

and I listened to my attorney. He did not tell me, however, that he would not call any other witnesses either. If he had told me that he was not going to be presenting any defense or calling any witnesses, I would have distrusted his advice regarding my own testimony and would have been less willing to listen to his instructions about waiving my own right to testify.

Dated: February 26, 2025

Signed: /s/ Philip R. Vance



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