

RESOLUTION TO OVERTURN A DECISION OF THE JUDICIAL COMMITTEE

Submitted by Ken Krawchuk
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WHEREAS on April 27, 2013, Tom Stevens filed a complaint with the LPPa Judicial Committee stating, "I would like the Judicial Committee to direct the Secretary Ken Krawchuk to do his job"; and

WHEREAS on May 7, 2013, the Judicial Committee ruled on the complaint; and

WHEREAS at no point was Ken Krawchuk consulted, asked to testify on his own behalf, or even notified that a complaint had been filed, let alone that a hearing had taken place; and

WHEREAS on May 12, 2013, August 24, 2013, August 26, 2013, and September 4, 2013, Ken Krawchuk subsequently requested the Judicial Committee hold a hearing on the matter; and

WHEREAS on September 3, 2013, the Judicial Committee Chair responded, "the Judicial Committee has determined that it is not necessary to hold a hearing," even though Article VII Section 1 of the party Bylaws explicitly states that it *is* necessary; and

WHEREAS any refusal to allow the accused a fair hearing is repugnant to justice, fairness, and Libertarian principles; and

WHEREAS Article IV Section 4 of the Constitution of the Libertarian Party of Pennsylvania states that "a decision of the Judicial Committee can be overturned by a three-quarters vote of the members present at a convention";

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that said Judicial Committee ruling of May 7, 2013 regarding Ken Krawchuk is hereby overturned, and stricken from the record.