

Insurance Commission Backfires on Bondsmen



When all of the other bondsmen agreed to testify against Judge Robert E. "Moon" Mullin, they might have been promised they would go free. Where I don't think they understood that Judge Mullin was wrong, they said, for what he did, there was no way they were doing right to themselves.

When there was a program supported by Judge Mahlon Brown to let people out on their own reconizance, the bondsmen had it destroyed because they said it was costing the tax payers too much money. Now the bondsmen are causing the taxpayers money.

These bondsmen should be taken before the Grand Jury for lying.

Does the Insurance Commission think that what the bondsmen did was right? Or will the judges stand by and crucify Judge Mullin for what the jury said he was guilty of and not try the Bail Bondsmen, because two wrongs are not going to make a right in the State of Nevada.

I feel that they did the best thing to investigate all the bondsmen actions and their methods used to get the judges to put themselves in that position. I agree with the Insurance Commission and the City Attorney for what they are doing.

But while Judge Mullin was being prosecuted, everyone, including all the bondsmen, felt he should not be on the bench, but I see they are still writing bonds and are not

denied losing their practice. What is fair for the gander is fair for the goose.

If the Insurance Commission would actually close them down. They would do the something Judge Mullin did. He was innocent until he was proved guilty.

As for my feelings, he could not be guilty based on what the Insurance Commission has done to all the bondsmen that have testified.

I feel that Judge Mullin should be put back as Municipal Judge in the City of Las Vegas because the best you can get out of that is a tie, so what would be the right thing to do is not to sentence Judge Mullin January 23, 1978 until they reach a conclusion on the investigation on the action the bondsmen have taken against Judge Mullin.

Now is the time for all of our Black elected officials to get together and support Judge Mullin in his sentencing on January 23, because I don't feel that he is guilty of these offenses he was charged with and the Insurance Commission will hold hearings against the bondsman that testified against Judge Mullin.

Because, the way it looks, Judge Mullin was used to get the bondsmen and the bondsmen were used to get Judge Mullin. Could the reason they were out to get Judge Mullin be because he was not an attorney before he became a Judge. All this started after it

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A Proclamation by the Governor

WHEREAS, throughout his life, the Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. worked to ensure that the people of all nations, races and beliefs could enjoy personal freedom as well as social and economic justice; and

WHEREAS, even after the obvious racial barriers had been removed, the Reverend Dr. King focused attention on the more serious problems of economic opportunity and security for all people; and

WHEREAS, since his tragic death, the Martin Luther King, Jr. Center for Social Change has continued his work and this year plans a theme on "The Quest for Human Rights in a Full Employment Economy";

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MIKE O'CALLAGHAN, Governor of the State of Nevada, do hereby proclaim the week of January 12-16, 1978, in Nevada as

MARTIN LUTHER KING WEEK



In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Nevada to be affixed at the State Capital in Carson City, this 27th day of December, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred seventy-eight.

Mike O'Callaghan
Governor
By the Governor: *Thomas S. Sweeney*
Secretary of State

Martin Luther King, Jr. was the backbone of the Civil Rights Program. He did more for the Black people than any other one person. Starting in December 1955 when a black woman, Mrs. Rosa Parks, refused to give up her seat on a bus to a white man in Montgomery, Alabama. Upon boycotting the bus



system, a meeting of movement leaders was held and Dr. King was elected president of a new organization called the Montgomery Improvement Association.

Several times bombs were thrown, or left on the porch of Dr. King's home. A U.S. CONTINUED ON PAGE 6 COLUMN 3

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