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Illinois Court Rules Against Transgender Father

April 8, 2003 – A Circuit Court judge in Cook County has determined that a transgender man has no legal right to custody of a 10-year old child born during his marriage to the child’s mother. The couple was married in 1985. The husband, who had been born a genetic female, identified as a man and had been receiving male hormone treatment for several years prior to the marriage. He had a hysterectomy and an oophorectomy (removal of the ovaries) in 1991. For financial reasons, however, he never had genital surgery.

At about the time of the husband’s surgery, the couple began attempts to have a child by means of artificial insemination using donor sperm. Their efforts met with success, and their son was born on July 20, 1992. The names of both parties were listed on the artificial insemination agreement and on the child’s birth certificate.

The couple separated in 1998. Although the child lived with his mother following the separation, he expressed a preference to live with his father. The Cook County Public Guardian also stated to the court that the father was the better parent. There was clearly a close bond and loving relationship between the husband and the child.

Despite such evidence presented in approximately three weeks of testimony, Circuit Judge Gerald Bender ruled that the father was still a woman, regardless of his gender identity, because his female genitalia remained intact. Therefore, since same sex marriages are illegal in Illinois, the judge decided that there was no marriage to dissolve. The father, according to Judge Bender, had no legal standing to seek custody. *(Continued on Page 2)*

**The Next Meeting of
Illinois Gender Advocates
Will Take Place at 7:30 p.m. on
Thursday, April 3, 2003
And Will Be Held at
New Spirit MCC Church
542 S. Scoville Avenue
In Oak Park**

Miranda Writes...

The Price of Silence

By Miranda Stevens-Miller

On April 9, 2003, across the United States, nearly a quarter of a million high school students participated in the Day of Silence. The action is an annual event coordinated by GLSEN to protest violence, discrimination and harassment of LGBT students in K-12 schools. Nearly 500 students in the Chicago area participated in the action. The Day of Silence was followed by a Night of Noise, the traditional breaking of the *(Continued on Page 2)*

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Nevertheless, the court recognized the father's relationship with the child to the extent that he was granted continued visitation rights.

Judge Bender's ruling will not be the final decision in the matter. Patrick Murphy, the Cook County Public Guardian who represented the child during the proceedings, has indicated that he will appeal on behalf of his client.

Miranda Writes...

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silence in which the community is invited to speak out about the need for safe schools for all students. The Night of Noise was held at the Thompson Center Plaza in Chicago. The following is a rough transcript of the remarks that I gave at that rally.

I would like to spend a little time talking about the price of silence. But first let me introduce myself to those of you who may not know me. I am an out transgender activist. I am an outspoken advocate for safe schools and LGBT rights. And I am an outrageously opinionated columnist for Windy City Times, the voice of our diverse community in Chicago.

So what do I know about the price of silence? Well for one thing, I wasn't always so "out." If that is all you are seeing today, it is only part of the picture... a snapshot in time. When I was growing up, I was the shyest, quietest kid around. That's the part of the picture that I remember, and it is very much a part of me today. I remember there was one summer, when I was about 4 or 5 years old, that I didn't say a word. The camp counselor told my mom that I didn't open my mouth all summer long.

Oh, I knew how to be silent all right! I elevated silence to an art form. I was silent about my identity. I was silent about my gender. I was silent about who I really was... because I knew, I just knew it with all my heart, that if I broke that silence, my face would be plastered all over the National Enquirer, or the Star, or some other sleazy tabloid, in all the supermarkets throughout North America! You see, back then, the only role models I had were Christine Jorgenson and Rene Richards. They were the only people I knew who were like me... and they had their faces shown and stories told over and over again at every supermarket checkout line that I went through. It was self-defense. You come out as transgender and the world humiliates you in the tabloids. That's quite an incentive!

So I was silent... and so were the other transgender people. The others must have been afraid of the same thing that I was afraid of, because I never knew that there were thousands of people like me. Tens of thousands. Maybe even hundreds of

thousands... who knows? There are so many who are still silent. I thought I was all alone.

The price of that silence was the loss of freedom. I gave up the freedom to be myself. I gave up the freedom to be a whole human being, a whole person. I gave up a part of my life, and the freedom to love and form friendships.

As a community, the price of that silence was invisibility and exclusion. Oh we were there at the beginning of the gay rights movement. It was the transgender people who struck the first blows at Stonewall. But afterwards, we fell silent, or we were silenced. I really don't know how that all came about, but we were excluded. As the gay rights movement picked up steam in the '70s, '80s and '90s, we were invisible and excluded. And as gay rights were being fought for city by city, county by county, state by state, the transgender community was left out.

We paid for our silence by exclusion, and we're still paying for it. But we're catching up because we are silent no more. We now have transgender rights in Chicago and in Cook County. And we are included in legislation that is pending in Springfield. But we are still left out of federal legislation. Our closest allies hesitate to include us in the Employment Nondiscrimination Act, or even in federal hate crimes legislation. Our silence has resulted in a long hard battle for inclusion that is still being fought on all fronts.

Today was one more day of silence, but let's not allow this to be the only night of noise. For every day of silence, let there be 365 days of noise. Let there be a year of noise. Because only through noise are we made visible. And only through visibility can we achieve what is rightfully ours – the freedom to be ourselves, and inclusion in all the benefits of our society.

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Notes from the Scullery

Activists Have More Fun... Really!

By Diana Williamson

“It was a wonderful experience!” “I felt so empowered!” These phrases are typical of how most of the participants in this year’s Lobby Day on April 2 described their experiences in Springfield. Of course, this kind of enthusiasm does not come as a surprise to most veteran activists. Working with others for the good of all produces a deep sense of satisfaction that can be difficult to put in words. Even though the efforts may be unsuccessful in the short term (as in the case of S.B. 101, which appears to be hung up in the Senate at the moment), we know that we have done what we can to make our community better and safer for everyone.

Unfortunately, not all of us are in a position to attend Lobby Day. You may not be able to take the day off from work. Or you may not believe it prudent to “out” yourself at this particular point in time. Or perhaps you just aren’t especially interested in political matters. Does this mean that you can’t be an activist? Absolutely not!

When It’s Time, Illinois transformed itself into Illinois Gender Activists, the extent of our activities expanded considerably. While we still advocate for legislative changes, we will now be taking on a wide range of other issues as well. The scope of our involvement in the transgender community is limited only by the willingness of our members to become active participants.

The kinds of duties for which we need volunteer activists are as varied as the members of the community we serve. Some will call for creativity, such as designing brochures and mailings. Others, such as folding the papers to be mailed and stuffing them in envelopes, require no special skills. Interaction with other LGBT people is essential for some of the tasks that need volunteers, as in the case of membership drives and liaisons with other organizations. And interaction with the public may be required for others. Still other activities can be performed alone and at home. Of course, there are some things that are just plain fun, such as marching in the Pride Parade.

The amount of time you choose to spend serving as a volunteer activist can be as flexible as your personal schedule will permit. Naturally, we would like to have the services of our volunteers as much as possible. But you may have only one or two days each year that can be devoted to IGA activities. If that is the case, we would very much appreciate having you work with us on those occasions.

IGA exists to serve the transgender and gender variant community. Making the organization as responsive as possible to the needs of the community will require

involvement by our members. If we are not doing something that you believe we should, please tell me about it. The best way to contact me is by e-mail (DianaW@genderadvocates.org). If you don’t have a computer or internet access, however, you can always call me at the IGA hotline (312-409-5489) and leave a message. Although I can’t guarantee that all suggestions will be implemented, I promise to read and respond to all.

Finally, if you have a good idea (or even a not-so-good idea), come to our monthly meetings and tell us about it. We would love to see you and hear from you. Remember that activists have more fun... really!

Feedback...

Problems? Questions? Disagreements? Want to submit an article? Please write to us. We love to get mail.

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We Lost One – Let's Do Something About It

By Beth Plotner

You may or may not have heard that our community suffered a defeat a couple of weeks ago in a court case. The case happened right here in Chicago. What is even more amazing that in a very similar case down in Florida there was a win for our community.

The case I'm talking about has been in the local papers. The case concern's a divorce and custody case. The names have been kept confidential. Basically the case concerns a FtM husband/father and his attempts to win custody of his son. Yes, the case does sound a lot like the Kantaras case from Florida. The case was heard by Judge Gerald Bender who sits in the Domestic Relations Division of the Circuit Court of Cook County. In short his ruling was that he could not grant a divorce to the couple as they never had a legal marriage and gave custody of the child to the mother though he did grant visitation rights to the father.

Judge Bender reasoned that since the husband/father had not undergone genital reassignment surgery he was still legally a woman and could not marry another woman. Judge Bender did not take into account recent decisions in other states that say genitalia does not automatically equal gender.

The Cook County Guardian's Office represented the child in this case. The Guardian's Office felt the father was the better parent and urged that the father get custody. Yet, Judge Bender did not see it that way and ruled in favor of the mother.

I have left out a lot of the details in the case and just given you the bare basics. But before I go on I will give you a little more information. This case was in front of Judge Bender for 4 ½ years. At the beginning of the case I was contacted by the Cook County Guardian's Office, the attorney for the husband/father and the husband/father himself. I gave them all whatever help I could as far as possible suggestions. I have been aware of this case and been following it when I could over the years.

Now that the case has had a ruling we need to move to the next step. An appeal is being planned. Shannon Minter a senior attorney from the National Center for Lesbian Rights will be working on the case. Many attorneys, myself included, have offered whatever help we can. There will be other attorneys working on this case. Yet, you can help too!

IGA is trying to raise funds to help with the costs of the appeal. If you want to be a part of overturning this case we could use your tax-deductible contributions. Remember, one of our missions is legal advocacy. One of the ways we can

fulfill this part of the mission is to support the member of our community with legal fees.

We've had a number of successes let's turn this one around and get the train back on track.

P.S. For the record though I have offered my help on the appeal, any and all help that I would personally give would be as a volunteer and totally pro bono. I will not and cannot receive any fees regarding this matter due to the obvious conflicts of interest.

Minutes for the Monthly Meeting of March 2003

By Rebecca Davis, Secretary

The meeting was called to order at 7:35 p.m. on Thursday, March 6, 2003 in the lower level of Transformations, 146 N. Oak Park Ave., Oak Park, Illinois. In attendance were Beth Plotner (Chair), Diana Williamson, Marsha Jackson, Rebecca Davis, and Julie, Jennifer, Sheila. In addition, DeVon, a college student, attended the meeting as a school assignment researching gender advocacy.

Diana began the meeting with an announcement that the next meeting (April) will be held at the Oak Park Metropolitan Community Church, 542 S. Scoville Ave., Oak Park, Illinois.

YOUTH ADVOCACY

Beth announced progress on the location for IGA's youth advocacy program. The location will be at Holy Covenant Church, 900 W. Diversey if all negotiations are completed successfully.

Also, DCFS has now passed protocols for TG youth within that organization and is in the process of developing new TG programs.

LEGISLATIVE

Beth announced that Illinois Senate bill 101 has cleared committee and is being sent to the full Senate for a vote. She stated that work is continuing on putting together a Safe Schools bill and also on the Gender Violence Act. Beth also announced to the membership that the Equality Illinois Lobbying Day will be Wednesday, April 2, 2003 in Springfield. If you are available, help make our voice heard in Springfield. Lobbying will be to add gender identity to state law.

LEGAL

Beth gave details on the legal decision made in the Kanteras case in Florida where the court ruled that Michael Kanteras, a

transgender man, was legally male and was legally married to his former wife, Linda Kanteras. The Helig case in Maryland Court of Appeals was detailed by Beth to members. The case, where the petitioner, Helig, sought a court order to change her name and sexual identity and was granted the name change but denied the change of sexual identity, was remanded back to the Circuit Court for further proceedings. Both cases are huge victories for the transgender community. Details on these cases were also given in the March issue of the IGA newsletter.

IGA PRIDE EVENT

Discussion was held among the membership for this year's Pride Event. Ina's restaurant was suggested as a possible location. The theme for this year's event was open for nominations but none were brought forward at this time. Nominated as recipients of this year's Rainbow award were Mike Quigley and Billy Ocasio. Further discussions on the Pride Event were tabled to the next IGA board meeting.

MISCELLANEOUS

There was a discussion by the members as to what they thought the focus of IGA should be going forward. Most of the membership agreed to IGA's youth advocacy and it was stated that IGA also needs to continue to pursue legislation, continue advocacy, pursue solutions to problems, and look to benefit TG members of all ages. Problems encountered by a member in dealing with the Veteran's Administration due to TG issues was brought forward. Members also supplied the meeting with a verbal listing of their occupational or private skills in order to take advantage of member expertise on future IGA projects. Members answered questions brought by our guest, DeVon, and the meeting was adjourned at 9:00 p.m.

Minutes for the Monthly Meeting of April 2003

By Rebecca Davis, Secretary

The meeting was called to order at 7:45 pm on April 3, 2003. There were 13 people in attendance including the IGA officers.

LEGISLATIVE

Beth inquired how many of the meeting attendees had gone to Lobby Day in Springfield. Four people stated they had attended. One person stated that they had seen Judy Baar Topinka, Jesse White, and Tom Tulley in addition to their representatives. According to those who attended Lobby Day, the event was a success.

Beth explained the Violence Against Women Act and how it includes us to the attendees and also stated that there are attempts being made to strengthen the Hate Crimes bill.

Miranda explained the Safe Schools Act that is being drafted.

Beth told the attendees that New Mexico had passed a Hate Crimes bill and Equal Rights bill including gender identity. The Minnesota legislature has defeated the attempt to repeal their equal rights law.

LEGAL

Beth mentioned the Texas sodomy case that is being heard by the U.S. Supreme Court. We are all hoping for a favorable decision in this case.

YOUTH

Miranda told the group that the new IGA youth drop-in center is now open. Several youths showed up on Wednesday night at the center at 900 W. Division. Please help spread the word on the youth drop-in on Wednesday nights. If you are interested in helping, donations are needed and volunteers are welcome but will need to have a criminal background check done prior to working with the youth group. Contact Josephine Christopher for more information.

PRIDE EVENT

IGA is planning to have a get together to celebrate Pride and the past year's accomplishments. We are looking at a simple event, pizza and beer or something like that. The event is tentatively scheduled for June 8, 2003. Confirmation and details will be forthcoming. Volunteers are needed and welcomed to help plan this event.

PRIDE PARADE

IGA will be in this year's Pride parade on June 29, 2003. Volunteers are needed to help plan IGA's entry. If you would like to volunteer or just want to march with IGA in the parade, please contact one of the IGA officers.

OPINION

At the April meeting it was mentioned that during discussions with legislators at Lobby Day that their concerns for gender identity legislation were not with transsexuals but with cross dressers. One person stated that it would be much easier to pass legislation if it applied to transsexuals only. Yes, it would be easier to pass legislation aimed only at transsexuals and splinter our community. It was easier for New York to leave out the transgender community to pass SONDA. It is always harder to fight for all individuals than to just fight for yourself. IGA has and always will stand united behind all of the individuals under the transgender umbrella. Each one of us must stand united for the rights of *all* transgendered people if we are ever going to be successful.

Be Sure to Attend Our Next Meeting

Our next regular meeting will be held on Thursday, May 1, 2003, at 7:30 p.m. at the New Spirit Metropolitan Community Church, located at 542 S. Scoville Avenue in Oak Park. Please enter by the side door on Adams Street, then go up the stairs and turn right to the meeting room. Ample free parking is available on the street.

Thanks to Our Contributors:

A big thank you goes out to those who contributed articles to the newsletter this month. It is really appreciated from month to month. Thanks!!

- Miranda Stevens-Miller
- Diana Williamson
- NTAC
- Equality Florida
- Beth Plotner
- Rebecca Davis
- GenderPAC News

New Mexico Wins Daily Double: Hate Crimes, Nondiscrimination Bills Pass

From the National Transgender Advocacy Coalition (NTAC)

(March 26, 2003) – New Mexico made history this past week by passing both a Hate Crimes Bill on March 20 and Human Rights legislation that includes sexual orientation and gender identity the very next day. With this passage, and the governor’s signature, New Mexico will become the first state in the nation to enact two stand-alone pieces of legislation covering transgenders.

Though not enacted as yet, Gov. Bill Richardson has pledged to sign both pieces of legislation.

Representatives of New Mexico Gender Advocacy Information Network (NMGAIN), a transgender advocacy organization, had lobbied the state legislature for over four years to see the protective legislation pass.

“This victory is a triumph for all lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender persons in our state, and will contribute greatly toward safety and protection for us all,” said Virginia Stephenson, executive director of NMGAIN, immediately after the bill’s passage. Stephenson called the effort “a testament to many allies working together to see legislation pass. We earnestly thank the Coalition for Equality in New Mexico (CENM) for working to see this inclusive bill become law.”

“It’s taken us 12 years to get to this spot,” gushed an obviously pleased Linda Siegel, a lobbyist for CENM. For the first time the Coalition had three paid lobbyists during the session: Siegel, transgendered lobbyist Stephenson, and Gloria Nieto. This luxury allowed the group to visit every legislator and attend every committee meeting, and was considered the largest contributing factor to the victory.

The Human Rights amendment added the categories of sexual orientation and gender identity (defined as a person’s self-perception, or perception by another, of the person’s identity as a male or female based upon that person’s appearance, behavior or physical characteristics) to disallow discrimination in employment, union membership and housing, among other acts.

The Hate Crimes Bill authored by State Sen. Cisco McSorley, added penalties for bias-related crimes of vandalism and acts of violence (safe for non-capital murders) against various categories including sexual orientation and gender identity.

“With the passage of a Hate Crimes Bill in New Mexico to protect, among others, sexual orientation and gender identity, may this serve to speed all states to have such protections,” said Stephenson of NMGAIN, “and serve notice on our culture that all persons are deserving of respect and freedom.”

Gov. Bill Richardson promised to sign the bills in a meeting with NMGAIN’s executive director, Virginia Stephenson, early last week.

The National Transgender Advocacy Coalition (NTAC) gives a standing ovation to the Coalition for Equality in New Mexico, and to New Mexico Gender Advocacy Information Network for an outstanding year.

“Theirs was not only a tremendous victory, but a wonderful blueprint for success,” said NTAC chair, Vanessa Edwards Foster. “New Mexico GAIN only formed four years ago, and they’ve made fantastic strides,” added Foster, also executive director of TGAIN in neighboring Texas. “I’m very proud of Virginia and the New Mexico group!”

Only Minnesota and Rhode Island previously had transgender-inclusive nondiscrimination protections before the New Mexico vote. With the governor’s signature, New Mexico will also join Minnesota, California, Vermont, Missouri and Pennsylvania with Hate Crimes legislation that covers gender identity.

Founded in 1999, NTAC – the National Transgender Advocacy Coalition – is a §501(c)(4) civil rights organization working to establish and maintain the right of all transgendered, intersexed, and gender-variant people to live and work without fear of violence or discrimination..

GPAC, HRC Join Forces on Congressional Diversity Pledge

From GenderPAC News

April 17, 2003 – The Gender Public Advocacy Coalition and the Human Rights Campaign have joined forces in a joint effort to secure the signatures from Members of Congress on a new Congressional Diversity Pledge. The new pledge asks Members of Congress to affirm that they do not discriminate based on employees' sexual orientation and gender identity and expression in their own office's hiring practices. The effort marks the first time the groups have partnered on this project.

Commented GenderPAC Executive Director Riki Wilchins, "We are proud to be partnering with HRC. First, because homophobia comes from the same hateful place as genderphobia. Second, because we must ensure that those who would discriminate against us have no option to claim that they fired a gay employee because of their gender identity and expression, rather than their sexual orientation, or vice versa. A joint effort is the right and strategic thing to do."

Winnie Stachelberg, Political Director of the Human Rights Campaign, said, "Our joint project will provide Members of Congress with the opportunity to follow the lead of some of the top Fortune 500 corporations in America, such as Bank one, Eastman Kodak, IBM, Intel, Nike and Xerox, which have implemented policies prohibiting discrimination based on sexual orientation and gender identity and expression. We are pleased to be working with GenderPAC on this important project."

Beginning in 1999, GenderPAC secured signatures from 96 Members of Congress, including 7 Republicans, on Diversity Pledges affirming that they do not discriminate based on gender, including 70 who have signed both gender identity and expression and sexual orientation pledges.

Since 1995, HRC, the country's largest lesbian and gay political organization, has worked to secure 336 Members of Congress, including 98 Republicans, to sign a pledge affirming that Members of Congress do not discriminate based on employees' sexual orientation in the employment practices in their personal congressional offices.

The Gender Public Advocacy Coalition is the national organization working to end discrimination and violence caused by gender stereotypes by changing public attitudes, educating elected officials, and expanding legal rights.

The Human Rights Campaign is the largest national lesbian and gay political organization with members throughout the country. It effectively lobbies Congress, provides campaign support and educates the public to ensure that lesbian, gay,

bisexual and transgender Americans can be open, honest and safe at home, at work and in the community.

Monroe County, FL Enacts Protections for Transgender People

From Equality Florida

TAMPA, FL, April 16, 2003 – Civil rights activists across the state are applauding the Monroe County Commission's unanimous decision to amend its local nondiscrimination law to include transgender people.

In passing these protections, Monroe County joins Key West in specifically protecting transgender people from discrimination in employment, housing, public accommodations and lending. Several other Florida jurisdictions are considering adding similar protections.

"We're proud that Monroe County has once again distinguished itself by demonstrating its commitment to fairness and equality for all," said Scott Fraser, Director of the Key West Gay & Lesbian Community Center. "County Mayor Dixie Spehar sponsored the amendment and the Commission never doubted that this was the right thing to do."

Monroe County joins a growing number of municipalities across the country to add such protections, becoming the 58th jurisdiction to expand its law.

Janice Carney, Executive Director of the Florida Gender Equality Project (FORGE), said, "This is an important next step in the struggle for transgender equality in Florida. We were ecstatic with the overwhelming support we received from the entire Monroe County Commission."

The new law was spearheaded by a coalition of local and state human rights organizations including the Key West Gay and Lesbian Community Center, FORGE and Equality Florida, a statewide social justice organization committed to ending discrimination based on sexual orientation, race, class and gender. The National Center for Lesbian Rights (NCLR) and the National Gay and Lesbian Task Force (NGLTF) also supported the bill and provided assistance to local activists.

Stratton Pollitzer, Equality Florida's Southern Regional Director, who earlier predicted that at least three other Florida communities may amend their laws in 2003 to provide similar protections for transgender people, feels confident that more jurisdictions will soon follow suit.

"Efforts to protect transgender people are currently underway in St. Petersburg, Largo and Broward County," noted Pollitzer. "Like the rest of the country, Florida is waking up to the reality that transgender people are part of our

communities and must be included in basic human rights laws.”

Increasingly, Fortune 500 companies such as IBM, Nike and American Airlines are amending their policies to include gender identity and expression. So far this year, 5 jurisdictions, including the state of New Mexico, Key West, El Paso, Texas, Springfield, Illinois, and now Monroe County have added protections for the transgender community. Last year, 14 local governments added such laws. In 2000, Wilton

Manors, Florida recognized the need to protect transgender people, passing a law that required all business that contract with the city to include sexual orientation and gender identity in the non-discrimination policies.

Monroe County amended its law to add the phrase “gender identity or expression.” This language protects not only transgender people, but anyone who suffers discrimination because they do not fit traditional gender stereotypes.

Application for New or Renewal Membership

YES, I would like to join (____) or renew (____) my membership in Illinois Gender Advocates.

Name(s) _____

Name to Be Used on Mailing Label (if different from above) _____

Address _____

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Home Telephone _____ Work Telephone _____

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Membership Level (check one):

(____) Student/Youth - \$10

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(____) Supporting Member - \$100

(____) Benefactor - \$250

(____) Other - \$ _____

How would you like to be involved with Illinois Gender Advocates? (Please check all that apply.)

(____) Keep informed by newsletters

(____) Participate in monthly meetings

(____) Participate in actions

(____) Join a working group or committee

(____) Liaison with other human rights groups. Please specify _____

(____) Do you have any special skills that could help us out? (legal / legislative, artistic / design, technical / computer) Please specify: _____

Have you ever been a victim of a hate crime or discriminated against because of your gender identity, expression, or image? Yes / No (circle one)

If yes, may we document your case for our report? Yes / No (circle one)

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