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Key personnel who have previously been communicated with by me, Peter Bellamy, in connection with Bernardo Aban Tercero, and their relationship with Bernardo.

- Mother: **Lidia Tercero Huete** – Postal address (last known): Entrada Los Laureles, Reparto Villa Dolores, Esc.30 VRS al Norte, Chichigalpa, Nicaragua
Lidia is illiterate and dependent on Bernardo's sister, Johana, for all communication
Was witness at trial, but very confused by the court proceedings, cross-examinations and by the court translator who was not speaking or translating the Nicaraguan dialect in a manner understood by her. Overwhelmed by the intimidating environment totally foreign to a member of Nicaragua's rural poor and so struggled both to understand the questions and to give coherent and accurate responses. Spanish only.
- Sister: **Johana Caceres** – Instrumental in helping to collect and send affidavits, documents and letters to me for Bernardo up to the middle of 2014. She sent and received letters to/from Bernardo through my email account. Lives with or near to Lidia. Johana has not been communicative since the middle of 2014 following a disagreement with Bernardo relating to the speed/urgency required to obtain documents for him. His uncle (see below) was asked to take over that role. Spanish only. At least semi-literate. Has to travel some distance to (probably) an internet cafe or similar to use email. Email address: johanacaceres92@yahoo.es
- Son: **Franklin** – was the first family member to respond to my Internet publicity and letters to Nicaragua. At first an enthusiastic communicator. Has become less so owing to the pressures of expectation placed upon him by Bernardo and his own growing responsibilities. Recently married and started his own business. Email address: frakboy_00792@yahoo.es Spanish only.
- Uncle: **Desiderio Edmundo Caceres Hernandez** – was responsible, with Johana, in the collection of affidavits and key documents during 2014 – primarily relating to Bernardo's educational history, mental and physical health, and role in saving lives during the disaster of Hurricane Mitch. Desiderio has recently suffered heart problems but is still in contact with me by email. I also have his current telephone contact. Literate so far as I can tell. Spanish only. Has liaised effectively with CENIDH (Nicaraguan Human Rights organization) and with Ana Cecilia Solis of the Nicaraguan Ministry of Foreign Relations. Email address: desiderio.edmundo@yahoo.es
- CENIDH: My contact there is **Mauro Ampie**, who has made public statements in the press about Bernardo's case, contacted appropriate government officials for assurances of support for Bernardo, and supplied personnel for the abortive attempt to obtain access to the original books of birth record seen by the investigator Norma Villanueva in Chichigalpa.(see below). No obvious English. Email address: mampie@cenidh.org

A recent email to me:

Mauro Ampie

26 Nov 2014 Estimado Sr. Bellamy:

En relación a su consulta, tengo a bien informarle que si la Sra. Purdon aporta nuevos elementos que confirmen la existencia de ambas inscripciones, el CENIDH consideraría visitar el Registro nuevamente.

Atendiendo su solicitud, sírvase encontrar adjuntos los teléfonos y direcciones de contacto del Sr. Samuel Santos.

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También adjunto al presente la última carta que enviamos al Canciller sobre el caso de la referencia.

Saludos cordiales,

Mauro

Nicaragua Ministry of Foreign Relations (Managua): My contact there, **Ana Cecilia Solis Diaz**, has been the sole Government official in Nicaragua to communicate with and give any assistance to Bernardo. She was also a contact of the investigator, Norma Villanueva, during her visit to Nicaragua. That assistance has been to provide assistance with the transport of documents to and from

Texas via
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the Consulate in Houston, and perhaps directly with Bernardo. Although I have passed messages from Bernardo to her, which she appears to have acted upon, she has never responded directly to me. However, she has co-operated well with Desiderio (the uncle) and provided certifications for the various documents. Don Vernay would not provide an attorneys letter for her, to request formal Nic. Government assistance, in spite of repeated requests from me to do so.
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Defense Investigator: **Norma Villanueva**, who made the first investigation for the Defense into the birth certificate/ age claims of Bernardo, and who provided for the court an affidavit of her findings (but photographic evidence failed in film processing) was contacted by me in connection with her evidence. She responded by first requesting me to telephone her, whereupon she explained in detail her sight of the original birth records both at the Central Registry on microfiche in Managua, and of the book entries in Chichigalpa, for both Bernardo and his elder deceased brother. She went on to say she was worried at the lack of support from the Nicaraguan Government and Consulate since she had a verbal agreement with Ana Solis that legal and political support for her findings would be provided, but that this had not materialized. She has since given detailed instruction to Emmanuelle Purdon (SAVE) and her associate who may lead another investigation to obtain the necessary visual evidence of births (Bernardo and elder brother) previously lost.

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Witness (not called by defense attorney): **Silvia Cortera**. Last known address: 14100 Del Papa Apt#69, Houston, TX 77047. Communicated briefly via Facebook messaging. Indicated that her life had moved on and didn't want to become involved now. Bernardo claims that this witness to the robbery can testify that a struggle for control of the weapon did take place and that the shooting was accidental or involuntary. Not called by the defense attorney in spite of instruction to do so by Bernardo. Her testimony would contract other "witness evidence" which itself appears tainted owing to post trial claims by witnesses to have been coerced by prosecutors on penalty of other charges, leaving only the evidence of one hostile witness.

OAS (Organization of American States) or CIDH (Inter-American Commission on Human Rights): Accepted for consideration a petition (case ref P-1742-09) by Bernardo against US breaches of due process. Also granted status of Precautionary Measures (case no. MC-84-13). Both are still active (unresolved) with the US not, so far as I am currently aware, having filed a response – in breach of Commission rules.

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