Hello Rolando, you don't know me but I know you very well. You see, we are both criminals. The difference is you are a sex offender who has been caught before, and I am an extortionist who has never been caught. Unfortunately for you, our paths have crossed.

Sure, I know you are a sex offender and am familiar with your crimes. But what makes me a danger to you, Rolando ol' boy, is that I have spent several days digging further into your life and collecting all the information I need to really wreak havoc not only on *your* life, but on the lives of those you care about as well. You are no longer just one person hidden among thousands on some sex offender registry that would never even be checked by the vast majority of people with whom you interact. You are now the focus of a professional extortionist who quite enjoys his work.

I have put together a plan for an information campaign targeting you by informing everyone in your life and in *their* lives of your sex crimes, with followup notifications that will be sent to them again every 6 months. You have already dealt with enough hardship and embarrassment due to your past conviction, and to prevent that from coming back on you again tenfold you need only pay me a "confidentiality fee" of \$350/month.

So what happens if you don't comply? Every scenario is different, but I'll give you an example of what I did with one person who ignored me. First, I did the obvious by sending notifications to all his neighbors in his apartment building, vividly describing the sexual crimes he committed with the child. The notification also listed where he was employed, in case they wanted to voice their displeasure with that employer. I then sent similar notifications to his coworkers and to all the neighboring businesses at that same shopping center. His daughter was on the softball team at her college so I got access to the softball team's mailing list and anonymously emailed everyone on it with the details of her father's misdeeds. I mailed graphic notifications to all the neighbors of his parents and siblings as well. His mom's church had a list of emails for the congregation in her church's online news letter. I felt a little guilty about emailing them all, but I got over it. Every 6 months I update the information and resend the notifications so he and his loved ones can't minimize the damage by simply moving.

To prevent something similar happening to you, simply pay me \$350 on or before the 7th of every month, with the first payment due on Nov 7th, 2019. If you fail to comply with this letter by that first due date then I will put my information campaign against you into action. About every six months thereafter I will update the information and resend all the letters, emails and other notifications. While you won't be able to stop the damage done by my first volley of notifications if you don't meet the first due date, you can still prevent my bi-annual retargeting of you at any time by starting the monthly payments thereafter. Some of my targets initially think I am bluffing and it isn't until the ramifications of the first wave of notifications hit them that they start paying in order to prevent it from continuing. That is certainly an option available to you. Just remember that this wasn't some email you found in your spam folder. I spent money on postage, stationary and equipment to produce this letter. I spent hours researching you personally. And I took considerable counter-forensic measures to ensure that none of this can be tied back to me by law enforcement, so even snitching won't protect you from the damage. I can afford to do this because my targets end up paying. And my targets end up paying because I carry through on my threats.

To prevent any of this from happening you will pay me anonymously using bitcoin. Send \$350 in **BITCOIN** to the *Receiving Bitcoin Address* listed at the bottom of this page. The procedure to obtain bitcoin can take a day or two so do not put it off. If you are familiar with the use of bitcoin then feel free to procure it from wherever you wish. If you are unfamiliar with procuring and sending bitcoin then follow the instructions on the back of this letter.

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Read The Below Instruction Thoroughly Before Procuring Bitcoin

- 1. Get the *Required Amount* of cash ready or ensure it is in your bank account, depending on your method of purchase.
- 2. Go to LocalBitcoins.com on a computer or smartphone.
- 3. At the top right of the home page click "Sign up free".
- 4. Fill in the short registration screen that pops up, then agree to the terms of service and privacy policy that pop up, and then click "Register". Be sure to remember your username and password. LocalBitcoins.com will immediately send you an email with a verification link in it.
- 5. Open that email and click the link they give you to verify your account. It will then direct you to a page where it will ask you to enter your name and cell phone number to text your verification code to. Once you submit that verification code your account is created and ready to use.
- 6. Now that you have an account, on the main LocalBitcoins.com page, under the "QUICK BUY" tab, type the *Required Amount* in the "Amount" box, ensure that it is set for "USD", select "United States" for your country and "All online offers" in the payment method pull down menu. Then click the "Search" button.
- 7. A page listing the traders capable of fulfilling your request will pop up. Note that if it is outside normal banking hours the list will probably be small as there won't be many traders online at that moment. Do it during banking hours for more options.
- 8. Under the "Trader" column will be the trader's username. To the right of his name in parenthesis will be the number of trades he has done and his approval rating. Pick a trader with at least a 100 trades and a rating of 99%-100% to avoid being scammed. A green dot near the name indicates the trader is online and ready to do business. Under the "Payment method" column, the trader will list the method by which you can pay for the BTC. The method is up to you. Under the "Price/BTC" it lists how much he charges per bitcoin. Google "bitcoin exchange rate" for the current rate and pick a trader selling at a price within 10% of the current rate. Do not try to cheat me as I do track the exchange rates. Under the "Limits" column it lists, in USD, how large of a transaction he can do. Decide which trader from whom you will buy and click his "Buy" button.
- 9. You will now be taken to a transaction page where you can place the order with your chosen trader. Read the "terms of trade" on the right of the page. It will give any special instruction the trader may have.
- 10. On the left side of that same transaction page, under "How much you wish to buy?", enter the amount of USD you will transact with this vendor in the USD box. In the BTC box it will tell you how much BTC you will be acquiring.
- 11. When you are ready to initiate the trade click the "Send trade request".
- 12. Stay on the page. Usually the trader should respond to the order request within a couple minutes if he is online. He will give you the account number and any other additional information you may need to make the purchase via your chosen payment method.
- 13. Once you have transferred the money to the trader, immediately go back to the transaction page on Localbitcoins.com and notify the trader that the deposit or transfer has been made. Unless indicated otherwise in the "terms of trade", the trader should deposit your bitcoin into your LocalBitcoins.com "wallet" within the hour.
- 14. At the top right of the page, third icon from the right, you will see the link to your wallet. If it is empty then you are still waiting for the trader to deposit bitcoin into your account. If the number in it is the amount of bitcoin you purchased then you are ready to send those bitcoin to me.
- 15. Click on that wallet link to take you to your "wallet" page.
- 16. The left side of the wallet page is the "Send bitcoins" section that you will be using to send the bitcoin to my bitcoin address. A bitcoin address is a long string of characters that must be typed in EXACTLY. It IS case sensitive. If you aren't certain what a particular character is just remember that bitcoin addresses NEVER contain the uppercase letter "O" (oh), the uppercase letter "I" (eye), the lowercase letter "I" (el), or the number "0" (zero). So if you see a "1" it is the number "one" and if you see an "o" it is the lowercase "O" (oh). Now that I have explained that, go ahead and enter the *Receiving Bitcoin Address* into the "Receiving bitcoin address" box. 17. In the "Amount in bitcoins" box, enter the total number of bitcoins you have in your bitcoin wallet.
- 18. Click the blue "Continue" button. The next page will ask you to confirm your transaction. If it is correct then type in your password and click the "Send from wallet" button. If you typed the bitcoin address in incorrectly "Invalid Bitcoin Address" will appear in red over the "Receiving Bitcoin address" box. If that happens fix it and try again.
- 19. You are finished.