Before I start my defense I demand a clarification from the President on the question of double jeopardy as defined by our Constitution and how it applies to this charge related to a "letter" that was read by Big Bob at the Caucus, and for which I accepted censure at the Caucus.

Depending on the President's answer, in writing or transcribed by the court reporter, I will need the following documents before I proceed.

- A copy of the transcript for the afternoon session of the Caucus where my letter was discussed and my censure was made part of the record.
- A copy of the list of the members who signed up for the Trial Committee at the 1<sup>st</sup> Union meeting where it was announced.
- A copy of the list of the members who signed up for the Trial Committee at the 3<sup>rd</sup> Union meeting where it was announced.

The second matter that I request a clarification on is whether or not this is a valid trial committee because according to the Constitution, the charge "shall" be read at a membership meeting and a trial committee picked at that membership meeting.

In this case the charge was never read, the Secretary/Treasurer just announced that there was a trial committee against me, and members were asked to sign up, but not enough signed up to go ahead with the trial.

At the next Union meeting, there was not a quorum so members were not asked to sign up, but that did not stop Bobby from talking shit about me including accusing me of screwing up the Child of Deceased rule because I am helping Rapid Fire's daughter.

At the third Union meeting members were asked again to sign up for the trial committee, without the charges being read as required by the Constitution.

I will need a written clarification from the President as to whether or not this is a valid Trial Committee charge, as the charge was never read to the membership as required by the Constitution and the Committee was not picked in accordance with the Constitution.

The third matter that needs clarification from the President is whether or not I have the right to be provided the transcript from the Caucus meeting where he announced that I had accepted censure, and Big Bob explained how he used my letter to get another \$1 per hour.

Before going forward, I will need the clarifications I have requested in writing or transcribed by the court reporter.