



CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FAIR EMPLOYMENT AND HOUSING

PRE-COMPLAINT INQUIRY

Unruh Civil Rights Act

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NAME:

TELEPHONE NUMBER:

Abre' Conner

ADDRESS:

COUNTY OF VIOLATION:

EMAIL ADDRESS:

Fresno

CITY/STATE/ZIP:

NAME OF THE BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENT OR INDIVIDUAL BUSINESS PERSON WHOM YOU WISH TO FILE AGAINST (e.g., hotel, restaurant, bar, theater, store, amusement facility, medical facility, and individual):

NAME:

TELEPHONE NUMBER:

The Brig

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Fresno, CA

Do you need a translator during the complaint process? ☐ Yes ☒ No If yes, indicate language _____

DATE MOST RECENT DISCRIMINATION TOOK PLACE (Month/Day/Year): _____

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- ☐ Ancestry
- ☒ Color
- ☐ Disability- Including HIV and AIDS, and Use of Assistive Animals
- ☐ Genetic Information or Characteristics
- ☐ Marital Status
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- ☐ National Origin- Including language Use Restrictions
- ☐ Possession of a Driver's License Granted Under Vehicle Code Section 12801.9
- ☒ Race
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- ☐ Other (specify) _____

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Attorney Name: Christine Sun

Attorney Firm Name: American Civil Liberties Foundation of Northern California

Attorney Address: 39 Drumm Street

Attorney City, State, and Zip: San Francisco, CA 94111

3. Briefly describe the type of accommodations, advantages, facilities, privileges, or service you sought but were denied by the above referenced business establishment:

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Below is a summary of the discrimination that occurred against Ms. Coleman and Ms. Conner.

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A white woman identifying herself as an off-duty waitress approached Ms. Coleman, Ms. Conner and Mr. [REDACTED]. They explained to her what happened. Ms. Coleman and Ms. Conner told her that other people in the bar did not have drinks and were being left alone. The off-duty waitress responded that the Brig employees do not have time to enforce the rule against everyone but keep an eye on "some people." Ms. Coleman and Ms. Conner further explained that the Brig employees seemed to be only enforcing a minimum drink rule on Black people. The off-duty waitress tried to persuade the three to leave, but they refused.

A white patron in the bar, identified here as "B.", saw the Brig employees approach Ms. Coleman and Ms. Conner. After hearing their account of what happened, B. offered to buy drinks for Ms. Coleman and Ms. Conner. But the bartender refused to sell them to her.

When Fresno Police Officers Gray and Scott arrived, Ms. Coleman and Ms. Conner told them that other people in the bar, who were not Black, did not have drinks and were being left alone. Ms. Conner's video recording shows Ms. Coleman explaining that the rule is not being enforced against non-Black people and that it seems like a made up rule. One Fresno police officer looked around and agreed, saying, "Yeah, it does seem like a made up rule." One of the two officers asked Ms. Conner and Ms. Coleman if this was a "racial thing" and both stated yes and explained again the racially discriminatory enforcement of the rule. B., who has been going to the Brig for 22 years, told them that she does not know of any minimum drink rule. This is also depicted in Ms. Conner's video recording.

After the police arrived, another white female and a white male patron offered to buy drinks for Ms. Conner and Ms. Coleman. However, the bartender told the Fresno police officers that he was exercising his "right to refuse service" and, therefore, would not let anyone buy drinks for Ms. Coleman and Ms. Conner. The police report states, peculiarly, that "the bar was refusing service to them due to them refusing to leave."

Also, a Latina patron approached Ms. Coleman and told her there is no minimum drink rule. This patron also provided her statement as a witness to Officers Gray and Scott, but this statement was not included in the police report.

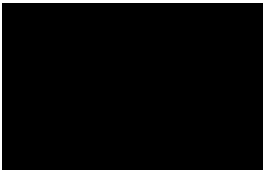
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Time: 03/17/2016 10:37:26

Event: 16-AJ7174

INCIDENT INFORMATION				
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Classification 1E3	Priority 2	How Receive T	Services This Copy was prepared by the Fresno Police Department on (date) 3/17/16 for the official use of: Name Abre Conner Agency and may not be revealed by any unauthorized person	
Place/Business THE BRIG [REDACTED]		Address [REDACTED] FRESNO		
Police Agency PD	District NW	Beat E	Station [REDACTED]	Zone 1755
REPORTING PARTIES				
Name			Phone	
Address			Info	
SYNOPSIS				
DIST W/ SUBJS REFUSING TO LEAVE .. 3 SUBJS INSIDE INFRONT OF THE BAR BY THE KARAOKE STAND ... 2 BFS WRG DRK CLOTHING, 1 BM BLK JCKT, BEIGE PANTS .. NEED SUBJS SOW				
DISPOSITIONS				
Closing Class 1E5	Event Dispo I	Location N	Unit Code 80	Agency: Case Number PD: GRAY (V3213), SCOTT P1686
UNIT HISTORIES / SUPPLEMENTS				
Time 03/13/2016 00:20:11	Unit 2H22	Status D	Operator [REDACTED] ID: D3107	Position PD05
Time 03/13/2016 00:20:20	Unit 2H22	Status ER	Operator GRAY (V3213), SCOTT ID: P1686	Position A00415
Time 03/13/2016 00:24:12	Unit 2H22	Status AR	Operator GRAY (V3213), SCOTT ID: P1686	Position A00415
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STAFF

Police Unit 2H22	Staff GRAY (V3213), SCOTT ID: P1686
	Staff [REDACTED] ID: P1617

RESPONSE TIMES

	Event	Police	Fire	
Receive	03/12/2016 23:51:05	03/12/2016 23:53:40		
Save	03/12/2016 23:53:48			
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[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

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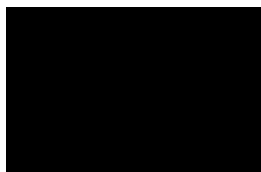
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Event: 16-AJ7174

INCIDENT INFORMATION

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Classification 1E3	Priority 2	How Receive T	Services Police

Place/Business

THE BRIG [REDACTED]

Address

[REDACTED] FRESNO

Police Agency

PD

District

NW

Beat

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Agency

Station

Zone

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By

REPORTING PARTIES

Name

DONNIE - EMPLOYEE

Address

Phone

(559)227-7297

Info

SYNOPSIS

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DISPOSITIONS

Closing Class 1E5	Event Dispo I	Location N	Unit Code 80	Agency: Case Number PD:	Primary Staff GRAY (V3213), SCOTT P1686
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UNIT HISTORIES / SUPPLEMENTS

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Time: 03/22/2016 07:09:16

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INFO: 03/22/2016 01:00:10

STAFF				
Police Unit 2H22	Staff GRAY (V3213), SCOTT ID: P1686			
	Staff [REDACTED] ID: P1617			
RESPONSE TIMES				
	Event	Police	Fire	
Receive	03/12/2016 23:51:05	03/12/2016 23:53:40		
Save	03/12/2016 23:53:48			
Dispatch	03/13/2016 00:20:11	03/13/2016 00:20:11		
Enroute	03/13/2016 00:20:20	03/13/2016 00:20:20		
Arrive	03/13/2016 00:24:12	03/13/2016 00:24:12		
Last Clear	03/13/2016 01:20:46	03/13/2016 01:20:46		
No. of Units	1	1	0	

Video Attachments
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