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Mr. Brad Raffensperger
Secretary of State of Georgia
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Dear Secretary Raffensperger:

On September 1, 2020 the ACLU of Georgia released the Palast Investigative Fund's report entitled Georgia Voter Roll Purge Errors that concluded the State in 2019 had likely removed the voter registrations of nearly 200,000 Georgia citizens on the grounds that they had moved from the address on their voter registration application.

However, according to the US Postal Service and its licensee Merkle Inc and the nation's leading experts in address verification — known as Advanced Address List Hygiene— these voters did not move.

When the report was released, Mr. Palast and ACLU Georgia Executive Director Andrea Young publicly and repeatedly offered to have the Palast Fund's experts sit down with the Secretary of State's USPS licensee to review the findings to determine the source of the errors on Georgia's list.

By this letter I am formally extending Mr. Palast's invitation to have the expert team which has been working with the Palast Investigative Fund to sit down with the USPS licensee which your office claims you used to develop the list of removed voters. In addition, the other Address List Hygiene experts are also more than happy to meet with the Secretary of State's Address List Hygiene experts.

As you know because section 8 (c) (A) of the National Voter Registration Act, Section requires all states which use the National Change of Address registry, to obtain the information from a USPS licensee, one of a small group of designated specialists, if Georgia did use a licensee there should be no reason why you would not want to work with us to address this issue of potentially

200,000 people being denied the right to vote in the upcoming election. Further pursuant to the public disclosure provisions of the NVRA I am requesting on behalf of my client the name of the qualified USPS licensee used to develop the list of persons whose registrations have been cancelled.

As you know, this office on behalf of Mr. Palast did previously file litigation seeking information regarding voter roll purges in 2017. Honorable Eleanor Ross ruled as to the broad scope of the NVRA and the disclosures which must be made. Further because the NVRA requires state officials like yourself to ensure the voter rolls are accurate, I believe it would violate the NVRA if your office does not want to hear from experts who challenge a good number of the people whose registrations were cancelled. It is incumbent on your office to address the errors set forth in the Palast Investigative Fund report issued by the ACLU.

I hope to hear from you as soon as possible so we can find out what has caused such vastly different determinations, and to get the wrongly purged persons back on the rolls.

Sincerely,

Jeanne Mirer