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My name is Torina A. Collis and I was wrongfully terminated in February 2005 from Bank of America after 4 + years of excellent service as a personal banker. I noticed customers checking accounts were being changed without their knowledge and they were incurring fees of \$20.00/month. I reported this up the chain and I was terminated. I filed a Sarbanes Oxley whistleblowing case, reverse discrimination and overtime collective action case-all filed separately. The bank falsified two write ups, back dated one and gave me both on the evening of February 24, 2005. I was terminated the next morning on the phone. Bank of America told OSHA federal investigators I was given both write ups on two separate days, knowing it was false statement. DOL dismissed my Sarbanes Oxley case based on the false information. I then filed in federal court. In federal Court, Bank of America's attorney, Elena Marcuss with McGuire Woods, LLP would have two employees sign an affidavit that I now "stormed out the meeting when I was given both write ups the same night". Two different stories. That would be just the beginning of the lies and false statements to federal agencies. The federal judge dismissed the SOX case on summary judgment and permitted my discrimination/retaliation case to go to trial. I appealed the SOX case to the U.S. Supreme Court and cert was denied in 2010. The federal judge terminated my attorney prior to trial and I had to represent myself on the discrimination/retaliation case. At trial I was able to expose the bank's lies as well as their attorneys lies. The fraud at the bank was still continuing. I notified Office of Comptroller of Currency in mid 2005, SEC, DOL, to name a few. No one did anything. I appealed my trial and presented the question first of all how can the federal judge fire my attorney. The fourth circuit said I had time to find another one. The federal judge kept telling me I should settle. I refused. In June 2009, I attended a settlement conference on the FLSA case. I was threatened there. I informed the judge and he never gave me a hearing. I did not sign an agreement, nor did I agree to settle. The judge dismissed the case stating the parties informed the court they were settling. I never said I was settling and the magistrate Judge Charles Day knows I said I wasn't settling. This is all an attempt to keep my mouth quiet. I filed a motion to reopen the case. The judge sat on the motion for 8 months and enforced it, he enforced an alleged oral settlement agreement and called me "not credible" for saying the magistrate judge said I had to settle. I did not sign it and I refuse to sign. Today the U.S. Supreme Court denied my petition. My attorneys told me I am not aloud to let the public know about the case at the U.S. Supreme Court. People all over the nation are due overtime and customers are being frauded and they are all trying to keep my mouth quiet. I did not sign and the judge did not give me a hearing to determine if there was a settlement at all. Now that I have exhausted the court system for nearly 7 years I am going to let the country know what is going on and how I have been silenced. I have trial transcripts from a 4 day trial. I have proof the write ups were back dated. I have documentation where the bank's attorney in Baltimore, Md lied to investigators and has obstructed justice. Judge Messitte enforced my settlement on July 20, 2010, a few weeks after my petition to the U.S. Supreme Court on the Sarbanes Oxley Case where I submitted his statement on the record that customers accounts being changed without their knowledge is just them being unfairly treated. I was retaliated against and then he enforced the alleged agreement without a hearing. The next day, July 21, 2010, Obama would nominate Judge Charles Day to replace Judge Messitte. As I stated in my SOX appeal, the American people are going to want answers. The government has permitted the fraud to continue and tried to silence me.

I want to know how I can go about having Congress try to overturn the U.S. Supreme Court decision. I am not certain of the appropriate steps to take. I will file a motion to reconsider with the Court. I also filed a rule 60B fraud on the court in the Fourth Circuit Court of Appeals. My brief is due Dec. 7, 2011. I do know that I have proof of the false statements to the government from the bank and their attorneys. I lost my job and I have had to pay out \$60,000 in attorney fees, printing costs for U.S. Supreme Court briefs, trial transcripts and not to mention I have had to fight on and off myself due to the attorneys getting off my cases because I refuse to settle. Now I am being accused of orally agreeing to settle when I did not and Judge Day never came forward and told the court I did not.

This is affecting the nation at large. I hope to hear back from someone. I have been fighting for years and doing the government's job to try to hold BOA accountable. The government sits there and tells the nation "bad Bank of America"

as if they are trying to help the public and behind closed doors the government knows exactly what's going on for nearly 7 years and has been trying to silence me.

Thank you,

Torina Collis