



NAACP

Derrick Johnson
*President and
Chief Executive Officer*

Leon W. Russell
*Chairman
National Board of Directors*

OFFICE OF THE GENERAL COUNSEL

September 16, 2019

Dear Sir:

Your letter has been received by The NAACP Legal Department. We apologize for the delay in responding to your letter regarding your request for assistance for Major Clarence Anderson III.

Regrettably we are unable to accept his case. Due to our current staffing, caseload and prior commitments, we limit our involvement typically to class action cases involving at least ten parties or more. The NAACP specifically handles civil rights cases within our six substantive game changers.

You may wish to contact the California Innocence Project for assistance with his case.

California Innocence Project
225 Cedar Street
San Diego, CA 92101
(619) 525 - 1485

Depending upon the details of his case, the national post-conviction representation organization *The Innocence Project* may be able to investigate this matter. The Innocence Project investigates cases and provides legal services to prisoners serving time for crimes they did not commit. To find out whether the project would be able to represent him, you may reach out to them via their website: <https://californiainnocenceproject.org/submit-a-case/submit-a-case/>.

Thank you for bringing this matter to our attention and reaching out to the NAACP. We wish you the best in the future.

Very truly yours,

The NAACP Legal Department

cc: Derrick Johnson, NAACP President and CEO

