affidavit as Exhibit "A" is a true copy of my Jurassicia passport.
- 4. I came to Canada as a live-in caregiver in July, 1994 BC. I am now a Canadian permanent resident and have completed a Personal Support Worker course at Slag

Lawrence College. Currently I am employed as a personal support worker with the Old Timer's Society retirement home. Attached to this my affidavit as Exhibit "B" is a copy of a letter from my employer confirming my ongoing employment. Attached to this my affidavit at Exhibit "C" is my year-to-date income statement and attached to this my affidavit as Exhibit "D" are my bank statements for the last three months.

- 5. I live at 1462K Rock Road in Stoney Creek, Ontario Z1Z 1Z1 with our two children. My phone number is (613) 777-7777. Attached to this my affidavit as Exhibit "E" is a true copy of the deed to this property, which I own subject to a mortgage. Attached to this my affidavit as Exhibit "F" is a true copy of a current mortgage pay-out statement. Fred's sister Rockhead and I are neighbours.
- 6. Fred and I were together for six years, starting in 1990 BC. We separated in 1984 BC, and have not lived together since. I am now in a relationship with someone else, and I have no interest in resuming my relationship with Fred. However, I have always kept in relatively close touch with Fred, and since he has been in jail Fred has called me weekly to check in, for support and to talk to our children.
- 7. I am of the view that Fred will not commit further offences. Much of his offending is related to the difficulties he has had in coping with his mental health diagnosis rendered two years ago. Offences he was convicted of a year ago were committed much earlier. Since then he has taken rehabilitative programming and received very positive reports. Since he went to jail he has worked too hard to stay out of trouble to get into more of it.
- 8. I have observed big changes in Fred. He used to be very loud and self-centered, but since taking programming in jail he has been a gentleman. For instance, without being reminded he called our former neighbor Betty Rubble to wish her a happy birthday. He calls the kids weekly without fail.
- 9. Before he was sentenced Fred was on bail for nearly a year, during which he reported to

the police twice a week without fail. His unlawfully-at-large offence had to do with a failure to get back to jail to serve a sentence he was doing on week-ends. He could not get a ride.

- 10. Fred has not run from his troubles. If he wished to do that, facing such serious charges as those of which he was convicted, he would have done so. Even though he knew that he was facing a substantial jail term, he has not run. I do not believe he will flee if released by the Immigration Division.
- 11. Fred has told me that he is prepared to accept the judgment of the authorities respecting his deportation. He has said to me "whatever will be, will be", and knowing him as I do, I believe he means that. Living on the run will defeat the results of his efforts to rebuild his relationship with our children, and I know he does not want to do that.
- 12. I am prepared to post a bond of \$2,000.00 in cash in support of Fred's release, and to post a non-cash bond of up to \$3,000.00. I am aware that these amounts may not be large, but they are a lot for me, as I am the sole provider for myself and the two children, and I have been paying a lot for collect phone calls from Fred.
- 13. Also, I am prepared to engage the services of an electronic monitoring company that can install an electronic monitoring device upon Fred to ensure that his movements are confined within any area specified by the Board. I have been in communication with Feldspar Inc., a company that provides these services, and have determined that I can afford their services on an on-going basis.
- 14. While Fred and I have a relationship as former spouses and co-parents, this does not mean that I will overlook any transgressions. From my perspective it is critical to our relationship and to his relationship with our children that he abide by any terms and conditions of his release, and my support of him is conditional on that understanding. He knows that, and that I would have no hesitation in turning him in to the authorities should

he violate those terms and conditions.

- 15. I am well familiar with Dino Gravelle, who is Fred's co-worker and another of his supporters. Dino is also prepared to be a bondsperson for Fred, and I pledge to work with him in ensuring that Fred complies with the terms of his release into the community. I believe that Fred will listen to us and will follow the conditions of his release.
- 16. I make this affidavit in support of the release of my former common-law spouse Fred Flintstone and for no other or improper purpose.

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SWORN/AFFIRMED before me at the Town of Stoney Creek in the Province of Ontario this\_\_\_\_\_day of February, 1980

WILMA FLINTSONE

A Commissioner, etc.